

## 2010 FJCL State Latin Forum

### Derivatives II

I. Choose the answer which, based on its LATIN derivation, best completes the sentence or means the same as the underlined word.

- Your plan will ameliorate the situation.  
a. exacerbate                      b. complicate                      c. improve                      d. circumvent
- My taciturn friend \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. enjoys outdoor activities                      b. usually remains silent  
c. loves to read                      d. freely expresses her opinions
- An aquiline nose resembles the \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. beak of an eagle                      b. snout of a pig                      c. nose of a horse                      d. nose of a fox
- The child's doleful look revealed his \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. boredom                      b. glee                      c. sorrow                      d. exhaustion
- The scientist's research was focused on the estival flora of the region.  
a. summer                      b. dormant                      c. indigenous                      d. non-native
- The performance elicited derision from the audience.  
a. apathy                      b. mockery                      c. appreciation                      d. anger
- Certain trees thrive in riparian environments.  
a. arid                      b. on a river bank                      c. in sandy soil                      d. tropical
- Our supervisor was inexorable; he could not \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. be pleaded with                      b. be fooled  
c. show favoritism                      d. delegate responsibility
- Many people try to avoid the appearance of senescence.  
a. laziness                      b. selfishness                      c. inexperience                      d. aging
- The man was hired because of his putative experience.  
a. recent                      b. proven                      c. supposed                      d. innovative

II. Choose the Latin word from which the English word is derived.

- overture  
a. aperio                      b. verito                      c. opus                      d. verus
- arson  
a. ars                      b. ardeo                      c. artus                      d. arceo

13. auspicious  
 a. augeo                      b. avis                      c. spes                      d. spiro
14. train  
 a. traho                      b. ago                      c. eo                      d. terreo
15. pursue  
 a. premo                      b. pungo                      c. sumo                      d. sequor
16. usurp  
 a. rumpo                      b. rapio                      c. servio                      d. surgo
17. impair  
 a. paro                      b. pareo                      c. par                      d. peior
18. payment  
 a. poena                      b. panis                      c. pax                      d. pecunia
19. sprain  
 a. pello                      b. rumpo                      c. premo                      d. rapio
20. sullen  
 a. soleo                      b. solvo                      c. sol                      d. solus

**III. Choose the word which is derived from the given Latin word.**

21. ala  
 a. alien                      b. aisle                      c. alacrity                      d. coalesce
22. plenus  
 a. multiply                      b. please                      c. plain                      d. accomplish
23. noceo  
 a. nuclear                      b. noose                      c. nuisance                      d. connoisseur
24. ius  
 a. conjure                      b. adjutant                      c. joust                      d. peruse
25. cresco  
 a. accrue                      b. crest                      c. across                      d. miscreant
26. caedo  
 a. incident                      b. decay                      c. abscess                      d. precise
27. manus  
 a. mandate                      b. manner                      c. menial                      d. manor

28. dies  
 a. dismal                      b. deist                      c. duty                      d. deign
29. orior  
 a. orifice                      b. adore                      c. orient                      d. inexorable
30. salio  
 a. salubrious                      b. sauce                      c. salute                      d. sauté

**IV. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which the English word is derived.**

31. allow  
 a. choose                      b. nourish                      c. praise                      d. play
32. conquer  
 a. attack                      b. look for                      c. take                      d. cut
33. courteous  
 a. heart                      b. body                      c. citizen                      d. cohort
34. hesitate  
 a. cling                      b. have                      c. touch                      d. stand
35. dilapidated  
 a. wood                      b. stone                      c. hang                      d. fall
36. loyal  
 a. bind                      b. choose                      c. law                      d. place
37. volunteer  
 a. wish                      b. vow                      c. voice                      d. roll
38. tasty  
 a. hold                      b. try                      c. seek                      d. touch
39. sue  
 a. use                      b. follow                      c. sit                      d. take
40. mortgage  
 a. mountain                      b. custom                      c. die                      d. delay

**V. Choose the word that does NOT belong by derivation.**

41.    a. artisan                      b. artifice                      c. inert                      d. concert
42.    a. author                      b. augury                      c. auction                      d. augment

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| 43. | a. danger     | b. dungeon     | c. condemn | d. predominate |
| 44. | a. commence   | b. example     | c. ransom  | d. redeem      |
| 45. | a. hostage    | b. hospital    | c. hotel   | d. hostile     |
| 46. | a. join       | b. conjugate   | c. joist   | d. junction    |
| 47. | a. compatible | b. surpass     | c. passive | d. patient     |
| 48. | a. cognate    | b. connoisseur | c. noble   | d. notion      |
| 49. | a. morale     | b. morose      | c. moral   | d. moratorium  |
| 50. | a. protege    | b. tile        | c. detect  | d. contiguous  |