

DISTRICT LATIN FORUM 1993

MOTTOES, ABBREVIATIONS, AND QUOTATIONS

I. Select the abbreviation which best corresponds to the given word or phrase.

1. done as above
a. c.m.s. b. a.u.s. c. b.d.s. d. d.t.d.
2. as much as you wish
a. p.p. b. f.v. c. v.a. d. q.v.
3. equal parts
a. p.ae. b. pct. c. s.ap. d. t.
4. which see
a. ibid. b. viz. c. q.v. d. op.cit.
5. All to the Greater Glory of God
a. Ecc.Hom. b. L.D. c. I.N.R.I. d. O.A.M.D.G.
6. on the right-hand page
a. e.p. b. s.l.a.n. c. ro. d. vo.
7. in the year of our Lord
a. A.D. b. D.V. c. A.M. d. L.Q.
8. spoonful
a. cochl. b. gtt. c. p.c. d. g.r.
9. on the part of the unbelievers
a. p.a. b. i.p.i. c. l.s.c. d. i.v.
10. dividend
a. d.s. b. p.a. c. cd. d. v.g.

II. Match the motto with the institution or choose the answer which correctly completes the sentence.

11. Si quaeris peninsulam amoenam circumspice
a. Florida b. Massachusetts c. Michigan d. California
12. Dominus illuminatio mea
a. Christ College b. St. Augustine's College
c. London d. University of Oxford
13. Hic et ubique terrarum
a. Berlin b. University of Paris
c. University of London d. Madrid

14. Perstare et praestare
a. Fordham University b. Rollins College
c. University of Ohio d. New York University
15. Ad maiorem Dei gloriam
a. Dominicans b. Franciscans c. Jesuits
d. Benedictines
- 16. Disciplina praesidium civitatis
a. University of Texas b. Trinity College
c. Tulane University d. University of Tennessee
- 17. Stetson University
a. Pro deo et veritate b. Fiat lux
c. Magna est veritas d. Artes, scientia, veritas
- 18. E pluribus unum appears on the face of a U.S.
a. nickel. b. dime. c. penny. d. quarter.
- 19. Veritas vos liberabit, the motto of Johns Hopkins University, is taken from
a. Horace. b. the Bible. c. Vergil.
d. the Magna Charta.
20. Which of the following has a motto longer than one word?
a. New York b. Harvard c. Idaho d. Maine

III. Choose the answer which best completes the quotation.

21. argumentum ex _____
a. silentio b. vi c. tempore d. iure
- 22. Quantum _____
a. oportet b. nescit c. audet d. placet
23. genius _____
a. loci b. dea c. urbe d. tempore
24. Potest ex _____ magnus vir exire.
a. rure b. casa c. silva d. Corsica
25. reducito ad _____
a. furorem b. lacrimas c. ovem d. absurdum
26. trahimur omnes _____ studio
a. laudis b. pecuniae c. gloriae d. veritati
27. credo quia _____ est
a. facilis b. audax c. absurdum d. verbum
28. _____ causa est nescire.
a. Timendi b. Pugnandi c. Mortis d. Felicitatis

29. Mendacem oportet esse _____
a. facilem b. audacem c. credibilem d. memorem
30. Stultum est timere quod _____ non potes.
a. vitare b. mutare c. amare d. habere

IV. Choose the response which best completes the statement or answers the question.

31. A difficult stage in translating Latin could be called
a. pons asinorum. b. ne plus ultra.
c. opus durus. d. sine spe.
32. The phrase the Florida Legislature uses to symbolize the end of a legislative session is
a. ad infinitum. b. bona fide. c. sine die.
d. via voce.
33. Someone who is all talk and no action could be referred to as
a. re infecta. b. totidem verbis.
c. novus homo. d. vox et praeterea nihil.
34. Another Roman term for war was
a. brutum fulmen. b. pallida Mors. c. se defendendo.
d. ultima ratio regum.
35. How might a Roman say today was his or her lucky day?
a. Deo gratias b. Deo favente c. dies faustus
d. de integro
36. An amicus usque ad aras is
a. someone who will be the death of you
b. someone who will be around until the bitter end
c. someone who will smile while he or she steals your money
d. someone who is of no use to you
37. President Theodore Roosevelt was fond of the maxim "Speak softly but carry a big stick." The Latin equivalent would be
a. Littera enim occidit, spiritus autem vivificat.
b. Sua cuique voluptas
c. Dic mihi, si fias ut leo, qualis eris?
d. Suaviter in modo, fortiter in re.
38. A foreigner seeking asylum for economic reasons might say
a. Ubi ius, ibi remedium.
b. Ubi mel, ibi apes.
c. Ubi tu Gaius, ego Gaia.
d. Ubi sunt qui ante nos fuerunt.

39. A Roman might have said, "Incidit in Scyllam qui vult vitare Charybdim." An American would say,
a. Out of the frying pan into the fire.
b. A stitch in time saves nine.
c. People in glass houses shouldn't throw stones.
d. You take the high road; I'll take the low.
40. The Latin equivalent of "An eye for an eye" would have been
a. Lex loci. b. Lex terrae. c. Lex talionis.
d. Lex scriptae.
- V. Match the quotation to its author.
41. Qui non est hodie cras minus aptus erit.
a. Ovid b. Sallust c. Juvenal d. Vergil
42. Tantaemolis erat Romanam condere gentem.
a. Cicero b. Livy c. Vergil d. Catullus
43. Integer vitae scelerisque purus
a. Vergil b. Cicero c. Seneca d. Horace
44. Qui dedit beneficium taceat; narret qui accepit.
a. Vergil b. Titus c. Livy d. Seneca
45. Risu inepto res ineptior nulla est.
a. Terence b. Ovid c. Horace d. Catullus
46. Non omnes qui habent citharam sunt citharoedi.
a. Nero b. Catullus c. Varro d. Tacitus
47. Credula vitam spes fovet et melius cras fore semper dicit.
a. Seneca b. Tibullus c. Lucretius d. Tacitus
48. Ubi solitudinem faciunt, pacem appellant.
a. Horace b. Tacitus c. Lucretius d. Vergil
49. In alio pediculum, in te ricinum non vides.
a. Plautus b. Augustus c. Petronius d. Claudius
50. Perfer et obdura; dolor hic tibi proderit olim.
a. Ovid b. Livy c. Caesar d. Juvenal