

**FJCL REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2011**  
**MOTTOES, ABBREVIATIONS, AND QUOTATIONS**

**I. Abbreviations**

1. m.  
a. morning    b. noon    c. evening    d. midnight
2. sig.  
a. symptoms    b. signature    c. witness    d. write
3. Rx  
a. res    b. refer    c. recipe    d. rege
4. viz.  
a. videlicet    b. vice    c. vixit    d. vires
5. Which of the following abbreviations would NOT be found in a bibliography?  
a. N.B.    b. id.    c. ibid.    d. op. cit.
6. In a dictionary, the abbreviation q.v. indicates that the preceding word  
a. is no longer in common usage    b. is an alternate spelling  
c. is a synonym    d. should be looked up
7. A prescription labeled q.i.d. should be taken  
a. every other day    b. each day    c. four times a day    d. five times a day
8. The abbreviation s.t.t.l. was found on Roman  
a. gravestones    b. letters    c. bricks    d. wine bottles
9. et seqq.  
a. et sequitur    b. et sequuntur    c. et sequens    d. et sequentes
10. Which abbreviation is used to indicate dates in an Islamic calendar?  
a. A.H.    b. A.U.C.    c. A.C.    d. A.M.
11. The abbreviation F.D. is found on coins of  
a. the United Kingdom    b. the Vatican City    c. Constantine    d. Theodosius the Great
12. Where would you most likely see the abbreviation I.N.R.I.?  
a. a book plate    b. a painting of the crucifixion    c. a foundation stone    d. a will

**II. Mottoes**

13. Sic Semper Tyrannis  
a. Massachusetts    b. New Hampshire    c. Virginia    d. South Carolina
14. Nil Sine Numine  
a. Vermont    b. Colorado    c. Georgia    d. Arizona

### III. Phrases

25. A committee formed for a particular purpose:  
a. bona fide      b. ex officio      c. ad hoc      d. de jure

26. entirely:  
a. ad infinitum      b. ex animo      c. de facto      d. in toto

27. The graduate student had one requirement remaining: the viva voce.  
a. dissertation    b. oral exam    c. comprehensive essay test    d. foreign language course

28. The senator misspoke during the interview and later had to correct his  
a. lapsus linguae    b. vade mecum    c. quid pro quo    d. modus vivendi

29. Because the Aeneid begins \_\_\_\_\_, the reader learns of earlier events when Aeneas relates his story to Dido.  
 a. ab ovo usque ad mala      b. ex tempore      c. ex post facto      d. in medias res
30. Because of his offensive actions, the diplomat was declared  
 a. persona non grata      b. non compos mentis      c. non sequitur      d. sine qua non
31. The phrase in memoriam refers to something that  
 a. has been done for a very long time      b. should be memorized  
 c. is done in memory of someone      d. has been memorized
32. An instruction to disregard a previous change by a proofreader:  
 a. sic      b. stet      c. per se      d. in re
33. The speaker was an authority on the Antebellum Era of American history.  
 a. between the World Wars      b. after the Cold War  
 c. pre-Civil War      d. during the Revolutionary War
34. Fans of the iPad consider it the \_\_\_\_\_ of technological convenience.  
 a. prima facie      b. sic transit gloria mundi      c. modus operandi      d. ne plus ultra
35. The phrase obiit sine prole indicates that the deceased had no  
 a. children      b. will      c. property      d. surviving relatives
36. An obiter dictum is  
 a. an opposing opinion      b. an incidental remark  
 c. a person's dying words      d. a judge's opinion
37. Which Latin phrase is used to describe a court case that is closed to the press and to the public?  
 a. suo iure      b. pro forma      c. sub verbo      d. in camera

#### **IV. Quotations**

38. Panem et circenses  
 a. Horace      b. Martial      c. Ovid      d. Juvenal
39. Forsan et haec olim meminisse iuvabit  
 a. Lucan      b. Vergil      c. Lucretius      d. Catullus
40. Animis Opibusque Parati  
 a. Cicero      b. St. Augustine      c. Vergil      d. Quintilian
41. Paete, non dolet  
 a. Tacitus      b. Livy      c. Sallust      d. Seneca
42. quot homines, tot sententiae  
 a. Plautus      b. Terence      c. Cato      d. Publilius Syrus

43. Roma, urbs aeterna  
a. Horace      b. Propertius      c. Tibullus      d. Ovid
44. vita non est vivere, sed valere vita est.  
a. Martial      b. Ennius      c. Pliny the Younger      d. Lucretius
45. Tanta est vis probitatis ut eam in hoste diligamus  
a. Livy      b. Quintilian      c. Cicero      d. Seneca
46. Ante senectutem curavi ut bene viverem; in senectute curavi ut bene moriar  
a. Publilius Syrus      b. Cicero      c. Cato      d. Seneca
47. Satis eloquentiae, sapientiae parum  
a. Cicero      b. Tacitus      c. Quintilian      d. Sallust
48. Graecia capta ferum victorem cepit.  
a. Horace      b. Caesar      c. Seneca      d. Cicero
49. Tolle, \_\_\_\_\_  
a. curre      b. audi      c. lege      d. veni
50. Si vis pacem, \_\_\_\_\_  
a. gere arma      b. para bellum      c. gratias age      d. verba fac