

Mottoes, Abbreviations, and Quotations
2023 FJCL Regional Forum

I. Phrases

1. A student who graduates “summa cum laude” has LITERALLY graduated
A. With highest praise B. Highest in the class
C. With the praise of the highest D. With loud applause
2. Which persons would say the quote, “Avē Imperātor, moritūrī tē salūtant”
A. Gladiators B. Senators C. Defeated Generals D. Equites
3. What does “Ars Gratia Artis”, the motto of MGM, translate to?
A. The Truth will set you free B. Art for Art’s Sake
C. Life is Short, Art is Long D. The Highest Form of Wisdom is Art
4. Translate this phrase: Ars longa, vita brevis
A. Art for Art’s Sake B. Art is long, life is short
C. Strength and Freedom D. To the Stars through Hope
5. Which phrase was said by the GOAT, Julius Caesar, when he crossed the Rubicon?
A. Veni, Vidi, Vici B. Alea iacta est
C. Ab Imo Pectore D. Divide et Impera
6. Which group would best use the phrase- “Nil desperandum”?
A. The winning Team at Homecoming during 3rd quarter
B. Teammates at the beginning of a FortNite game
C. The Losing Football team at Homecoming during 3rd quarter
D. A Minecraft player interacting with a Librarian
7. Translate this phrase- Mens sana in corpore sano
A. Healthy Men in a Healthy Core B. A sound corporation has sane people
C. Sanity and Health go hand in hand D. A Sound Mind in a Sound Body
8. “Memento mori” means:
A. Remember the dead B. Remember Ashes to Ashes and Dust to Dust
C. Remember your mortality D. Remember death
9. Which phrase, commonly used in ‘lawyer-ese’, means, ‘something for something’?
A. Noli Me Tangere B. Que Sera Sera C. Quid Pro Quo D. Q.E.D
10. “Expecto Patronum” might be heard in which situation?
A. When being attacked and hoping a guardian might appear
B. When in dispose in the Latrina
C. Going into a pediatrician’s office
D. Seeking guidance from a deity

II Mottoes

11. Translate "Ad Astra Per aspera"
 A. To the stars Through Hardships
 C. Always Adversity will lead to the Stars
 B. To the stars through Hope
 D. Astronauts Through Aspirations
12. What is the motto of Yale University?
 A. Lux et veritas B. Sapientia et doctrina C. Veritas D. Sapientia
13. Which branch of the United States Military has the phrase, "Semper fidelis", as it's motto?
 A. Marines B. Air Force C. Space Force D. Navy
14. Which state uses the motto, "Dum spiro, spero"?
 A. South Carolina B. New Hampshire C. South Dakota D. New Jersey
15. Which educational institution has two Latin mottos, one of which is "Sapientiae et Felicitatis"?
 A. Imperial College London B. Oxford C. Brown D. Cambridge
16. "Non sibi sed patriae" is a motto connected to which branch of the US Military?
 A. Marines B. Air Force C. Space Force D. Navy
17. "Cave Canem" is a motto that refers to what type of animal?
 A. Cat B. Shark C. Diplodocus D. Dog
18. What is the motto of New York?
 A. Artes, Scientia, Veritas B. Fortis et liber C. Excelsior D. Eureka
19. Which branch of the United States Military has the phrase, "Semper Supra", as it's motto?
 A. Marines B. Air Force C. Space Force D. Coast Guard
20. The phrase "E pluribus unum" is found on which countries monetary system?
 A. United Kingdom B. United States of America
 C. United Arab Emirates D. United Republic of Tanzania.

III. Abbreviations

21. What does the abbreviation "e.g." stand for in Latin?
 A. exempli gratia B. et cetera C. per se D. ad hominem
22. What does the abbreviation "i.e." stand for in Latin?
 A. id est B. et cetera C. per se D. ad hominem
23. What does the abbreviation "vs." stand for in Latin?
 A. Against B. Anti C. Viruses D. Verification of

24. What does the abbreviation "cf." stand for in Latin?
 A. confer B. et cetera C. per se D. ad hominem
25. What does the abbreviation "etc." mean?
 A. For Example B. And the Rest C. For Oneself D. To the Greater Good
26. What does the abbreviation "P.M." stand for?
 A. Afternoon B. Before Noon C. After Death D. Before the Egg
27. If an RX is written with the directions A.C - when should it be taken?
 A. With a meal B. Before Bedtime C. After a Meal D. Before a Meal
28. Which abbreviation means Three Times a Day?
 A. A.C B. BID C. TID D. QID
29. An ophthalmologist wrote about a defect in their patient's OD. Where is the defect?
 A. Right Eye B. Right Ear C. Left Arm D. Left Hand
30. What does the abbreviation 'Non Rep.' mean on sheet music?
 A. Quiet, not Loud B. Not Reproducible C. Do Not Copy D. Do Not Repeat

IV Quotations

31. What author is the quote, "Avē Imperātor, moritūrī tē salūtant", attributed to?
 A. Suetonius B. Virgil C. Sallust D. Catullus
32. Cogito, ergo sum
 A. Descartes B. Marcus Aurelius C. Catullus D. Ovid Naso
33. Carpe diem
 A. Seneca B. Horace C. Juvenal D. Martial
34. Which two word phrase was adopted as a motto by both Augustus and Titus?
 A. Exempli Gratia B. Carpe Diem C. Ditat Deus D. Festina lente
35. Who wrote the phrase, "Mens sana in corpore sano"?
 A. Varius B. Terentius C. Juvenal D. Cicero
36. In Vino Veritas
 A. Ennius B. Pliny C. Pollio D. Cassius
37. Nec verbum verbo curabis reddere fidus interpres
 A. Seneca B. Horace C. Juvenal D. Martial
38. Rident stolidi verba Latina
 A. Julius Caesar B. Marcus Aurelius C. Catullus D. Ovid

39. Audentis Fortuna iuvat

- A. Suetonius B. Virgil C. Sallust D. Catullus

40. Difficile est tenere quae acceperis nisi exerceas

- A. Ennius B. Pliny C. Pollio D. Cassius

V. Translate these Quotes

41. Veni, Vidi, Vici

- A. I came, I saw, I conquered B. Good Morning, Good Evening, Good Night
C. Beware the Doggo D. I am therefore I think

42. Cogito, ergo sum

- A. Thinking causes Being B. I think therefore I am
C. Cogs before Wheels D. I am therefore I am Kind

43. Carpe diem

- A. Seize the Night B. Seize the Booty C. Seize the Day D. Seize Life

44. Festina Lente

- A. Festival of Sadness B. Be Happy, slowly C. Infesting with Sloth D. Hurry Slowly

45. R.I.P

- A. Requiescat in Pacem B. Resistance is Futile
C. Peace in all things D. Rest In Peace

46. A Mare Usque Ad Mare

- A. From Horse to Horse B. Fortune Favors the Brave
C. From Sea To Sea D. From Love To Love

47. Nec verbum verbo curabis reddere fidus interpres

- A. It is difficult to retain what you may have learned unless you should practice it
B. As a true translator you will take care not to translate word for word
C. Fools laugh at the Latin language
D. I will not speak word by word to create your faith

48. Rident stolidi verba Latina

- A. Romans laugh at stupid Latin words B. Be confident - laugh at your own silly words
C. Fools laugh at the Latin language D. The Latin Language is big, vast and ridiculous

49. Audentis Fortuna iuvat

- A. Resistance is Futile B. Fools laugh at the Latin language
C. Letting it get to you means you are alive D. Fortune Favors the Brave

50. Difficile est tenere quae acceperis nisi exerceas

- A. without thoughtfulness B. unless you should practice it
C. if you do not prove D. because he is neverending