

## 2008 FJCL State Latin Forum Greek Derivatives

### Part I. Prefixes/Suffixes.

1. Which suffix means "inflammation?"  
a. -plasty                      b. -itis                      c. -logy                      d. -algia
2. What is the meaning of the prefix "eu-?"  
a. from                      b. good                      c. single                      d. towards
3. What is the meaning of the prefix "dia-?"  
a. against                      b. for                      c. through                      d. off
4. What does the suffix "-pathy" mean?  
a. quality of                      b. rule by                      c. suffering                      d. writing
5. What is the meaning of the prefix "meta-?"  
a. after                      b. inside                      c. down                      d. together

### Part II. Identify the meaning of the Greek word at the root of each of these words.

6. architect  
a. old                      b. construct                      c. plan                      d. rule
7. glossary  
a. shine                      b. tongue                      c. many                      d. definition
8. barometer  
a. heavy                      b. wind                      c. harmful                      d. weather
9. ballistic  
a. orb                      b. weapon                      c. shoot                      d. throw
10. necropolis  
a. fort                      b. cemetery                      c. dead                      d. land
11. anatomy  
a. cut up                      b. connect                      c. expose                      d. interact
12. pyorrhea  
a. heat                      b. fire                      c. pus                      d. wound
13. rhinoceros  
a. mouth                      b. nose                      c. huge                      d. skin





45. Something that is anthropomorphic is like \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. an animal                      b. a worm                      c. an invertebrate                      d. a man
46. Dipsomania is a madness over which of these?  
a. dancing                      b. thirst                      c. swimming                      d. sun
47. Based on its root, which of these activities is considered an enterprise?  
a. piracy                      b. government                      c. marriage                      d. athletics
48. Economics comes from a Greek root meaning \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. saving                      b. finances                      c. household                      d. politics
49. Psychology is the study of \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. mind                      b. love                      c. fear                      d. city
50. The gemstone that comes from the Greek for hoof or fingernail is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. topaz                      b. agate                      c. onyx                      d. amethyst