

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2016
LATIN DERIVATIVES I

I. Choose the word that means the same as the underlined word.

1. At the event, we were shocked at the paucity of attendees.
a. rudeness b. scarcity c. number d. wealth
2. We saw the old hermit living penuriously, and wondered if money could be stashed under the mattress.
a. miserly b. extravagantly c. richly d. wastefully
3. The guards always seemed to be ubiquitous on big days.
a. not seen b. ill c. everywhere d. lazy
4. Our decision to estivate in Maine was the best ever!
a. sail b. bicycle c. mountain climb d. summer
5. The native riparian area was always calm and peaceful for an afternoon stroll.
a. tree filled b. shady c. riverbank d. flowery
6. The crowd was not expecting such a dismal day.
a. Light filled b. dreary c. dazzling d. warm
7. The pugnacious students were actually very bright.
a. shy b. fighting c. errant d. demanding
8. The loquacious habits of the student were well known and annoying to the teacher
a. quiet b. polite c. talkative d. compulsive
9. The dinosaur's mandible had been crushed by the falling tree.
a. neck b. front foot c. jawbone d. backbone
10. The word dativ, as in the dative case in Latin, comes from the word that means_____.
a. add b. give c. indirect d. vendor

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

11. egregious
a. herd b. step c. helpful d. graceful
12. ancillary
a. troops b. slave girl c. hair d. angle

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| 13. mollify | a. make | b. hill | c. ravine | d. soft |
| 14. advocate | a. advice | b. voice | c. avoid | d. vital |
| 15. itinerary | a. journey | b. go | c. return | d. baggage |
| 16. suffocate | a. narrow | b. make | c. throat | d. open |
| 17. avuncular | a. uncle | b. throat | c. ravine | d. aunt |
| 18. peril | a. crime | b. trial | c. deception | d. home |
| 19. columbine | a. dove | b. neck | c. column | d. niche |
| 20. ridicule | a. ride | b. annoy | c. laugh | d. absurd |

III. Choose the English word that is derived from the given Latin word

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| 21. mitto | a. misery | b. mission | c. wall | d. threat |
| 22. lex | a. hill | b. neck | c. legal | d. libel |
| 23. ago | a. fragile | b. time | c. actor | d. gentle |
| 24. sto | a. establish | b. stolid | c. absent | d. wrong |
| 25. curro | a. disavow | b. recurrent | c. adjourn | d. accurate |
| 26. annus | a. tiangular | b. superannuate | c. angel | d. announce |

V. Select the word that does not belong by derivation.

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| 41. a. monolith | b. admonish | c. monster | d. monitor |
| 42. a. accelerate | b. celerity | c. excel | d. deceleration |
| 43. a. concoct | b. crescent | c. precocious | d. apricot |
| 44. a. compound | b. expose | c. possible | d. postage |
| 45. a. scrutiny | b. besiege | c. preside | d. session |
| 46. a. acculturate | b. cultural | c. horticulture | d. colander |
| 47. a. aggregate | b. grief | c. gravity | d. aggravate |
| 48. a. ewer | b. aquatics | c. aquiline | d. sewage |
| 49. a. pacific | b. fault | c. glorify | d. facet |
| 50. a. amble | b. amiable | c. enmity | d. enamor |