

**REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2004**  
**DERIVATIVES II**

**I. Choose the response which means the same as the underlined word or best completes the sentence.**

1. Their aberrant behavior drew our attention to them.  
a. deviant b. docile c. decorous d. disciplined
2. Have you ever seen a more gregarious individual?  
a. competitive b. considerate c. social d. lethargic
3. Which of the following would be located in the ventral part of the body?  
a. stomach b. nose c. finger d. ear
4. The general held a hortative position in the military.  
a. reconnaissance b. advisory b. training d. recruitment
5. The man's organizational skills overshadowed his diffidence.  
a. enthusiasm b. eccentricities c. arrogance d. shyness
6. An emollient would be used to  
a. clean out a wound. b. increase a paycheck. c. scrub the sink.  
d. soften the skin.
7. Many thought the young woman rather ingenuous.  
a. clever b. naïve c. insincere d. annoying
8. The doctor examined his wounds, especially the one located on his sinciput.  
a. elbow b. wrist c. shoulder d. forehead
9. Lapidarists tried to levigate the stone.  
a. polish b. improve c. market d. cut
10. A precentor would most likely be  
a. managing financial portfolios. b. choreographing a musical.  
c. leading a choir. d. planning activities at a retirement home.

**II. Choose the English word which is derived from the given Latin word.**

11. moror  
a. mortal b. moratorium c. morass d. morose
12. opto  
a. optimist b. optician c. option d. opulence

13. scio  
a. rescind b. transcend c. plebiscite d. scrivener
14. gradior  
a. aggrandize b. aggravate c. aggression d. aggregate
15. senex  
a. nonsense b. desire c. severe d. surly
16. portus  
a. important b. portion c. portico d. opportunity
17. fallo  
a. faulty b. falter c. falcon d. fallow
18. cerno  
a. discretion b. creature c. accredit d. crevice
19. spina  
a. porcupine b. spinach c. pineapple d. spinnaker
20. iaceo  
a. subject b. gist c. jetty d. citation

**III. Identify the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.**

21. pity  
a. pingo b. pestis c. pius d. peto
22. sectarian  
a. seco b. sequor c. cetera d. cura
23. accrue  
a. credo b. acer c. crux d. cresco
24. exaggeration  
a. ago b. gero c. agger d. gigno
25. supple  
a. placo b. placeo c. plico d. ploro
26. violence  
a. vir b. odi c. oleo d. vis

- 27. original  
a. genus b. orior c. gens d. oro
- 28. ally  
a. ligo b. lego c. ludo d. levo
- 29. parsimonious  
a. parco b. paro c. pareo d. pario
- 30. sullen  
a. sol b. solum c. solve d. solus

**IV. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.**

- 31. superfluous  
a. flower b. blow c. weep d. flow
- 32. adolescent  
a. nourish b. give c. grief d. smell
- 33. adulterate  
a. mature b. other c. high d. avenge
- 34. compliance  
a. full b. beat c. lead d. more
- 35. attain  
a. hold b. stretch c. touch d. try
- 36. complaisant  
a. level b. praise c. please d. bend
- 37. route  
a. rule b. stream c. root d. break
- 38. cheat  
a. fall b. kill c. take d. yield
- 39. situation  
a. perceive b. allow c. sit d. protect
- 40. ministry  
a. stand b. less c. go d. save

V. Choose the word which does NOT belong by derivation.

41. a. pluperfect b. surplus c. plunger d. plural
42. a. age b. agility c. cogent d. coagulate
43. a. transpire b. spree c. sprite d. spirit
44. a. postulate b. opponent c. juxtaposition d. posture
45. a. conquest b. exquisite c. query d. squire
46. a. dispassionate b. trespass c. impatient d. compatible
47. a. victual b. viand c. vitamin d. victim
48. a. volubility b. vault c. voluptuary d. volume
49. a. exorbitant b. manure c. inure d. operative
50. a. defer b. interfere c. inference d. vociferous