

1984 STATE LATIN FORUM
DERIVATIVES II TEST

Choose the best meaning.

1. stanchion A. stubbornness B. pillar C. pride D. leg iron
2. sediment A. relaxation B. remains C. settling to the bottom
D. tastelessness
3. cadence A. fall of the voice B. tone C. monologue D. tune
4. cohesion A. scar B. sticking together C. surgical procedure
D. melting
5. attrition A. influence B. gaining rapidly C. disappearance
D. wearing away
6. victual A. aid B. illusion C. food D. lifeline
7. acrid A. sharp tasting B. emphatic C. appealing
D. thoughtlessness
8. allegretto A. thin B. false step C. monotone d. lively
9. alleviate A. increase B. deaden C. lighten D. camouflage
10. compunction A. thwarting action B. uneasy conscience C. needle
point D. incision
11. perspicacious A. unattractive B. nosy C. discerning
D. offensive
12. deportment A. carrying case B. panel C. pathway D. behavior
13. ameliorate A. attempt B. negate C. approve D. improve
14. impede A. spur onward B. attack C. hinder D. release
15. obsequious A. retentive B. submissive C. invented
D. rebellious
16. placebo A. prescription B. pacifier C. preference
D. windfall

17. ramifications A. minor details B. exclusions C. definition
D. branching out
18. dolorous A. boring B. grievous C. excruciating
D. irritating
19. ambivalent A. two faced B. phony C. having mixed feelings
D. trustworthy
20. incipient A. attacking B. beginning C. resounding
D. approaching

21. intramural A. between two schools B. within a school C. over the wall D. beyond the proper limits
22. claustrophobia A. fear of heights B. fear of fire C. fear of being shut in D. hatred of prejudice
23. indubitably A. within preparation B. incorrectly C. unexplained D. without doubt
24. collaboration A. cheating B. working together C. conferring D. corresponding
25. monitor A. one who protects B. one who warns C. one who oversees D. impersonator
26. decadence A. collapsing into ruin B. failure C. finding inadequacy d. means of escape
27. indolent A. resentful B. lazy C. inadequate D. sullen

All but one of the following words are derived from the same Latin root. Which does not belong?

28. A. projection B. adjacent C. trajectory D. eject
29. A. retentive B. tenacious C. tenuous D. tentacle
30. A. fictitious B. factotum C. effect d. nullify
31. A. prelude B. ludicrous C. elusive D. preclude
32. A. pedestrian B. impediment C. pedantic D. pedal
33. A. current B. curator C. cursive D. recur
34. A. audacious B. audible C. auditorium D. audiovisual
35. A. preamble B. ambulance C. ambivalent D. ambulatory
36. A. incipient B. receptacle C. captivity d. capillary
37. A. decadent B. incognito C. occasion D. cascade

Choose the Latin word from which the English word is derived.

38. compassion A. pateo B. patior C. patefacio d. passus
39. despicable A. desum B. specto C. desidero D. spero
40. anticipate A. caedo B. cado C. pateo D. capio
41. obsession A. sedeo B. oppugno C. sto D. cedo
42. cognitive A. cogo B. nosco C. ignis D. ago
43. equation A. equus B. qualis C. eques D. aequus
44. concupiscence A. capio B. cupio C. incipio D. specto

45. repugnant A. pello B. pendo C. pugno D. repleo
46. indoctrinate A. doceo B. duco C. dico d. cogo
47. pellucid A. possum B. pello C. lux D. loquor
48. persecute A. sedeo B. sequor C. respicio D. perscribo
49. circumlocution A. loco B. colloco C. circumdo D. loquor
50. cursory A. cura B. cura C. carus D. curro