

## FLORIDA JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE 1989 FORUM

## DERIVATIVES I

## SECTION I. 1 - 10.

Identify the Latin root of the given derivative.

1. amount
  - a. moneo
  - b. mons
  - c. munio
  - d. munus
2. annals
  - a. angustus
  - b. animus
  - c. annus
  - d. antiquus
3. author
  - a. acta
  - b. audacia
  - c. audio
  - d. augeo
4. cargo
  - a. carcer
  - b. carrus
  - c. circus
  - d. cursus
5. courage
  - a. cor
  - b. corpus
  - c. cupio
  - d. curo
6. doubt
  - a. debedo
  - b. disco
  - c. do
  - d. dubito
7. equitable
  - a. aequus
  - b. equus
  - c. quattuor
  - d. quies
8. homage
  - a. amo
  - b. emo
  - c. hiems
  - d. homo
9. illusion
  - a. iubeo
  - b. ius
  - c. ludo
  - d. lux
10. praiseworthy
  - a. praemium
  - b. praesum
  - c. prenso
  - d. pretium

## SECTION II. 11 - 20.

Identify the word which does NOT derive from the given Latin root.

11. genus
  - a. congenital
  - b. degenerate
  - c. generic
  - d. insurgent
12. mater
  - a. maternity
  - b. matrix
  - c. matron
  - d. maturity
13. nomen
  - a. ignominy
  - b. misnomer
  - c. nonsense
  - d. renown
14. fortis
  - a. comforter
  - b. effort
  - c. fortress
  - d. misfortune
15. mediocris
  - a. commodity
  - b. intermediary
  - c. mediocrity
  - d. moiety

16. par

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| a. comparative | b. disparaging |
| c. irreparable | d. peerless    |

17. habeo

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| a. enable | b. habituate | c. obey | d. rehabilitate |
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18. lego

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| a. complication | b. diligence |
| c. election     | d. legend    |

19. maneo

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| a. manumission | b. menagerie | c. permanence | d. remnant |
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20. mitto

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| a. demise | b. misery | c. missive | d. permission |
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## SECTION III. 21 - 25.

Identify the two words in each of the following questions which share a common Latin root.

21. The word "ceiling" derives from the same Latin root as the word

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| a. casual | b. celestial |
| c. civil  | d. culinary  |

22. The word "grace" derives from the same Latin root as the word

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| a. aggravation | b. agreement |
| c. grief       | d. pedigree  |

23. The word "obliterate" derives from the same Latin root as the word

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| a. lateral | b. laterite | c. literate | d. littoral |
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24. The word "oriole" derives from the same Latin root as the word

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| a. adorable | b. auriferous | c. laureate | d. orifice |
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25. The word "pantry" derives from the same Latin root as the word

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| a. company | b. parson | c. patron | d. spaniel |
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## SECTION IV. 26 - 35.

Identify the correct meaning of the underlined derivative.

26. She made an acrid remark before leaving the room.

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| a. bitter | b. insightful | c. mysterious | d. unexpected |
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27. The children have been unusually docile lately.

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| a. deceitful          | b. easy to teach |
| c. hard to understand | d. unhappy       |

28. He is an incorrigible scamp.

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| a. intolerable | b. irresistible   |
| c. unconscious | d. uncontrollable |

29. Her behavior was magnanimous.

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| a. appropriate | b. generous |
| c. influential | d. mature   |

30. Please don't be so petulant.  
a. careless      b. childish      c. demanding      d. vengeful

31. She was quick to admonish them.  
a. complement      b. punish      c. recognize      d. remind

32. What must I do to appease you?  
a. convince      b. dissuade      c. impress      d. pacify

33. The prefix of that word has been assimilated.  
a. changed in spelling to resemble the base  
b. lost in the process of linguistic evolution  
c. used in conjunction with yet another prefix  
d. used to express an atypical meaning

34. This was not something we had expected to attain.  
a. add                  b. manage  
c. reach                d. supervise

35. He was unable to suppress the report.  
a. approve      b. furnish      c. restrain      d. understand

SECTION V. 36 - 40.

Identify the word in each of the following sets which is NOT correctly matched to its Latin root.



**SECTION VI. 41 - 50.**

Identify the meaning of the Latin root for the given derivative.

41. desecrated  
    a. holy       b. lonely       c. safe       d. second

42. maritime  
    a. sea       b. timber       c. war       d. wedlock

43. omnipotent  
    a. be able     b. carry       c. drink       d. take possession of

44. peregrine  
    a. distinction   b. field       c. king       d. need

45. viable  
    a. life       b. street       c. turn       d. watch

46. endow  
    a. give       b. mourn       c. sleep       d. tame
47. essay (the verb)  
    a. do       b. jump       c. keep       d. know
48. inspire  
    a. breathe    b. hope       c. promise     d. watch
49. inter (the verb)  
    a. back       b. boundary    c. earth       d. fear
50. surround  
    a. burden     b. top        c. wave        d. wheel