

FJCL STATE LATIN FORUM 1993

HEPTATHLON

I. Vocabulary

1. What is a synonym of aperio?
a. claudio b. coepi c. postulo d. patefacio
2. What is a synonym of ineptus?
a. amens b. stultus c. improbus d. eruditus
3. What is an antonym of pereo?
a. vivo b. ludo c. noceo d. secerno
4. What is an antonym of exiguus?
a. universus b. perfidus c. copiosus d. ignotus
5. Which does NOT belong by meaning?
a. aedes b. delubrum c. templum d. facinus
6. Which does NOT belong by meaning?
a. consilium b. consuetudo c. institutum d. mos
7. Which does NOT belong by meaning?
a. exitium b. supplicium c. interitus d. perniciēs

II. Derivatives

8. "Degrade" derives from gradus; so does
a. progress. b. aggregate. c. aggrandize. d. gesture.
9. "Ascertain" derives from cerno; so does
a. credible. b. concrete. c. discreet. d. decrease.
10. "Morsel" derives from mordeo; so does
a. cormorant. b. humor. c. maraschino. d. remorse.
11. The meaning of the Latin verb from which we derive "county":
a. go b. consult c. establish d. govern
12. The meaning of the Latin verb from which we derive "flourish":
a. flower b. flow c. beat d. bend
13. Which of the following is NOT derived from caleo?
a. calorie b. chalice c. cauldron d. nonchalant
14. Which of the following is NOT derived from unda?
a. abound b. redundant c. surround d. pungent

III. Grammar

15. Which of the following can NOT agree grammatically with magnae?
a. manu b. rei c. domus d. matris
16. Choose the best translation of the underlined words in the following sentence: "The man was rather brave."
a. fortior b. fortiorem c. fortissimus d. fortem
17. Choose the best translation of the underlined word in the following sentence: "He was like his father."
a. patris b. pater c. patre d. patrem
18. Choose the Latin phrase which is closest in meaning to the underlined words: "Consilio capto, coniurati discesserunt."
a. consilio capiente b. ut consilium cepissent
c. cum consilium cepissent d. utinam consilium capiant
19. Choose the best translation of the following sentence: "Let us resist the plot of the enemy."
a. Insidiam hostium resistemus.
b. Insidias hostium resisteremus.
c. Insidiae hostium resistere nobis licet.
d. Insidiis hostium resistamus.
20. Which of the following is NOT an equivalent of "Venisti ut rem curares"?
a. Venisti rem curatum. b. Venisti rei curandae causā.
c. Venisti qui rem curetis. d. Venisti ad rem curandam.
21. Choose the best translation for the following sentence: "The soldiers were ordered to pitch camp."
a. Milites imperati sunt ut castra ponerent.
b. Militibus imperatum est qui castra ponerent.
c. Milites imperati sunt qui castra ponerent.
d. Militibus imperatum est ut castra ponerent.

IV. Customs

22. What term was used for volunteer gladiators?
a. auctorati b. essedarii c. doctores d. lanistae
23. With what event are "sponsa" and "dos" associated?
a. weddings b. drinking parties c. funerals
d. gladiatorial combats
24. The tunica lati clavi was worn by
a. senators. b. candidates. c. equestrians.
d. young boys.
25. Which of the following would most likely use an oven?
a. amanuensis b. pistoris c. camilli d. tabellarii

26. Which type of cloak would usually be worn by a general?
a. lacerna b. laena c. paludamentum d. sagum
27. Which of the following was NOT a type of vehicle?
a. carruca b. carpentum c. causia d. cisium
28. In which month would the Nones fall on the seventh?
a. April b. July c. September d. February

V. Mottoes, Abbreviations, and Quotations

29. The motto of the AFL-CIO:
a. Scientia, integritas b. Mens et manus
c. Labor omnia vincit d. Laborare et scientia
30. When a doctor writes the abbreviation p.o. on a prescription, he wants you to take it
a. by mouth. b. after eating. c. at bedtime.
d. as needed.
31. Identify the author of the poem which contains the famous line "Ave atque vale":
a. Catullus b. Lucretius c. Vergil d. Horace
32. Which author wrote about "panem et circenses"?
a. Martial b. Terence c. Plautus d. Juvenal
33. The motto of both the University of Michigan and UNLV:
a. Veritas cum libertate b. Artes, Scientia, Veritas
c. Scientia et Pietas d. Artes, Scientias, Humanitates
34. Who wrote "Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori"?
a. Propertius b. Horace c. Ovid d. Tibullus
35. Choose the phrase which best describes a careful person:
a. errare est humanum b. bona fide
c. festina lente d. carpe diem

VI. History

36. Which of the following did NOT occur in 63 B.C.?
a. the Catilinarian conspiracy b. the birth of Octavian
c. the consulship of Cicero d. the revolt of Spartacus
37. Which of the following correctly matches the general to his victory?
a. Germanicus/Teutoberg Forest b. Marius/Arausio
c. Caesar/Alesia d. Pompey/Philippi

38. Everyone knows Hannibal brought elephants to Italy to use in his war with Rome. But the Romans had met elephants before, when they fought against
a. Pyrrhus. b. Hamilcar. c. Philip V. d. Hiero.
39. Which of the following correctly matches the female leader to the land she ruled?
a. Zenobia/Palmyra b. Teuta/Syria
c. Boudicca/Illyria d. Julia Mamaea/Britain
40. Which of the following battles, fought during the Second Punic War, resulted in a Roman victory?
a. Cannae b. Trasimene c. Ilipa d. Trebia
41. Which emperor used the title "dominus et deus"?
a. Nero b. Domitian c. Diocletian d. Constantine
42. Who was made emperor by the Praetorian Guard?
a. Tiberius b. Vespasian c. Nero d. Claudius

VII. Mythology

43. Which of the following was an ally of Aeneas?
a. Camilla b. Evander c. Juturna d. Mezentius
44. Itys, who was served up to his father for dinner, is found in the story of
a. Pyramus and Thisbe. b. Pygmalion and Galatea.
c. Pegasus and Bellerophon. d. Philomela and Procne.
45. Which of the following is another name for Herakles?
a. Iphicles b. Alcides c. Iolaus d. Alcippe
46. Whom did Andromache marry after Troy fell?
a. Helenus b. Antenor c. Diomedes d. Rhesus
47. Who lost a musical contest with Apollo and was flogged?
a. Pan b. Orpheus c. Marsyas d. Demodocus
48. Which of the following was NOT one of the Eumenides?
a. Alecto b. Tisiphone c. Megaera d. Lachesis
49. Which of the following was NOT named Creusa?
a. first wife of Aeneas b. daughter of Tantalus
c. fiancée of Jason d. mother of Ion
50. Take the number of Muses times the number of grandchildren Augustus had minus the number of Graeae divided by the number of Cornelia's "gems." The result will be
a. 21 b. 16 c. 12 d. 9