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MOTTOES, ABBREVIATIONS, AND QUOTATIONS

I. Abbreviations

1. The D.M.V. tells you to begin giving your cat medicine C.N.S. When do you give the medication?
a. after dinner b. tomorrow night c. before dinner
d. in the morning
2. If the D.M.V. gives you a tube with "place O.D." on the label, where should you place the ointment?
a. on his right paw b. on his tail
c. in his right eye d. on his neck
3. The doctor also gives you a bottle of pills with "one q.d." on the label. How many pills a day should your cat receive?
a. 1 b. 2 c. 3 d. 4
4. "Stat" means
a. let it remain. b. pay attention. c. immediately.
d. indefinitely.
5. The "p" in p.a. stands for
a. per. b. post. c. pro. d. priori.
6. ~~in the~~ place cited
a. n.e.s. b. loc. cit. c. op. cit. d. verb. sat.
7. Which of the following is NOT abbreviated "a.m."?
a. anno mundi b. ante meridiem c. artium magister
d. ante mutatis
8. to the Supreme Deity
a. D.N.P.P. b. d.s.p. c. d.v.p. d. D.O.M.
9. Which abbreviation is the equivalent of "knock on wood"?
a. b.q. b. d.v. c. n.p. d. a.r.
10. Which abbreviation would a Roman have used in a letter?
a. V.D.M. b. O.M.C. c. S.D. d. S.R.E.

II. Mottoes

11. Which of the following is NOT associated with the United States?
a. Iustitia omnibus b. Annuit coeptis
c. Novus ordo seclorum d. E pluribus unum

12. Which of the following does NOT have a motto containing the word veritas?
 - a. John Hopkins University
 - b. University of Michigan
 - c. DePauw University
 - d. Yale University
13. "Light and Law" is the motto of
 - a. Amherst College.
 - b. Howard University.
 - c. University of North Dakota.
 - d. Berkeley.
14. Which state has a motto longer than two words?
 - a. New Mexico
 - b. Idaho
 - c. Arizona
 - d. Oregon
15. Which state includes its physical geography in its motto?
 - a. Colorado
 - b. Michigan
 - c. Kansas
 - d. Massachusetts
16. Which two organizations have the same motto?
 - a. U.S. Marine Corps and the U.S. Navy
 - b. U.S. Army and the Royal Air Force
 - c. U.S. Coast Guard and the Boy Scouts of America
 - d. the Olympics and the U.S. Air Force
17. Which state has a motto containing an infinitive?
 - a. Colorado
 - b. South Carolina
 - c. Alabama
 - d. Wyoming
18. "Pro ecclesia et patria" is the motto of
 - a. Trinity College.
 - b. Mercer University.
 - c. Rollins College.
 - d. Brooklyn College.
19. Light is a common theme in college mottoes. Which of the following uses the verb irradio?
 - a. Howard University
 - b. Columbia University
 - c. University of Mississippi
 - d. Amherst College
20. Which state has as its motto the exclamation of the Greek scientist Archimedes when he discovered the law of specific gravity?
 - a. California
 - b. New Mexico
 - c. Arizona
 - d. Idaho
21. The motto of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy:
 - a. Pro deo et patria
 - b. Scientiae credit mare
 - c. In luce tua videmus lucem
 - d. Labor omnia vincit
22. Which institution has a motto with a present participle?
 - a. University of Nebraska
 - b. University of the South
 - c. Brooklyn College
 - d. Dartmouth College
23. Which institution sets no temporal boundaries to learning?
 - a. Hunter College
 - b. University of Vermont
 - c. New York University
 - d. City College of New York

24. Which school has the same motto as Columbia University?
a. Wilfred Laurier University b. Duke University
c. Ohio Wesleyan University d. University of Wisconsin
25. Which state's motto can be used as an example of alliteration?
a. Kansas b. Maryland c. West Virginia
d. Mississippi

III. Phrases

26. Which of the following is NOT a medical expression?
a. hora somni b. recipe c. capiat d. pro tempore
27. "I simply have to have it! It is a _____"
a. sine die b. sine qua non c. ipso facto
d. modus operandi
28. I'm from Missouri; show me!
a. Facilis descensus Averno
b. Faber quisque fortunae suae
c. Facit indignatio versum
d. Facta non verba
29. His bark is worse than his bite.
a. Dente lupus, cornu taurus petit.
b. A cane non magno saepe tenetur aper.
c. Canis timidus vehementius latrat quam mordet.
d. Sedit qui timuit ne non succederet.
30. A busybody is a(n)
a. ex auricula asinum. b. quid nunc. c. mala herba.
d. vulpem in corde gerit.
31. Which of the following describes a person holding a grudge?
a. aeternum servans sub pectore vulnus
b. anguis in herba
c. argumentum ex silentio
d. pons asinorum
32. Out of sight, out of mind.
a. Absens haeres non erit.
b. Abiit ad maiores.
c. Ab ovo usque ad mala.
d. Aliquando et insanere iucundum est.
33. Term for an illegitimate child:
a. homo ferus b. filius nullius c. filius terrae
d. homo latinissimum

34. The term for treachery:
a. fidus Achates b. in flagrante delicto
c. Punica fides d. pugnus et calcibus
35. What goes around comes around.
a. Factum fieri infectum non potest.
b. Ut sementem feceris ita metes.
c. Tarditas et procrastinatio odiosa est.
d. Risu ineptu res ineptior nulla est.
36. Gutta cavat lapidem _____
a. sed non frangitur. b. hora dissolvit.
c. consumitur anulus usu. d. non obducitur musco.
37. Nullum magnum ingenium sine _____
a. certamina divitiarum. b. amore. c. amicitia.
d. mixtura dementia fuit.
38. Idem per idem is indicative of
a. a circular argument. b. boredom.
c. a profitable investment. d. ignorance.
39. Which phrase could be used in connection with the doings of Cinderella's fairy godmother?
a. in nuce b. in limine c. in nubibus
d. in ictu oculi
40. Which phrase is used by Juvenal to refer to someone who will stoop to any skullduggery to make a living?
a. Graeculus esuriens b. malum in se
c. ignoti nulla cupido d. homo ludens

IV. Quotations

41. Errare est humanum.
a. Ovid b. Seneca c. Horace d. Vergil
42. Quis custodiet ipsos custodes?
a. Juvenal b. Martial c. Tacitus d. Plautus
43. Dictum sapienti sat est.
a. Lucretius b. Cicero c. Terence d. Ovid
44. Tanta molis erat Romanam condere gentem.
a. Livy b. Vergil c. Cicero d. Seneca
45. Nullum saeculum magnis ingeniis clausum est.
a. Seneca b. Cicero c. Catullus d. Juvenal
46. Qui non est hodie cras minus aptus erit.
a. Cicero b. Augustus c. Ovid d. Seneca

47. Inhumanitas omni aetate molesta est.
a. Trajan b. Lucretius c. Varro d. Cicero
48. Dis aliter visum.
a. Catullus b. Horace c. Ovid d. Vergil
49. Disce ut doceas.
a. Alcuin of York b. Descartes c. Petrarch d. Bacon
50. Perfer et obdura; dolor hic tibi proderit olim.
a. Vergil b. Martial c. Ovid d. Horace