

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 1996

DERIVATIVES I

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

1. What would be found in an aviary?
a. monkeys b. bees c. birds d. wolves
2. The candidate gave an irascible response to his opponent's question.
a. humorous b. angry c. knowledgeable d. unfortunate
3. Not being a divinity, I cannot be everywhere at the same time.
a. ubiquitous b. ingratiating c. perfidious
d. omniscient
4. Banks deal with _____ matters.
a. pecuniary b. legendary c. arboreal d. affiliate
5. Eggs contain _____ life.
a. incipient b. prescient c. unconscionable
d. providential
6. The young novice rebelled at her cloistered existence.
a. poor b. uninteresting c. confined
d. subservient
7. The lawyer questioned the witness pertinaciously.
a. arrogantly. b. steadfastly. c. carefully.
d. antagonistically
8. Will a traffic signal at this intersection _____ the need for a school guard?
a. deviate b. circumvent c. facilitate d. obviate
9. She went about her daily affairs with a bovine temperament.
a. unemotional b. frustrated c. harassed
d. irritated
10. In her early years she was a fractious child.
a. delicate b. sickly c. difficult d. withdrawn

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

11. militia
a. milia b. timeo c. miles d. litus
12. pacify
a. pax b. pauci c. passus d. par

13. villain
a. villosus b. vilis c. villa d. vilicus
14. itinerary
a. inter b. item c. iterum d. iter
15. matrix
a. maturo b. mater c. matutinus d. materia
16. viceroy
a. rogo b. rex c. res d. rideo
17. conjecture
a. iuvo b. conicio c. coniungo d. iaceo
18. interment
a. tres b. terreo c. terminus d. terra
19. gesture
a. gens b. gero c. genus d. ago
20. essential
a. sum b. senex c. sentio d. sine

III. Choose the meaning of the Latin root from which the given English word is derived.

21. malign
a. bad b. large c. speak d. curse
22. sewer
a. ditch b. water c. lead d. river
23. citadel
a. wall b. build c. citizen d. shut
24. agenda
a. agree b. do c. compel d. field
25. unable
a. have b. power c. war d. sail
26. cursor
a. show b. point c. care d. run
27. edifice
a. eat b. increase c. instruct d. make
28. emancipation
a. free b. make c. hand d. remain

29. dessert
a. slave b. guard c. fail d. god

30. sluice
a. play b. sun c. forest d. close

IV. Choose the word which has the same Latin root as the given word.

31. friar
a. fragile b. friction c. fraternity d. friable

32. ferocious
a. ferment b. fiancé c. fertilize d. fierce

33. dubious
a. doubtless b. duplicity c. dowry d. dual

34. monitor
a. amount b. admonish c. monitory d. tantamount

35. duke
a. induct b. edict c. duo d. edible

36. regulation
a. interrogation b. regurgitate c. rectify
d. religious

37. reaction
a. read b. reagent c. reach d. reality

38. habit
a. hibernate b. haven c. prohibit d. adhere

39. comfort
a. perforate b. fortress c. fortuitous d. chloroform

40. mental
a. menace b. mendacious c. menial d. mention

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

41. a. coerce b. acrid c. vinegar d. eager

42. a. lexicon b. legal c. legible d. legislature

43. a. lapidary b. lapel c. dilapidated d. lapidarist

44. a. statue b. stance c. superstitious d. stipulate

45. a. permanent b. remnant c. remain d. permeate

46. a. actor b. assay c. adage d. ambiguity
47. a. expound b. opponent c. ponder d. position
48. a. facetious b. factory c. facsimile d. faculty
49. a. rosemary b. cormorant c. marine d. marital
50. a. dominant b. dungeon c. dangerous d. damage