

FJCL STATE LATIN FORUM 2001

LATIN DERIVATIVES I

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

1. avocation
a. relax b. call c. wish d. fly
2. patriot
a. patience b. father c. endure d. hearth
3. vitiate
a. fault b. man c. life d. road
4. date
a. suffer b. owe c. give d. doubt
5. paucity
a. peace b. poverty c. few d. part
6. libretto
a. pleasure b. free c. children d. book
7. culpable
a. blame b. seize c. desire d. run
8. premonition
a. warn b. remain c. fortify d. send
9. tantamount
a. such b. so much c. top d. safe
10. adieu
a. tooth b. day c. god d. master

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

11. video
a. divide b. visual c. vital d. individual
12. erro
a. terror b. apparent c. aberrant d. admirable

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27. promotion
a. praemitto b. moneo c. moveo d. premo
28. unimportant
a. unus b. porto c. tantus d. impius
29. applause
a. laudo b. appello c. ludus d. claudio
30. couch
a. locus b. contineo c. curo d. lux

IV. Choose the word that does **NOT** belong by derivation.

31. a. agent b. aggregate c. enact d. coagulate
32. a. bonfire b. beautiful c. benefit d. bonbon
33. a. capable b. capital c. capture d. reception
34. a. verdict b. interdict c. ductility d. ditty
35. a. promise b. admonish c. admit d. messenger
36. a. separate b. preparation c. repair d. department
37. a. people b. poplin c. republican d. popular
38. a. realm b. real c. royalty d. regicide
39. a. desecrate b. sacrilege c. ascription d. sacrament
40. a. stale b. sediment c. residue d. session

V. Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence or means the same as the underlined word.

41. I admire altruistic people.
a. smart b. funny c. generous d. thin
42. If a tumor is benign, it is _____.
a. compact b. small c. hidden d. harmless

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43. His decadent behavior led to his demise.
a. illness b. promotion c. longevity d. downfall
44. We celebrate our anniversary every _____.
a. week b. month c. year d. decade
45. I go out of my way to avoid bellicose people.
a. warlike b. cruel c. sad d. sarcastic
46. Where did you come up with that incredible story?
a. idiotic b. unbelievable c. hilarious d. interminable
47. A fragile package is one that is easily _____.
a. broken b. dropped c. lost d. replaced
48. Last night's featured singer had such a mellifluous voice.
a. loud b. deep c. sweet d. high-pitched
49. As a persona non grata, she was _____ in our home.
a. unwelcome b. welcome c. always d. comfortable
50. She is well-known for her acerbic remarks.
a. long-winded b. humorous c. foolish d. biting