

2011 FJCL State Latin Forum

Derivatives I

I. Choose the English word derived from the given Latin word.

1. lex
a. laxity b. lecture c. legislate d. legion
2. lingua
a. linguini b. malingerer c. lingerie d. lingonberry
3. mando
a. mendicant b. mandible c. mandolin d. commendation
4. cano
a. cantaloupe b. enchantress c. cantilever d. canteen
5. dico
a. doctrine b. index c. verdict d. decoration
6. moneo
a. monitor b, monastery c. money d. monsoon
7. tempus
a. contempt b. tempt c. temple d. tempest
8. pes
a. pedagogue b. pedestal c. peddler d. pestilence
9. casa
a. cascade b. cash c. casino d. casserole
10. clamo
a. exclaim b. clamp c. clang d. declare

II. Choose the word that does not belong by derivation.

11. a. generate b. primogeniture c. genuflect d. engender
12. a. ambulate b. amble c. amatory d. perambulate
13. a. camper b. champion c. campaign d. chance
14. a. conceive b. catch c. cable d. cadence
15. a. maternity b. matins c. matron d. matrix

16. a. edict b. edifice c. edification d. edify
17. a. adequate b. equestrian c. equitable d. iniquity
18. a. omnipresent b. possible c. presumably d. essential
19. a. encourage b. recourse c. concord d. record
20. a. compute b. count c. comity d. amputate

III. Complete the statement or answer the question.

21. Which word would be used to indicate that Bubba is a fourth-generation Floridian?
 a. indignant b. indigenous c. indigent d. indigoid
22. Which Latin word meaning *little handful* or *small bundle* is related to the English word meaning *shrewd* or *devious management*?
 a. manducus b. manumissio c. manipulus d. manes
23. If you are a *persuasive* person, your influence is based on an Latin adjective meaning _____.
 a. sweet b. exemplary c. forceful d. reasonable
24. A *companion* was originally a person who would share _____ with you.
 a. a garment b. all things c. your pain d. bread
25. A *congregation* was originally a church term meaning the shepherd's, or pastor's _____.
 a. bible b. herd c. farm d. fellow shepherds
26. *Dismal* comes from *dies* and *mal*, literally a(n)
 a. cloudy sky b. ominous sign c. depressing wind d. evil day
27. As a *magnanimous* person, you literally have a
 a. great soul b. large family c. big army d. great heart
28. If something is *innocuous*, it will not _____ you.
 a. help b. hinder c. harm d. hate
29. An *irascible* person is easily
 a. frightened b. angered c. fooled d. defeated
30. What is literally "a pig with thorns?"
 a. a cactus b. a rosebush c. a spiny lobster d. a porcupine

