

2011 FJCL State Latin Forum Derivatives II

Part I. Give the best meaning of each English word based on its Latin derivation.

1. The uncomfortable fabric gave a chafed feel to the model's skin.
a. hot b. scratchy c. slippery d. allergenic
2. An insatiable person can never get _____.
a. too much b. more c. any d. enough
3. Which of these best describes a coy person?
a. happy b. quiet c. lugubrious d. mendacious
4. The boy was covetous of his cousin's Christmas present.
a. happy for b. desirous of c. jealous of d. indifferent to
5. According to its Latin derivation, which of these actions is most associated with the word remorse?
a. thinking b. weeping c. whipping d. biting
6. The pinnate animal was so cute!
a. feathered b. furry c. big-eyed d. endangered
7. That sauce certainly lived up to its Latin derivation! It was so _____!
a. hot b. spicy c. salty d. delicious
8. The recalcitrant animal was finally left alone by its owner.
a. stubborn b. lazy c. grumpy d. growling
9. The indigent people gathered around the tourists.
a. curious b. merchant c. needy d. native
10. A hostel by definition is a place that expects which kind of people?
a. youths b. guests c. enemies d. foreign

Part II. For each of these questions, select the English word that is derived from the given Latin word.

11. periculum
a. peach b. imperil c. experience d. impenetrable
12. plenus
a. perplexed b. deplorable c. plant d. plenipotentiary
13. humus
a. humorous b. humid c. human d. humble

42. a. trident b. dandelion c. indentured d. condensation
43. a. damsel b. dauntless c. danger d. madame
44. a. expedite b. pawn c. pestle d. pioneer
45. a. disintegrate b. taste c. tablet d. tactful

Part VI. For each of the following questions, select the word that comes from the same root as the given word.

46. suave
a. dissuade b. sublimate c. assuage d. desuetude
47. mercenary
a. mercurial b. mendicant c. mercy d. meretricious
48. mint
a. money b. demeanor c. administer d. menu
49. node
a. renown b. noose c. innocent d. renegade
50. annoy
a. obnoxious b. odious c. oblivion d. oblique