

**REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2018  
LATIN DERIVATIVES I**

**I. Choose the meaning of the Latin root of the given English word.**

1. statute  
a. law                      b. stand                      c. root                      d. image
2. tenable  
a. hold                      b. touch                      c. attempt                      d. stretch
3. inhibit  
a. stop                      b. limit                      c. quiet                      d. have
4. convivial  
a. live                      b. laugh                      c. call                      d. arrive
5. edict  
a. decree                      b. ruling                      c. speak                      d. force
6. gendarme  
a. skill                      b. weapons                      c. branch                      d. gender
7. dandelion  
a. flower                      b. give                      c. day                      d. tooth
8. ludicrous  
a. laughter                      b. game                      c. absurd                      d. believe
9. mural  
a. picture                      b. image                      c. building                      d. wall
10. hibernate  
a. sleep                      b. lie                      c. winter                      d. season

**II. Give the derivative with the same Latin root as the word given.**

11. distract  
a. distress                      b. district                      c. distinct                      d. distraught

12. efface  
a. facial                      b. efficient                      c. fantasy                      d. effort
13. sedate  
a. sedition                      b. segment                      c. sediment                      d. segregate
14. catch  
a. caterpillar                      b. cater                      c. cattle                      d. caste
15. potion  
a. potation                      b. potent                      c. postpone                      d. posture
16. tumor  
a. timid                      b. tunic                      c. turbid                      d. tumid
17. futile  
a. fusion                      b. fury                      c. furnace                      d. furtive
18. boil  
a. bugle                      b. buckle                      c. bullion                      d. buzzard
19. host  
a. hostile                      b. hospice                      c. hose                      d. hustle
20. grain  
a. gravity                      b. grand                      c. migrant                      d. granite

**III. Choose the English word derived from the given Latin word.**

21. manus  
a. emancipate                      b. menial                      c. mantle                      d. manor
22. curro  
a. curve                      b. cursive                      c. secure                      d. curious
23. terreo  
a. interment                      b. terrace                      c. terrific                      d. terrier

24. fortis  
 a. fortuitous      b. fortunate      c. comfort      d. forfeit
25. sto  
 a. strait      b. constant      c. stratify      d. stagnate
26. tango  
 a. contingent      b. continuous      c. contortion      d. continent
27. porta  
 a. portfolio      b. portly      c. portal      d. portend
28. stringo  
 a. strange      b. stray      c. stubble      d. strain
29. pes  
 a. expedite      b. expect      c. expel      d. expend
30. caput  
 a. cable      b. cadence      c. caper      d. cadet

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

31. a. deliver      b. library      c. liberal      d. liberty
32. a. agile      b. cogent      c. agrarian      d. agent
33. a. deserve      b. conserve      c. preserve      d. reserve
34. a. trivial      b. voyage      c. deviate      d. viable
35. a. tempo      b. tempest      c. temptation      d. temporary
36. a. capital      b. captive      c. captain      d. chapter
37. a. compete      b. petition      c. appetite      d. pedal
38. a. embellish      b. rebellion      c. revel      d. belligerent
39. a. instill      b. arrest      c. persist      d. exist

40. a. impertinent                      b. content                      c. tenement                      d. torment

**V. Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence.**

41. Our Latin teacher made the subject easy to understand with her \_\_\_\_\_ explanations.  
 a. nonchalant                      b. fervid                      c. pellucid                      d. bellicose

42. It is amazing that by June only a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ number of high school seniors had registered to vote.  
 a. infinite                      b. interminable                      c. terminal                      d. infinitesimal

43. Although she was very angry, she wisely refrained from \_\_\_\_\_ in her remarks.  
 a. verbiage                      b. acceleration                      c. clarity                      d. acrimony

44. Pontage are funds from a British tax used for maintaining \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. bridges                      b. roads                      c. weights and measures                      d. churches

45. After years of oppression, the rebellious subjects sought to curb their \_\_\_\_\_ ruler's power.  
 a. ubiquitous                      b. omnipotent                      c. amicable                      d. gratuitous

46. Aspen, Colorado, is known for its \_\_\_\_\_ sports.  
 a. hibernal                      b. solar                      c. globular                      d. festival

47. She gave the letter only a \_\_\_\_\_ glance before hiding it away.  
 a. cursory                      b. momentous                      c. composite                      d. cursive

48. Tyranny is considered a \_\_\_\_\_ word.  
 a. puerile                      b. pejorative                      c. pulchritudinous                      d. proprietary

49. Because they are considered to be \_\_\_\_\_ life, eggs are often not eaten by vegetarians.  
 a. full of                      b. without                      c. significant                      d. incipient

50. An avivore would eat \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. birds                      b. bees                      c. spiders                      d. plants