

**REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2005**  
**ADVANCED DERIVATIVES**

**I. Choose the response that means the same as the underlined word or best completes the sentence.**

1. The amanuensis was in charge of
  - a. doing manicures.
  - b. purchasing supplies.
  - c. cutting hair.
  - d. transcribing notes.
  
2. Mellifluous sounds emanated from the
  - a. woodshop.
  - b. chorus room.
  - c. calculus class.
  - d. gym.
  
3. Which restaurant would be a favorite among members of the piscivorous crowd?
  - a. The Lone Star Steak House
  - b. Fisherman's Wharf
  - c. The Mongolian Barbecue
  - d. Curry and Wine
  
4. The mores in Europe are different from ours.
  - a. meals
  - b. currencies
  - c. customs
  - d. cars
  
5. The ossuary contained
  - a. butterflies.
  - b. birds.
  - c. bones.
  - d. bats.
  
6. The coroner reported that the victim died of exsanguination.
  - a. heart failure
  - b. a lack of oxygen
  - c. a blow to the head
  - d. loss of blood
  
7. What would you be doing if you were pendant?
  - a. seriously considering a decision
  - b. waiting patiently for a friend
  - c. hanging from a tree branch
  - d. selling fruit on a street corner
  
8. Which of the following could be called a mollescent substance?
  - a. water
  - b. iron ore
  - c. hail
  - d. leaves
  
9. My nascent career of script-writing is
  - a. just beginning.
  - b. hitting the big-time at last.
  - c. at its lowest ebb.
  - d. economically unfeasible.
  
10. Which of the following would be described as obsequious?
  - a. A soldier saluting the flag.
  - b. A child playing with her dad at the beach.
  - c. A slave bowing to his master.
  - d. A student following the directions of the teacher.

**II. Choose the English word that is derived from the given Latin word.**

11. volo  
a. velour b. veldt c. volt d. volition
12. vetus  
a. inveigh b. inveterate c. venture d. vetch
13. ferrum  
a. fierce b. ferrous c. ferret d. fertile
14. os  
a. oral b. ostrich c. oval d. ornate
15. lenis  
a. lentil b. relent c. leniency d. Lent
16. deleo  
a. delegate b. delicious c. delectable d. delete
17. solum  
a. solitary b. parasol. c. solace d. insole
18. fundo  
a. funnel b. founder c. fundamental d. functional
19. prehendo  
a. appendage b. prison c. preponderance d. printer
20. sero  
a. serpent b. serious c. season d. sermon

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

21. sincere  
a. cera b. sino c. cura d. scindo
22. repast  
a. pando b. posco c. patior d. pasco
23. issue  
a. fio b. eo c. is d. ius

24. powder  
a. pulvinus b. puls c. pulvis d. pulpa
25. stain  
a. tingo b. tango c. sterno d. stringo
26. sublime  
a. limbus b. limes c. limpidus d. limen
27. poison  
a. potis b. postis c. poto d. posco
28. precocious  
a. cor b. preces c. pretium d. coquo
29. menu  
a. mensa b. minuo c. minae d. mentio
30. extenuating  
a. tenuis b. tendo c. teneo d. tener

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

31. leisurely  
a. light b. law c. value d. permit
32. tango  
a. dance b. embrace c. chase d. touch
33. obloquy  
a. place b. clear c. speak d. allow
34. imprecate  
a. praise b. pray c. price d. peril
35. retrograde  
a. step b. assess c. level d. size
36. succinct  
a. plunge b. enclose c. suffer d. short
37. incumbent  
a. boat b. cradle c. recline d. press

38. barbed  
a. sharp b. beard c. belt d. foreign
39. fabaceous  
a. bean b. engineer c. story d. speech
40. soldier  
a. firm b. comfort c. ground d. alone

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

41. a. pectoral b. peculiar c. peculate d. pecuniary
42. a. affable b. fairy c. infant d. foolish
43. a. excrete b. concerto c. exert d. secretary
44. a. forest b. forfeit c. foreign d. forensic
45. a. compact b. dispatch c. pagan d. propaganda
46. a. effete b. fiancee c. defy d. confederate
47. a. testify b. detest c. contest d. test
48. a. expand b. disparage c. spawn d. passenger
49. a. poise b. expend c. pending d. pansy
50. a. adorn b. suborn c. ornate d. adoration