

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2005
DERIVATIVES I

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

1. The dog's docile behavior was unexpected.
a. inimical b. nervous c. teachable d. silly
2. What would you be doing if you were pacifistic?
a. setting the pace in a marathon b. crossing an ocean
c. packing boxes for shipment d. settling an argument
3. What would you be measuring if you were using a pedometer?
a. the height of a child b. the length of a foot
c. the distance traveled d. a flower stalk
4. If you are taking somnifacient medication, you are
a. excessively nervous. b. suffering from allergies.
c. sensitive to the sun. d. unable to sleep.
5. She was at the incipient stage of the disease.
a. dangerous b. beginning c. treatable d. final
6. The celerity of her thinking saved the girl's life.
a. speed b. clearness c. diligence d. skill
7. The ambulatory patient
a. had a broken arm. b. was in a coma. c. was having a heart attack.
d. had a broken leg.
8. The manager derided the worker's proposal.
a. praised b. disagreed with c. laughed at d. voted for
9. The student had a taciturn nature.
a. social b. stubborn c. hostile d. quiet
10. The President gave a cursory look at the tax cut proposal.
a. superficial b. annoyed c. worried d. interested

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

11. clarus
a. class b. clause c. clarinet d. claim

12. duco
a. conduit b. dormitory c. adorn d. duplicity
13. periculum
a. perch b. imperil c. experience d. personal
14. miser
a. misoneism b. misrepresentation c. misanthrope d. commiseration
15. cura
a. currant b. curricule c. curate d. curfew
16. sto
a. stellar b. constipated c. superstition d. construe
17. peto
a. petitioner b. pet c. petty d. petite
18. traho
a. track b. traction c. tragedy d. trajectory
19. panis
a. pain b. company c. panoply d. complaisant
20. canto
a. chandelier b. chase c. charm d. candor

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

21. demise
a. miser b. mitto c. deus d. dies
22. projectile
a. iaceo b. iuvo c. ius d. iacio
23. festive
a. fetus b. festino c. feriae d. felix
24. champion
a. campus b. civis c. amplus d. ambulo
25. elucidate
a. ludo b. lux c. luxus d. lumen

- 26. vital
a. vivo b. vir c. vis d. via
- 27. chiefly
a. capio b. consul c. corpus d. caput
- 28. prodigal
a. eo b. dico c. odium d. ago
- 29. train
a. trado b. ago c. eo d. traho
- 30. sport
a. spes b. spiro c. porto d. porta

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

- 31. aural
a. nose b. ear c. mouth d. teeth
- 32. omniscient
a. see b. know c. think d. test
- 33. sinecure
a. care b. cure c. need d. why
- 34. salubrious
a. taste b. salt c. health d. fat
- 35. auctioneer
a. increase b. distribute c. sell d. discuss
- 36. savage
a. early b. forest c. misty d. wander
- 37. corpulent
a. blood b. big c. full d. body
- 38. edit
a. find b. examine c. hand over d. give
- 39. summon
a. take b. hill c. hand d. warn

40. flume
a. lightning b. river c. flame d. anger

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

41. a. medium b. medieval c. meditate d. mediate
42. a. alive b. alien c. alibi d. alias
43. a. bib b. bible c. beverage d. imbibe
44. a. moratorium b. mortify c. immortal d. mortal
45. a. sedition b. president c. subsidy d. sedative
46. a. invest b. vestry c. vestige d. travesty
47. a. acrid b. reaction c. vinegar d. exacerbate
48. a. exalt b. alto c. altercation d. haughty
49. a. convey b. envy c. survey d. vision
50. a. essence b. entity c. absent d. sum