

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2010
DERIVATIVES I

I. Choose the response which means the same as the underlined word.

1. The propinquity of my companion reassured me.
a. skill b. strength c. kindness d. nearness
2. In such a hardworking department, the manager's position is a sinecure.
a. difficult job b. easy job c. advisory position d. temporary position
3. The building's unusual fenestration was admired by the architecture students.
a. shape b. height c. windows d. roof
4. The mother was astonished by the cupidity of her children.
a. greed b. laziness c. unhappiness d. irritability
5. Because Joe was not usually very circumspect, his friends were puzzled by his
a. optimism b. rudeness. c. dishonesty. d. caution.
6. The otiose employee was soon fired.
a. argumentative b. idle c. incompetent d. nosy
7. The patient's recovery seems to be incipient.
a. unlikely b. assured c. beginning d. complete
8. A lapidary club studies
a. bees. b. birds. c. stars. d. stones.
9. The president's statement incited his opponents.
a. criticized b. lauded c. placated d. stirred up
10. The requirements of your degree program are onerous.
a. useful b. newly developed c. unique d. burdensome

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

11. occasion
a. fall b. take c. depart d. make
12. duress
a. thing b. hard c. rule d. two
13. inadvertent
a. true b. bold c. turn d. conquer
14. reservoir
a. serve b. save c. see d. sit
15. inevitable
a. life b. road c. avoid d. see

16. justify
 a. watch b. do c. save d. stand
17. intimidate
 a. fear b. frighten c. touch d. take
18. disobedient
 a. hear b. say c. eat d. give
19. prescient
 a. know b. sit c. think d. press
20. sewage
 a. land b. sea c. water d. field

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

21. curro
 a. accurate b. curious c. course d. corsage
22. bellum
 a. duel b. delete c. embellish d. bulletin
23. sedeo
 a. sensitive b. ascend c. siege d. season
24. amicus
 a. preamble b. unanimous c. ample d. enmity
25. annus
 a. perennial b. annelid c. inanimate d. ancient
26. senex
 a. sentry b. senility c. sentimental d. sensible
27. terreo
 a. deter b. inter c. determine d. interminable
28. coquus
 a. antique b. conquer c. decoration d. concoction
29. iaceo
 a. jocular b. adjacent c. interjection d. jet
30. ferus
 a. fierce b. interfere c. fern d. fervent

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

31. derisive
a. do b. rideo c. rex d. res
32. tempo
a. tempto b. teneo c. tempus d. templum
33. savage
a. salvus b. silva c. servus d. severus
34. sempiternal
a. semper b. saepe c. sedeo d. sto
35. infamy
a. facio b. fama c. familia d. fero
36. nominally
a. nosco b. nuntio c. nomen d. numerus
37. ability
a. habeo b. ago c. sum d. lego
38. auxiliary
a. audio b. augeo c. aurum d. auris
39. future
a. facio b. sum c. teneo d. rego
40. remission
a. remus b. res c. maneo d. mitto

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

41. a. invalid b. convalesce c. value d. interval
42. a. providence b. prudent c. previous d. provision
43. a. vowel b. advocate c. volley d. vouch
44. a. decay b. cease c. necessity d. recede
45. a. kibble b. kennel c. canine d. canary
46. a. mob b. mutiny c. mover d. mutual
47. a. armistice b. presence c. resist d. station
48. a. reality b. republican c. rail d. unreal
49. a. somber b. umbrage c. umbrella d. somnolent
50. a. unicorn b. reunion c. abundant d. onion