

**2006 FJCL Certamen
Level II, Round 1**

1. Differentiate in meaning between **cogō** and **cognoscō**.
COGO, FORCE / COLLECT / COMPEL **COGNOSCO**, LEARN / KNOW
Differentiate in meaning between **consilium** and **concilium**.
CONSILIUM, PLAN **CONCILIUM**, MEETING / UNION
Differentiate in meaning between **gēns** and **genus**.
GENS, FAMILY / CLAN / NATION **GENUS**, KIND / RACE
2. In what year was Julius Caesar elected Consul for the first time? 59 B.C.
To what office was Caesar elected in 63 B.C.? **PONTIFEX MAXIMUS**
In what year was Caesar elected to his second consulship? 48 B.C.
3. What god did Otus and Ephialtes trap in a bronze jar? **ARES**
On what island were Otus and Ephialtes killed, either by their own spears or by
Apollo's arrows? **NAXOS**
Who was the mother of Otus and Ephialtes? **IPHIMEDEIA**
4. What derivative of **sequor** means "a related or continuous series"? **SEQUENCE**
What English adjective derived from **sequor** means "succeeding or following"?
SUBSEQUENT
What English adjective derived from **sequor** means "exhibiting servile compliance"?
OBSEQUIOUS
5. Give the comparative and superlative degrees of **magnus**. **MAIOR & MAXIMUS**
Give the adverbial forms of **maior** and **maximus**. **MAGIS & MAXIME**
Give the comparative and superlative degrees of **saepe**. **SAEPIUS & SAEPISSIME**
6. To what category do all of the following belong: **abolla, laena, lacerna, and paenula**.
CLOAKS
What garment was worn by men at dinner parties? **SYNTHESIS**
What garment was worn by men after exercise? **ENDROMIS**
7. What Latin phrase is used to indicate a constant companion? **VADE MECUM**
What Latin phrase is used to designate an event as perpetual? **AD INFINITUM**
What Latin phrase is used designate the facts or body of a crime? **CORPUS DELICTI**
8. For the verb **frangō**, give the 3rd person plural, future active indicative. **FRANGENT**
Change **frangent** to the present subjunctive. **FRANGANT**
Change **frangant** to the pluperfect. **FREGISSENT**
9. Which of the Greeks at Troy was awarded the armor of Achilles? **ODYSSEUS**
Against whom did Odysseus compete for the prize of the armor? **AJAX THE GREATOR**
What happened to Ajax after the contest? **HE COMMITTED SUICIDE**

10. What warrior queen in Britain rebelled against Rome in the first century A.D.? BOUDICCA
 Who was the emperor of Rome during the Boudicean revolt in Britain? NERO
 What tribe did Boudicca lead against the Romans? ICENI
11. What name is given to the rectangular shield carried by a Roman soldier? SCUTUM
 What was a Roman soldier's helmet called? GALEA
 What was a soldier called when without his **sarcina**? EXPEDITUS
12. Translate: **Marcus dixit tē domum cucurrisse.** MARCUS SAID THAT YOU HAD RUN HOME
 Translate: **Quintus rogat cur miser sīs.** QUINTUS ASKS WHY YOU ARE SAD
 Translate: **Pater quam celerrime discessit.** FATHER LEFT AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE
13. What is the meaning of the Latin idiom **in animō habēre**? TO INTEND
 ...**navem solvere**? TO SET SAIL
 ...**proelium committere**? TO BEGIN / JOIN BATTLE
14. What man did the Argonauts overwhelmingly select to lead their expedition? HERACLES
 Why did Heracles not accompany the Argo to Colchis?
 HE WAS LEFT BEHIND WHILE SEARCHING FOR HYLAS
 Which two Argonauts suggested that the ship should go on without Heracles?
 ZEETES & CALAIAS
15. What organization held its first meetings at the sanctuary of Diana near the **Lacus**
Nemorenensis in the early fifth century B.C., constituting a challenge to
 Roman supremacy over Latium? THE LATIN LEAGUE
 Where did the Romans defeat the Latin League in 496 B.C? LAKE REGILLUS
 In what year did the Romans finally subdue the Latin League? 338 B.C.

**2006 FJCL Certamen
Level II, Round 2**

1. What is the more common name for the **tunica exterior**, the garment worn outdoors by women? **STOLA**
What name is given to the girdle worn underneath the **stola**? **ZONA**
In order to be stylish and to keep cool, Roman women employed the use of hand held fans. What were such fans called? **FLABELLA**
2. Give the Latin for the motto of the state of Idaho. **ESTO PERPETUA**
...of Michigan. **SI QUAERIS PAENINSULAM AMOENAM CIRCUMSPICE**
...of Missouri. **SALUS POPULI SUPREMA LEX ESTO**
3. Give the Latin for the phrase "the same hand."
Change **eadem manus** to the accusative singular. **EANDEM MANUM**
Change **eandem manum** to the genitive plural. **EARUNDEM MANUUM**
4. What goddess is credited with having invented the flute? **ATHENA**
What satyr picked up the flute after Athena had discarded it, and then challenged Apollo to a music contest? **MARSAYAS**
What torturous punishment did Apollo impose upon Marsayyas? **FLAYED HIM ALIVE**
5. What Roman emperor presided over the re-construction of the Pantheon? **HADRIAN**
Where in Italy did Hadrian construct an elaborate villa? **TIVOLI / TIBUR**
What double temple standing opposite the Colosseum is Hadrian rumored to have designed himself? **VENUS ET ROMA**
6. **Quid Anglicē significat "loquor"?** **SPEAK**
Quid Anglicē significat "moror"? **DELAY**
Quid Anglicē significat "miror"? **WONDER / BE AMAZED**
7. Give the Latin name for the meal, entirely unknown in city life, which was shared in the evening and closed the day on the farm. **VESPERNA**
After the **prandium**, many Romans would take a midday rest or siesta. What was such a rest called? **MERIDIATIO**
At a Roman **cena**, who sat on the **lectus īmus**? **THE HOST (AND WIFE)**
8. According to Ovid, how many ages of man were there? **FOUR**
In which of the ages were humans nursed by their mothers for 100 years? **SILVER**
In which of the ages did humans have hears of adamant and pursue the ways of Ares? **BRONZE**

9. At what battle in 207 B.C. did the Romans defeat Hasdrubal? METAURUS RIVER
 Name both Roman commanders who were victorious at the Metaurus River?
 C. CLAUDIUS NERO & M. LIVIUS (SALINATOR)
 What Carthaginian stronghold in Spain had Scipio Africanus captured two years
 earlier? CARTHAGO NOVA
10. From what Latin verb, with what meaning, do we derive "translate " and "differ"?"
 FERO, BEAR / CARRY / BRING
 From what Latin noun, with what meaning, do we derive "confine" and "finance"?"
 FINIS, END
 From what two Latin nouns do we derive "manure" and "manoeuver"?"
 MANUS & OPUS
11. Identify the use of the dative case in the following sentence: **Hic liber mihi**
 legendus est. AGENT
 Translate that sentence into English. I MUST READ THIS BOOK
 Identify the use of the dative case in this sentence:
Casa mulieris vicīna nostrae fuit. SPECIAL ADJECTIVES
12. What were **iustae nuptiae**? LEGAL MARRIAGES
 When one of the parties in a marriage was plebeian, what type of marriage
 ceremony was usually practiced? COEMPTIO
 What type of marriage ceremony took place between patricians? CONFARREATIO
13. Give a Synonym for **timeō**. VEREOR, METUO
 ...for **inter** APUD
 ...for **priusquam** ANTEQUAM
14. Who boasted at a banquet that he could easily give Polydectes the head of a
 Gorgon? PERSEUS
 Where was Polydectes king? SERIPHOS
 After Perseus completed his task and Polydectes was killed, who ruled Seriphos?
 DICTYS
15. Whom did Septimius Severus defeat at Lugdunum in A.D. 197? CLODIUS ALBINUS
 Of what province was Clodius Albinus the governor? BRITAIN
 Whom had Septimius Severus defeated at Issus three years earlier?
 PESCENNIUS NIGER

**2006 FJCL Certamen
Level II, Round 3**

1. What Nereid was loved by the cyclops Polyphemus? GALATEA
Who was the beloved of Galatea? ACIS
What happened to Acis after Polyphemus crushed him with a mountain?
HE WAS TRANSFORMED INTO A RIVER GOD
2. What Roman dictator defeated the Aequi in 458 B.C.? CINNCINATUS
What Roman dictator conquered Veii in 396 B.C.? CAMILLUS
Who was Rome's first dictator? (A. POSTUMIUS) ALBINUS
3. What two cases in Latin can be used to show possession? GENITIVE & DATIVE
What two cases in Latin can be used to show description? GENITIVE & ABLATIVE
What two cases can be used to show the agent in a sentence? DATIVE & ABLATIVE
4. What is the meaning of the Latin adverb **numquam**? NEVER
What is the meaning of the Latin adverb **nusquam**? NOWHERE
What is the meaning of the Latin adverb **nuper**? RECENTLY
5. Give the Latin and English for the motto of Brooklyn College.
NIL SINE NUMINE, NOTHING WITHOUT DIVINE GUIDENCE
Give the Latin and English for the motto of the Delaware College.
SCIENTIA SOL MENTIS, KNOWLEDGE, THE SUN OF THE MIND
Give the Latin and English for the motto of Columbia University.
IN LUMINE TUO VIDEBIMUS LUMEN, IN THY LIGHT WE SHALL SEE LIGHT
6. Translate the verb in the dependent clause of this sentence by using the subjunctive mood: "We will go to Rome to see our friends." VIDEAMUS
Translate the entire sentence into Latin.
ROMAN IBIMUS UT NOSTROS AMICOS VIDEAMUS
Translate that sentence into Latin by using a gerundive with **causā**.
ROMAM IBIMUS VIDENDORUM NOSTRORUM AMICORUM CAUSA
7. Who blinded himself with the brooches from his dead wife's robe upon learning that she was also his mother? OEDIPUS
In what city did Oedipus' life end? COLONUS
What king protected Oedipus against the advances of Creon at Colonus? THESEUS
8. From what two Latin words do we derive "lieutenant." LOCUS & TENE0
From what two Latin words do we derive "competitive." CUM & PETO
From what two Latin words do we derive "surreptitious." SUB & RAPIO

9. Until late in the Republic, what name would have been given to the slave of a man named Marcus? **MARCIPOR**
 When a slave was freed, what part of this master's name did he take? **THE NOMEN (SOMETIMES THE PRAENOMEN)**
 When the slave of a woman was freed, what name did he take? **THAT OF HER FATHER**
10. Which of the following Roman emperors did NOT die of natural causes: Augustus, Titus, Diocletian, Domitian? **DOMITIAN**
 Give the name of the palace servant who stabbed Domitian? **STEPHANUS**
 After Domitian's death, the Senate voted to officially condemn his memory, thus striking his likeness and name from all public monuments. What is the name for this practice? **DAMNATIO MEMORIAE**
11. Give the principal parts of **auferō** **AUFERO, AUFERRE, ABSTULI, ABLATUM**
 Give the principal parts of **tollō** **TOLLO, TOLLERE, SUSTULI, SUBLATUM**
 Give the principal parts of **intellegō** **INTELLEGO, INTELLEGERE, INTELLEXI, INTELLECTUM**
12. While he was in Hades, whose sister did Heracles promise he would marry? **MELEAGER'S**
 Who was Meleager's sister and the last of Heracles' wives? **DEIANIRA**
 What centaur attempted to abduct Deianira and gave her to blood which ultimately killed Heracles? **NESSUS**
13. What was a **cenotaphium**? **AN EMPTY TOMB**
 According to the Twelve Tables, no burial within the sacred boundary of the city was allowed. What was this boundary called? **POMERIUM**
 During the Republic, on what hill were the **puticuli** or grave-pits of paupers located? **ESQUILINE**
14. Identify the use of the ablative case in this sentence: **Lucius erat multō melior discipulus quam Sextus.** **DEGREE OF DIFFERENCE**
 Translate that sentence. **LUCIUS WAS A MUCH BETTER STUDENT THAN SEXTUS**
 Using both an ablative of degree of difference and comparison, say in Latin: "The road is much more suitable than the bridge."
VIA EST MULTO MAGIS IDONEA PONTE
15. What enemy of Rome massacred Italian citizens at Circa in 112 B.C.? **JUGURTHA**
 Marius is remembered as the general who finally defeated Jugurtha. What man held the command against Jugurtha immediately before Marius? **(Q. CAECILIUS) METELLUS NUMIDICUS**
 How did Jugurtha die? **HE WAS STRANGLER (IN THE TULLIANUM)**

**2006 FJCL Certamen
Level II, Semi Final Round**

1. What name was given to the dancing priests of Mars? **SALII**
 What priests were charged with maintaining the calendar? **PONTIFICES**
 What priest interpreted the will of the gods after the auspices were taken? **AUGURES**

2. To what category do the verbs **fidō, soleō, gaudeō, and audeō** all belong? **SEMI DEPONENT**
 To what category do the verbs **tendō, tangō, and mordeō** belong? **REDUPLICATIVE**
 To what category do the verbs **coepī, odī, and meminī** belong? **DEFECTIVE**

3. What Asiatic king did the Romans defeat at Magnesia in 190 B.C.? **ANTIOCHUS III**
 What Roman was the victorious commander at Magnesia? **L. SCIPIO**
 What ex-consul commanded part of the right wing of the Roman army
 At Magensia? **(CN. DOMITIUS) AHENOBARBUS**

4. At what place in Italy did the Sibyl reveal to Aeneas the requirements necessary for
 entrance to the Underworld? **CUMAE**
 What object, sacred to Proserpina, did the Sibyl instruct Aeneas to obtain?
GOLDEN BOUGH
 In order to enter the Underworld, what comrade was Aeneas instructed to bury?
MISENUS

5. In the sentence, “Four of the boys are about to go to the Forum,” translate “Four of
 the boys.” **QUATTUOR E PUERIS**
 Translate the entire sentence. **QUATTUOR E PUERIS AD FORUM ITURI SUNT**
 What is grammatical name is given to the combination of the future active
 participle and the verb **sum, esse**? **ACTIVE PERIPHRASTIC**

6. Differentiate in meaning between **numquam** and **umquam**
NUMQUAM, NEVER UMQUAM, EVER
 ...**praesum** and **dēsum** **PRAESUM, BE IN CHARGE DESUM, LACK / FAIL**
 ...**pereō** and **adeō** **PEREO, PERISH ADEO, APPROACH**

7. What type of marriage ceremony began with a fictitious sale represented by a
 single coin? **COEMPTIO**
 Give the Latin name for the wedding feast which followed the ceremony.
CENA NUPTIALIS
 The feast was concluded with the distribution of what wedding cake to the
 guests? **MUSTACEUM**

8. According to Hesiod, what entity came into the world after Chaos? GAIA / GE
 Give the names of the three children of Uranus and Gaia who had 100 hands? COTTUS, GYES, BRIAREUS
 Give the names of the three children of Uranus and Gaia who each had one eye? ARGES, BRONTES, STEROPES
9. What man offered 25,000 **sesterces** to each of the praetorian guard to become emperor of Rome in A.D. 193? DIDIUS JULIANUS
 What man did Didius Julianus succeed? PERTINAX
 What man, the uncle of Pertinax, did Didius Julianus outbid for the principate? SULPICIANUS
10. Give the Latin and English for the abbreviation **op cit.** OPERE CITATO, IN THE WORK CITED
 Give the Latin and English for the abbreviation **s.o.s.** SI OPUS SIT, IF THERE IS NEED
 Give the Latin and English for the abbreviation **gtt.** GUTTAE, DROPS
11. Which of the following, if any, is NOT derived from the same Latin root as the others: neice, native, innate, national? NEICE
 From what Latin verb do we derive “native,” “innate,” and “nation”? NASCOR
 From what Latin noun do we derive “neice”? NEPOS
12. What fruit did the Romans know as **malum Persicum**? PEACH
 ...**malum Punicum**? POMEGRANATE
 ...**malum Armeniacum**? APRICOT
13. On what island was Odysseus held captive for seven years? OGYGIA
 Where was Odysseus tricked into spending one year? AEAEA
 By the use of what herb was Odysseus able to resist Circe’s magic? MOLY
14. What Roman emperor added the provinces of Assyria, Mesopotamia, and Dacia? TRAJAN
 What Roman emperor added the provinces of Mauretania and Britain? CLAUDIUS
 What Roman emperor added the provinces of Pannonia and Moesia? AUGUSTUS
15. **Quot bracchia tibi sunt?** DUO
Quot genua tibi sunt? DUO
Quot corda tibi sunt? UNUM

**2006 FJCL Certamen
Level II, Final Round**

1. Give the Latin and English for the motto of Dartmouth College.

**VOX CLAMANTIS IN DESERTO,
THE VOICE OF ONE CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS**

Give the Latin and English for the motto of Amherst College?

TERRAS IRRADIANT, LET THEM ILLUMINE THE EARTH

Give the Latin and English for the motto of Trinity College.

PRO ECCLESIA ET PATRIA, FOR CHURCH AND COUNTRY
2. What nymph was covered with a cloud by Artemis in order to hide her from the river
god Alpheus? **ARETHUSA**
Into what did Artemis transform Arethusa? **A SPRING / FOUNTAIN**
In what city was the spring of Arethusa located? **SYRACUSE**
3. What law made **Plebiscita** binding upon the whole Roman community in 287 B.C.?

LEX HORTENSIA

What law of 445 B.C. permitted Plebeians and Patricians to intermarry?

LEX CANULEIA

What law of 471 B.C. transferred the election of Tribunes to the **Comitia Tributa**?

LEX PUBLILIA
4. Give all four participial forms forms of **capiō**

CAPIENS, CAPTUS, CAPTURUS, CAPIENDUS

Give all four gerund forms for **capiō**.

CAPIENDI, CAPIENDO, CAPIENDUM, CAPIENDO

Give all three active infinitive forms for **capiō**.

CAPERE, CEPISSE, CAPTURUM ESSE
5. What Latin term designates the closest tie of relationship known to the Romans?

AGNATIO / AGNATI

What Latin term designates a blood relationship regardless of paternal or maternal
descent? **COGNATIO / COGNATI**
What term designates those who are related by marriage only? **ADFINES**
6. Differentiate in meaning between **nix** and **nux**. **NIX, SNOW** **NUX, NUT**
...**totus** and **tūtus**. **TOTUS, WHOLE** **TUTUS, SAFE**
What is the meaning of the Latin noun **nex**, **nevis**? **DEATH, MURDER**
7. From what Latin noun, with what meaning, do we derive “coeval” and “longevity”?

AEVUM, AGE

From what Latin noun, with what meaning, do we derive “fealty”? **FIDES, FAITH**
From what Latin noun, with what meaning, do we derive “molecule”? **MOLES, MASS**

8. What Roman emperor died as the last to rule a united East and West in A.D. 395?
THEODOSIUS I / THE GREAT
Which son of Theodosius ruled in the West until his death in A.D. 423? HONORIUS
Who served as regent for Honorius, defeating Alaric at Pollentia in A.D. 403?
STILICHO
9. Who produced a fleece of gold and became the king of Mycenae? THYESTES
From whom had Thyestes stolen the fleece? ATREUS
Who helped Thyestes obtain the fleece? AEROPE (ATREUS' WIFE)
10. In imitation of the Greek **Symposium**, what did the Romans call an after dinner
drinking party? COMISSATIO / COMPOTATIO
What style of drinking gathering was preferred by Cato, which he referred to as a
“living together”? CONVIVIUM
What Latin term is used for “uninvited guests” at a dinner party? UMBRAE
11. Listen carefully to the following passage, which I will read twice; then answer
in LATIN the question about it:
- Ulixes in insulam Scheriam eiectus est post vīgintī diēs in marī. A Nausicaā,
filiā regis quae eī prīma occurrit, ad regiam ductus est. Ibi Alcinous et uxor
regī Ithācae hospitium dēmonstrāvērunt. Postrīdiē hospes virōs insulae multīs
ludīs superāvit. Deinde Alcinous Ulixem rogābat num nave domum portārī cuperet.**
- In quam insulam Ulixes eiectus est? SCHERIAM**
Quid Alcinous et uxor regī Ithacae demonstrāvērunt? HOSPITIUM
Quibus hospes virōs insulae superāvit? MULTIS LUDIS
12. What creature did Theseus sacrifice to Apollo Delphinus upon driving it from
Marathon to Athens? MARATHONIAN / CRETAN BULL
What woman entertained Theseus on his way to Marathon, but was found dead
upon his return? HECALE
What son of Minos was killed while fighting the Marathonian Bull? ANDROGEUS
13. During the reign of which Roman king was the first **spolia opima** won? ROMULUS
Who won the **spolia opima** against Lars Tolumnius in 429 B.C.?
(AULUS CORNELIUS) COSSUS
Who was the third Roman to win the **spolia opima** at Clastidium in 222 B.C.?
M. CLAUDIUS MARCELLUS
14. The most significant public library in ancient Rome was the **Bibliothēca Ulpia** founded
by which Roman emperor? TRAJAN
Who founded the first public library in the city of Rome? ASINIUS POLLIO
Besides private residences, where in ancient Rome were libraries prominent?
THE BATHS

15. Which of the following words does NOT belong grammatically:
servō, parcō, crēdō, noceō, pareō? **SERVO**
...fungor, potior, utor, vescor, patior **PATIOR**
...dubitāre, ferre, sequere, ire, posse **SEQUERE**
16. Name at least two of the three member embassy sent to persuade Achilles to lay
down his wrath and rejoin the fighting against the Trojans.
ODYSSEUS, PHOENIX, AJAX OF TELAMON / THE GREATER
Once Achilles did rejoin the battle he was so eager for revenge that he warred
against what river? **SCAMANDER**
Who saved Achilles from Scamander? **HEPHAESTUS**
17. Translate: **Ego militēs hortārī conatus sum.**
I (HAVE) TRIED TO ENCOURAGE THE SOLDIERS
Translate: **Mihi vidētur Scipionem Africanum esse optimum ducum Romanōrum.**
IT SEEMS TO ME THAT SCIPIO AFRICANUS
IS THE BEST OF THE ROMAN LEADERS
Translate: **Quintus Fabius Maximus Romam cunctandō servavit.**
QUINTUS FABIVS MAXIMVS SAVED ROME BY DELAYING
18. Which of the following, if any, is NOT derived from the same Latin root as
the others: require, query, conquest, querulous? **QUERULOUS**
From what Latin verb, with what meaning do we derive “require”? **QUAERO, ASK**
From what Latin verb, with what meaning, do we derive “querulous”?
QUEROR, COMPLAIN
19. Whose assassination in 91 B.C. led to the outbreak of the Social War
M. LIVIVS DRVSUS’
What law of 90 B.C. offered citizenship to all who cessed hostilities? **LEX IULIA**
At what battle in 82 B.C. did Sulla finally end all Italian resistance to Rome?
COLLINE GATE
20. VISUAL TOSS UP. Pass out visual question to all players.

The following toss up question is a visual. We are currently providing each player with a copy of the visual. Please do not turn over the visual until instructed to do so. Also, please be mindful that this is a toss up question, so do not consult or communicate with your teammates. Please turn over the visual; you will have 15 seconds to examine it (wait 15 seconds). Here is your question:

Identify the use of the subjunctive in sentence “B”. **CUM CONCESSIVE**
Translate the and identify use of the subjunctive in sentence “C”
THE GLADIATOR WAS SO FIERCE
THAT NO ONE DARED TO APPROACH HIM (RESULT)
Translate and identify the use of the subjunctive in sentence “E”.
CAESAR ORDERED THE LEGION TO WAGE
WAR AS BRAVELY AS POSSIBLE (INDIRECT COMMAND)