

## 1998 Area F: Pentathlon

### Vocabulary

Directions: Mark the letter of the closest synonym to the underlined word.

1. teneo a. habeo b. sedeo c. habito d. bibo
2. templum a. domus b. caelum c. ara d. fanum
3. interficio a. neco b. cedo c. efficio d. praecipio
4. quoque a. at b. tandem c. etiam d. iam
5. ensis a. filius b. gladius c. tenebrae d. uxor
6. conor a. possum b. mitto c. tempto d. capio
7. dico a. colo b. loquor c. taceo d. fallo
8. timeo a. accedo b. ardeo c. ligo d. vereor
9. puella a. virgo b. uxor c. puer d. vita
10. bracchium a. litus b. lacertus c. os d. crus

### Derivatives

Directions: Mark the letter of the word which is not a derivative of the underlined word.

11. facio a. efficient b. effort c. pacify d. difficult
12. teneo a. sustain b. incontinence c. lieutenant d. tendency
13. sto a. stamp b. interstitial c. circumstance d. statue
14. video a. vise b. visual c. revise d. vision
15. fero a. refine b. translate c. reference d. vociferous
16. duco a. conduit b. seductive c. dulcet d. doge
17. sequor a. consequential b. bisect c. execute d. prosecution
18. ad a. approbation b. attendance c. advantage d. accidental
19. lux a. translucent b. luminous c. deluxe d. lucrative
20. cum a. convene b. conciliate c. congregate d. commune

### Grammar

21. What two cases are used in Latin to express time?  
a. accusative and ablative b. nominative and dative c. dative and ablative  
d. genitive and accusative
22. Pick the best translation. "Marcus, my son, come home."  
a. *Marcus, meus filius, veni domum.* b. *Marce, mi fili, veni domum.*  
c. *Marce, me fili, veni domum.* d. *Marce, me filie, veni domum.*
23. The \_\_\_\_\_ principle part of the verb is the supine.  
a. first b. second c. third d. fourth
24. Which sentence has most nearly the same meaning as the following: *Ille agricola habet bonas boves.*  
a. *Ille agricola bobus bonis est.* b. *Bonus agricola bobus illis est.*  
c. *Boves bonae illi agricolae sunt.* d. *Boves illae agricolae boni sunt.*



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25. Which word is missing from the following sentence: *Credimus \_\_\_\_\_  
mox perventurum esse.* (We believe that Caesar will arrive soon.)  
a. *Caesarem* b. *Caesari* c. *Caesaris* d. *Caesar*
26. The mood used to show purpose is  
a. indicative b. subjunctive c. imperative d. none of the above
27. What case follows the proposition *ad* ?  
a. genitive b. dative c. accusative d. ablative
28. The sign of the imperfect tense in Latin is  
a. *bi* b. *ba* c. *era* d. *vi*
29. Which word is missing from the following sentence: *Venerunt ut urbem \_\_\_\_\_.* (They came to see the city.)  
a. *vidissent* b. *viderunt* c. *videbant* d. *viderent*
30. Pick the best translation: *Mutantur.*  
a. They are changed b. They will change c. They change d. They were changed

Video Videre  
Vidi  
Visum

### Classical Civilization

31. Trajan's column commemorates his conquest of Dacia. What modern country did the Romans call Dacia?  
a. Spain b. Poland c. Romania d. Turkey
32. The rape of what Roman matron led to the expulsion of the Tarquins?  
a. Claudia b. Sabina c. Cloelia d. Lucretia
33. Rome was founded a. April 21, A.D. 753 b. April 21, 753 B.C.  
c. March 15, 509 B.C. d. February 14, 509 B.C.
34. What type of toga was worn by someone in mourning?  
a. *toga pulla* b. *toga picta* c. *toga candida* d. no toga was worn
35. The Roman name for breakfast was  
a. *cena* b. *ientaculum* c. *prandium* d. *prima luce*
36. The *Via Appia* originally extended from Rome to  
a. *Neapolis* b. *Capua* c. *Tarentum* d. *Veii*
37. Jupiter had affairs with all of the following except  
a. Io b. Europa c. Ariadne d. Danae
38. Julius Caesar divorced his second wife, Pompeia, after what event?  
a. the *Bona Dea* scandal b. his crossing of the Rubicon  
c. the Catilinarian conspiracy d. the invasion of Britain
39. The bird which was sacred to the goddess Athena/Minerva was the  
a. peacock b. dove c. swan d. owl
40. Ovid was exiled by Augustus to  
a. *Tomi* b. *Lutetium* c. *Saguntum* d. *Palmyra*



## Reading Comprehension

### Home From Foreign Shores

Ulysses returned home to Ithaca to find his son a grown man and his wife pursued by dozens of suitors.

5 Cum Ulixes in mendicum humilem a Minerva conversus ad domicilium rediret, ibi filium Telemachum vidit. Primum adolescens patrem suum non agnovit, cum per viginti annos eum non vidisset. Magnopere motus clamavit: "Esne tu vero pater meus? Multos annos atque multis in terris te quaesivi. Denique revenisti!" Ulixes filium suum monuit ne ulli reditum ejus nuntiaret.

10 Uxor Ulixis, cui erat nomen Penelope, per viginti annos fida conjugii manserat. At illa erat pulcherrima; latas terras, multos greges, multitudinem servorum possidebat. Inter principes Ithacae erat eo tempore magna aemulatio. Omnes Penelope atque divitiis ejus potiri cupiverunt. In domicilio ejus habitabant, et cibum ejus voraverunt et servis ejus mandata dederunt. Diem ex die fida Penelope reditum conjugis sui sperabat, sed tandem, cum Ulixes non rediisset, coacta est promittere se alium conjugem delecturam esse.

15 Ulixes, cum haec cognosceret, consilium cepit, quod filio Telemacho exposuit. Procis Telemachus nuntiavit: "Qui et arcum flectere et sagittam peritissime mittere potest, Penelopen in matrimonium ducet." Telemachus arcum gravem, quo jam pridem Ulixes ipse uteretur, sine ulla mora delegit. Audacibus procis qui periculum non creverunt, hunc arcum dedit.

*mendicus, -i: beggar*

*aemulatio, -onis: rivalry*

*proci, -i: suitor*

41. Why didn't Telemachus recognize Ulysses? a. because he was dressed differently b. because Minerva changed his appearance c. because he hadn't seen him in twenty years d. because he was blind
42. *Multos annos* in line 4 is best translated a. In many years b. For many years c. After many years d. Many years
43. What did Ulysses warn his son? a. not to return home b. to tell of his return c. not to tell of his return d. to prepare to defeat the suitors
44. Pick the best translation for *conjugi* in line 6 a. of her husband b. to her husband c. for her husband d. by her husband
45. What did all the leaders of Ithaca want? a. to kill Ulysses b. to adopt Telemachus c. to have Penelope and her wealth d. to evict Penelope
46. What case is Penelope in line 8?  
a. nominative b. dative c. accusative d. ablative
47. To whom does *sui* in line 11 refer?  
a. Ulysses b. Telemachus c. Penelope d. the suitors
48. What is the tense of *rediisset* in line 11?  
a. present b. imperfect c. perfect d. pluperfect
49. The best translation for *haec* in line 13 is  
a. this b. that c. these things d. those things
50. What bow did Telemachus choose?  
a. the one that Ulysses had used long ago b. the one that Ulysses had never used c. the one that Ulysses wanted to use d. the one that Ulysses himself made