

GRAMMAR. Please choose the best answer for the following questions.

1. Marcus _____ donum dedit.
a) mater b) matre c) matrem d) matri
2. Milites _____ puellis in urbem ambulaverunt.
a) circum b) cum c) ad d) ante
3. Tria milia _____ in castra vidimus.
a) militibus b) militum c) milites d) milite
4. _____ audivisti? a) quem b) qui c) quis d) cui
5. Vir _____ sororem invenit.
a) suo b) suus c) suam d) suum
6. Agricola in agro _____ est. a) visus b) visa c) visum d) visi
7. _____ frumentum edebat.
a) equum b) equus c) equis d) equo
8. Filia mea est altior _____.
a) filius meus b) filii mei c) filio meo d) filii mei
9. _____ vulneratus est.
a) gladiatorum b) cum gladio c) gladio d) a gladio
10. Miles hostem _____ pugnat.
a) fortiter b) fortissimo c) fortibus d) fortiores

VOCABULARY & DERIVATIVES

11. Which word is most nearly the opposite of *sto*?
a) porto b) ludo c) dormio d) sedeo
12. Which word is closest in meaning to *ager*?
a) mons b) iter c) agricola d) campus
13. When Caesar gave the command to break camp, which would he most likely have said?
a) Castra munite! b) Castra movete! c) Castra ponite! d) Castra facite!
14. The animal is "aestivating." That means that the animal is
a) expecting an offspring. b) eating heavily. c) inactive in the summer. d) nursing young
15. Novem + octo = a) duodeviginti b) septendecim c) viginti unus d) sedecim
16. Which word is not a derivative of *clamo*?
a) clairvoyance b) acclaim c) clamorous d) exclamatory
17. Which one is in your head? a) mons b) mens c) mus d) mox
18. Which English word is NOT from the same Latin root word as the others?
a) virility b) viridity c) triumvirate d) virilism
19. If your mom says to you, "I know you had a sonorous nap," she probably means you were
a) snoring b) dreaming c) tossing & turning d) drooling
20. pauci : multi :: bene : _____ a) postea b) longe c) male d) maxime

ROMAN LIFE & HISTORY

21. How was Rhea Silvia related to Romulus and Remus? Rhea Silvia was their
a) sister b) wolf c) hometown d) mother
22. The Punic Wars were fought between Rome and
a) Carthage b) Mithridates c) the Gauls d) Greece
23. Who uttered the words "Alea iacta est"?
a) Cleopatra b) Marc Antony c) Pompey d) Julius Caesar
24. The Roman who was elected consul seven times was
a) Sulla b) Marius c) Scipio Aemilianus d) Crassus
25. agricola : rus :: coquus : _____
a) forum b) culina c) taberna d) templum
26. The *praetor peregrinus* dealt with matters related to
a) animals b) divorces c) elections d) foreigners
27. What do the terms *solea*, *creptidae*, and *caligae* have in common? They are related to
a) footwear b) children's games c) money d) farming

28. Where would you be if you were standing in the *teptdarium*?
 a) dining room b) laundry c) bath d) bakery
29. Who would have said, "Ubi tu Gaius, ego Gaius"?
 a) a politician b) a military general c) a bride d) a mortician
30. Which meal would the Roman have eaten earliest in the day?
 a) cena b) jentaculum c) prandium d) vesperna

MYTHOLOGY

31. Which diety comes to mind when the peacock is mentioned?
 a) Juppiter b) Athena c) Juno d) Apollo
32. Clio, Euterpe, and Calliope were a) Fates b) Furies c) Gorgons d) Muses
33. Which hero went off in search of the golden fleece?
 a) Perseus b) Jason c) Theseus d) Hercules
34. Who was the three-headed dog that stood guard at the underworld's entrance?
 a) Cerberus b) Charon c) Diomedes d) Pegasus
35. Who was the last king of Troy? a) Ulysses b) Agamemnon c) Priam d) Aeneas
36. Who was the wife of Hector? a) Penelope b) Creusa c) Hecuba d) Andromache
37. Which goddess was challenged to a weaving contest by Arachne?
 a) Minerva b) Diana c) Venus d) Ceres
38. Which creature was like a man but with the feet and legs of a goat, short horns and thick hair over the body? a) centaur b) satyr c) minotaur d) dryad
39. Who lost all her many children and was changed into a stone because of her arrogance?
 a) Iphigenia b) Phaedra c) Galatela d) Niobe
40. Which pair were NOT brothers?
 a) Hector & Paris, b) Castor & Pollux, c) Aegeus & Theseus, d) Atreus & Thyestes

READING COMPREHENSION: Please read the story and answer the questions that follow.

Dum Tarquinius Superbus Romae regnat, omen terribile visum est; anguis ex columna lignea elapsus terrorem in regia domu fecit atque ipsius regis pectus anxilis curis implevit. Itaque Tarquinius hoc visu exterritus filius duos Delphos ad clarissimum in terris oraculum mittere constituit. Comes eis additus est L. Iunius Brutus, ex Tarquinia, sorore regis, natus. Cognomen suum hoc modo obtinuit. Rex quosdam principes civitatis interfecit, in quibus erat frater Brutus. Cum Brutus de morte fratris audivisset, crudelitatem regis vitare decrevit et ex industria stultitiam imitatus sibi salutem petivit. Regem spoliare res suas passus est neque cognomen Brutum negavit. Is tum igitur ab Tarquinis ductus est Delphos, ludibrium verius quam comes. Tres iuvenes per ignotas eo tempore terras, ignotiora maria in Graeciam processerunt.

anquis, -is, M/F - snake

lignum, i, N - wood, tree

comes, comitis, M/F - companion

spolio,-are - plunder, rob

ludibrium, -i, N- subject of derision

41. What is the best translation of *Romae*, line 1?
 a) of Rome b) at Rome c) from Rome d) for Rome
42. From what place did the snake slide?
 a) a tree b) the domed ceiling c) the palace d) a column
43. How did Tarquin feel about the event?
 a) it was an omen b) he was worried c) he was terrified d) all of these
44. What kind of oracle was Delphi?
 a) the most accurate b) the closest c) the most famous d) the farthest
45. How was Tarquinia related to Brutus?
 a) mother b) sister c) aunt d) daughter
46. What happened concerning Brutus' brother?
 a) He killed the king. b) He killed citizens. c) He went to Delphi. d) He was killed.
47. Quid Brutus vitare cupivit?
 a) salutem b) crudelitatem regis c) mortem fratris d) ex industria
48. Which of the following statements is true?
 a) Brutus denied his cognomen. b) Brutus plundered the king's property.
 c) Brutus' property was robbed. d) Brutus was injured.
49. On the trip to Delphi...
 a) Brutus was the jokester. b) Brutus was ridiculed.
 c) Brutus derided the king's son. d) No one knew who Brutus was.
50. What does the name Brutus mean?
 a) strong b) clever c) cruel d) stupid