

2003 TSJCL Latin Literature Test

Directions: Choose the author that matches the title.

1. *Aeneid*
A) Horace B) Ovid C) Vergil D) Tacitus
2. *Ars Amatoria*
A) Ovid B) Cicero C) Catullus D) Apuleius
3. *De Agricultura*
A) Cato the Younger B) Lucilius C) Cicero D) Cato the Elder
4. *Germania*
A) Sallust B) Tacitus C) Suetonius D) Marcus Aurelius
5. *Phormio*
A) Terence B) Plautus C) Naevius D) Ennius
6. *Pro Archia*
A) Seneca the Elder B) Prudentius C) Cicero D) Lucan
7. *Quaestiones Naturales*
A) Marcus Aurelius B) Seneca the Elder C) Seneca the Younger D) Lucan
8. *Thebias*
A) Statius B) Lucan C) Valerius Flaccus D) Silius Italicus
9. *Xenia*
A) Catullus B) Martial C) Lucilius D) Juvenal
10. *Miles Gloriosus*
A) Terence B) Naevius C) Ennius D) Plautus
11. *Heroides*
A) Vergil B) Horace C) Ovid D) Livy
12. *Jugurtha*
A) Sallust B) Tacitus C) Suetonius D) Livy
13. *Odissia*
A) Livius Andronicus B) Naevius C) Plautus D) Ennius

14. *Punica*
A) Lucan B) Fronto C) Valerius Paterculus D) Silius Italicus
15. *Res Rusticae*
A) Macrobius B) Prudentius C) Varro D) Quintilian
16. *Zmyrna*
A) Cinna B) Catullus C) Nepos D) Varro
17. *De aquis*
A) Cicero B) Columella C) Vitruvius D) Frontinus
18. *Epodes*
A) Martial B) Horace C) Propertius D) Ovid
19. *Institutio oratoria*
A) Varro B) Quintilian C) Fronto
D) Seneca the Younger
20. *Bellum Punicum*
A) Lucretius B) Gallus C) Nepos D) Naevius

Directions: Choose the best answer for each question.

21. The *Carmen Saliare* and *Carmen Arvale* are
A) early Latin poems B) cultic (priestly) songs
C) both A and B D) none of the above
22. The first Latin comedy and tragedy were written by
A) Naevius B) Livius Andronicus C) Plautus D) Ennius
23. Naevius served in which of these wars?
A) Jugurthine B) First Punic C) Second Punic D) Third Punic
24. Who wrote the *Scipio*?
A) Naevius B) Livius Andronicus C) Ennius D) Plautus
25. What literary device is characterized by the omission of conjunctions?
A) polysyndeton B) metonymy C) asyndeton D) tricolon crescens
26. Moliere's *L'Avare* is based on Plautus'
A) *Aulularia* B) *Amphytrio* C) *Miles Gloriosus* D) *Truculentus*
27. Phaedria and Antipho are characters in Terence's
A) *Eunuchus* B) *Phormio* C) *Hecyra* D) *Andria*

28. "O curas hominum, O quantum est in rebus inane!" is the opening line of whose satires?
 A) Lucilius B) Juvenal C) Horace D) Persius
29. Who was famous for saying "*Delenda est Carthago*"?
 A) Cato the Elder B) Lucretius C) Varro D) Catullus
30. The oldest extant Latin prose work is
 A) *De agricultura* B) *Phormio* C) *Bellum Punicum*
 D) *Carmen de moribus*
31. What is the title of Lucretius' work on Epicurean philosophy?
 A) *De re rustica* B) *De moribus* C) *Tristia* D) *De rerum natura*
32. By what name does Catullus call his beloved in his poems?
 A) Cynthia B) Delia C) Lydia D) Lesbia
33. Complete this line of Catullus: "*Odi et...*
 A) *pereo*" B) *laudo*" C) *amo*" D) *morior*"
34. The subject of Catullus' longest poem is
 A) the Calydonian boar hunt B) the story of Myrrha and Cinyras
 C) Odysseus' return D) the marriage of Peleus and Thetis
35. Who ordered all of Julius Caesar's poetry to be burned?
 A) Caesar himself B) Augustus C) Tiberius D) Claudius
36. How many books in total are contained in Caesar's *De Bello Gallico*?
 A) 6 B) 7 C) 8 D) 10
37. *Catiline* or *Bellum Catilinum* is the work of
 A) Livy B) Tacitus C) Nepos D) Sallust
38. To which historian does Catullus dedicate his book of poetry?
 A) Sallust B) Nepos C) Tacitus D) Suetonius
39. *De lingua Latina* was written by _____ and dedicated to _____.
 A) Cicero...Quintus B) Varro...Nepos C) Quintillian...Nepos D) Varro...Cicero
40. Cicero's great rival was the orator
 A) Sallust B) Hortensius C) Prudentius D) Brutus
41. Which of the following is NOT a speaker or interlocutor in Cicero's *De senectute*?
 A) Manilius B) Laelius C) Scipio Africanus Minor
 D) Cato the Elder

42. Which of these did Cicero address to his son?
 A) *De senectute* B) *De amicitia* C) *De oratore* D) *De officiis*
43. Another name for Vergil's *Eclogues* is
 A) *De re rustica* B) *Bucolics* C) *Georgics* D) *Catalepton*
44. In which book of the *Aeneid* does Aeneas receive his new armor?
 A) 5 B) 6 C) 7 D) 8
45. The poet Horace claims that he has built a monument more lasting than
 A) time B) Rome C) bronze D) Jove
46. The inversion of normal word order is called
 A) hyperbaton B) tmesis C) apostrophe D) litotes
47. Gallus refers to his beloved as
 A) Cynthia B) Delia C) Lycoris D) Nemesis
48. Who was Tibullus' patron?
 A) Maeceas B) Scipio C) Mesalla D) Metellus
49. Propertius was born in
 A) Campagna B) Umbria C) Etruria D) Veneto
50. Ovid's full name was
 A) Marcus Ovidius Pertinax B) Gaius Ovidius Gallus
 C) Publius Ovidius Naso D) Marcus Ovidius Gallus
51. As the reason for his exile, Ovid cites "*carmen et...*
 A) *error.*" B) *maiestas.*" C) *femina formosa.*" D) *ego.*"
52. The first letter of Ovid's *Heroides* is written from the point of view of
 A) Ariadne B) Phaedra C) Medea D) Penelope
53. How many books are in Ovid's *Metamorphoses*?
 A) 8 B) 12 C) 15 D) 24
54. Which of these stories is NOT contained in Ovid's *Metamorphoses*?
 A) Pyramus and Thisbe B) Myrrha and Cinyris
 C) Deucalion and Pyrrha D) Cupid and Psyche
55. How many books were in Livy's *Ab Urbe Condita*?
 A) 90 B) 70 C) 153 D) 142

56. *Sauroriae* are
 A) conversations between historical enemies
 B) deliberations on alternative courses of action
 C) letters from mythological persons D) none of the above
57. Velleius Paterculus is best described as a(n)
 A) tragedian B) orator C) epicist D) historian
58. Manilius is the author of
 A) *Astronomica* B) *De re rustica* C) *Adversus astrologos*
 D) *De lustrationibus*
59. *De ira* is the work of
 A) Seneca the younger B) Gallio C) Lucan D) Cicero
60. Whom does Martial portray as "wandering through the clamorous Subura or treading the thresholds of the great fanned by his sweaty toga"?
 A) Juvenal B) Persius C) Catullus D) Martial himself
61. Martial's work written for the dedication of the Colosseum was titled
 A) *Xenia* B) *Erotion* C) *Satyrica*
 D) *Liber Spectaculorum*
62. How many books were in Pliny the Elder's *Natural History*?
 A) 12 B) 15 C) 37 D) 52
63. Quintillian was born in
 A) Spain B) Italy C) Gaul D) Greece
64. Florus is best characterized as a(n)
 A) elegist B) philosopher C) historian D) theologian
65. The hero of Apuleius' *Metamorphoses* is named
 A) Marcus B) Lycus C) Lucius D) Publius
66. The author of the *Attic Nights* is
 A) Aulus Gellius B) Fronto C) Nemesianus D) unknown
67. All of these are authors of portions of the *Historia Augusta* EXCEPT
 A) Aelius Spartianus B) Marius Maximus C) Julius Capitolinus D) Flavius Vopiscus
68. The author of a *Panegyric* for the emperor Trajan was
 A) Pliny the Elder B) Pliny the Younger C) Seneca the Elder
 D) Seneca the Younger

69. Macrobius' philosophy or religious creed is best described as
A) Stoic B) Epicurean C) Neoplatonist D) Christian
70. *On the Error of Profane Religions* was the work of
A) Arnobius B) Tertullian C) Plotinus D) Firmicus

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WILL BE USED ONLY TO BREAK TIES. PLEASE BE SURE TO MARK THE FOLLOWING ANSWERS ON THE SPACES NUMBER 96-100 ON YOUR SCANTRON.

96. How many books are in Vergil's *Aeneid*?
A) 6 B) 8 C) 10 D) 12
97. *De Legibus* was the sequel to Cicero's
A) *De Senectute* B) *De Republica* C) *De Amicitia* D) *Pro Caelio*
98. Which of these is not a work by Tacitus?
A) *Annales* B) *Agricola* C) *Germania* D) *Apologeticus*
99. L. Coelius Antipater wrote seven books on the war against
A) Hannibal B) Jugurtha C) M. Antonius D) Herman
100. The subject of the poem *Ciris* is
A) Daphne B) Charybdis C) Scylla D) Danae