

2006 NJCL Latin Derivatives Test

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This test consists of three English passages with two types of questions about some of the words which appear in the three passages. Some questions ask for an English synonym of the specified word, other questions ask for the meaning of the Latin root contained in the English word. Follow directions carefully.

Passage 1:

To him who in the love of nature (7) holds
Communion (1, 8) with her visible (2, 9) forms (10), she speaks
A various (3) language (4, 11); for his gayer hours
She has a voice (12) of gladness, and a smile
And eloquence (5, 13) of beauty (6, 14)...

William Cullen Bryant, *Thanatopsis* (1-5)

synonyms

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| 1) communion | A. devotion | B. marriage | C. obfuscation | D. unity |
| 2) visible | A. heard | B. seen | C. smelled | D. touched |
| 3) various | A. changing | B. constant | C. loud | D. soft |
| 4) language | A. eye | B. sight | C. speech | D. touch |
| 5) eloquence | A. pattern | B. recalcitrance | C. rhetoric | D. silence |
| 6) beauty | A. comeliness | B. decency | C. emergence | D. malice |

meaning of Latin root contained in the English word

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| 7) nature | A. be born | B. die | C. soil | D. swim |
| 8) communion | A. birth | B. duty | C. fear | D. unity |
| 9) visible | A. hear | B. see | C. smell | D. touch |
| 10) forms | A. see | B. shape | C. smell | D. touch |
| 11) language | A. ear | B. eye | C. throat | D. tongue |
| 12) voice | A. call | B. pronounce | C. see | D. touch |
| 13) eloquence | A. hear | B. see | C. smell | D. talk |
| 14) beauty | A. bad | B. civil | C. good | D. hot |

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Passage 2: There are in the souls of wicked men those hellish principles (15, 40) reigning (16, 41), that would presently (17, 42) kindle and flame (18, 43) out into hell fire, if it were not for God's restraints. There is laid in the very nature of carnal (19, 44) man a foundation (20, 45) for the torments (21, 46) of hell. There are those corrupt (22, 47) principles, in reigning power (23, 48) in them, and in full possession (24, 49) of them, that are seeds of hell fire. These principles are active (25, 50) and powerful, exceedingly (26, 51) violent (27, 52) in their nature, and if it were not for the restraining hand of God upon them, they would soon break out, they would flame out after the same manner as the same corruptions, the same enmity (28,53) does in the hearts of damned (29, 54) souls...The souls of the wicked are in scripture (30, 55) compared (31, 56) to the troubled seas...Sin is the ruin (32,57) and misery (33, 58) of the soul; it is destructive (34, 59) in its nature; and if God should leave it without restraint,(35, 60) there would need be nothing else to make the soul perfectly (36, 61) miserable. The corruption of the heart of man is immoderate (37, 62) and boundless in its fury (38, 63);...whereas if it were let loose, it would set on fire the course (39, 64) of nature...

Jonathan Edwards, *Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God*

synonyms

15) principles	A. aids	B. procedures	C. rules	D. tests
16) reigning	A. deciding	B. observing	C. ruling	D. testing
17) presently	A. here	B. immediately	C. lately	D. there
18) flame	A. burst	B. hide	C. rage	D. touch
19) carnal	A. brave	B. fleshly	C. tormented	D. venal
20) foundation	A. base	B. center	C. peak	D. tower
21) torments	A. agony	B. harm	C. cutting	D. stretching
22) corrupt	A. bloody	B. moral	C. new	D. tainted
23) power	A. dust	B. pull	C. push	D. strength
24) possession	A. destruction	B. ownership	C. renting	D. revival
25) active	A. dormant	B. forcible	C. passive	D. unceasing
26) exceedingly	A. bare	B. surpassing	C. tame	D. wild
27) violent	A. brave	B. male	C. savage	D. tame
28) enmity	A. courage	B. hatred	C. love	D. reward
29) damned	A. besotted	B. doomed	C. spotted	D. ugly
30) scripture	A. Bible	B. Kama Sutra	C. Koran	D. Birds
31) compared	A. avoided	B. analyzed	C. paralleled	D. tamed
32) ruin	A. building	B. destruction	C. misery	D. rebuilding
33) misery	A. destination	B. happiness	C. love	D. wretchedness
34) destructive	A. elevating	B. harmful	C. healing	D. neutral
35) restraint	A. control	B. division	C. healing	D. wrong
36) perfectly	A. fairly	B. partly	C. totally	D. unfairly
37) immoderate	A. agreed	B. excessive	C. sexy	D. touching
38) fury	A. faint	B. fuzzy	C. moist	D. rage
39) course	A. path	B. pattern	C. plan	D. vulgar

meaning of Latin root

40) principles	A. head	B. hide	C. last	D. take
41) reigning	A. hold	B. lead	C. rule	D. stretch
42) presently	A. be	B. go	C. sail	D. time
43) flame	A. blaze	B. color	C. hot	D. red
44) carnal	A. brave	B. flesh	C. sin	D. twist
45) foundation	A. bottom	B. mass	C. pour	D. top
46) torments	A. burn	B. cut	C. stretch	D. twist
47) corrupt	A. build	B. break	C. seize	D. true

48) power	A. able	B. dust	C. put	D. toe
49) possession	A. give	B. own	C. sit	D. take
50) active	A. do	B. lead	C. run	D. take
51) exceedingly	A. fall	B. go	C. kill	D. more
52) violent	A. drive	B. force	C. man	D. want
53) enmity	A. against	B. for	C. hate	D. love
54) damned	A. block	B. harm	C. praise	D. teases
55) scripture	A. feel	B. know	C. read	D. write
56) compared	A. birth	B. equal	C. obey	D. part
57) ruin	A. crush	B. fall	C. torment	D. touch
58) misery	A. happy	B. mix	C. sad	D. send
59) destructive	A. build	B. harm	C. kill	D. rage
60) restraint	A. hold	B. injure	C. send	D. tie
61) perfectly	A. fashion	B. good	C. make	D. pretend
62) immoderate	A. manner	B. much	C. more	D. native
63) fury	A. fuzz	B. granite	C. rage	D. soft
64) course	A. care for	B. run	C. vulgar	D. walk

Passage 3: The problems facing a Hellenistic city (65, 85)--provided (66, 86) its interest (67, 87) did not clash with that of one of the major (68) states--was not fundamentally (69) different (70, 88) from those which a Classical (89) times used to be confronted (71, 90). One example (72, 91), taken from the history of Apollonia on the Pontus, will suffice (73, 92) to demonstrate (74, 93) the point. (75, 94) It was a city of modest (76) size, fully representative (77) of those urban (78, 95) communities (79, 96) that flourished (80,97) from one end to the other of the Hellenistic world...Its divine (81, 98) patron (82, 99) had played an essential (83, 100) role (84) in colonization.

Chamoux, *Hellenistic Civilization*

synonyms

65) city	A. area	B. hamlet	C. state	D. town
66) provided	A. as long as	B. although	C. nevertheless	D. however
67) interest	A. circle	B. concern	C. parallel	D. straight
68) major	A. lower	B. greater	C. lesser	D. higher
69) fundamentally	A. basically	B. financially	C. morally	D. stubbornly
70) different	A. constant	B. divergent	C. similar	D. touching
71) confronted	A. avoided	B. challenged	C. praised	D. varied
72) example	A. exception	B. instance	C. pattern	D. specimen
73) suffice	A. omit	B. oppose	C. reward	D. satisfy
74) demonstrate	A. hide	B. scare	C. show	D. touch
75) point	A. case	B. dot	C. line	D. object
76) modest	A. large	B. narrow	C. small	D. wide
77) representative	A. aided	B. leaving	C. substituting	D. typical
78) urban	A. of city	B. clever	C. demure	D. rustic
79) community	A. city	B. country	C. kingdom	D. tyranny
80) flourished	A. burned	B. died	C. heated	D. thrived
81) divine	A. evil	B. godly	C. human	D. mad
82) patron	A. backer	B. critic	C. enemy	D. twin
83) essential	A. evident	B. godly	C. necessary	D. useless
84) role	A. object	B. part	C. purpose	D. tangent

meaning of Latin root

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| 85) city | A. citizen | B. house | C. place | D. town |
| 86) provided | A. run | B. hear | C. see | D. touch |
| 87) interest | A. be | B. follow | C. cut | D. go |
| 88) different | A. carry | B. do | C. flow | D. pour |
| 89) Classical | A. first | B. fleet | C. group | D. people |
| 90) confronted | A. branch | B. forehead | C. opposite | D. touch |
| 91) example | A. buy | B. do | C. same | D. see |
| 92) suffice | A. enough | B. make | C. pretend | D. revoke |
| 93) demonstrate | A. hide | B. scare | C. touch | D. warn |
| 94) point | A. case | B. match | C. pierce | D. stand |
| 95) urban | A. barrier | B. city | C. pleasant | D. vessel |
| 96) community | A. courage | B. duty | C. people | D. plan |
| 97) flourished | A. bright | B. flow | C. flower | D. light |
| 98) divine | A. bright | B. god | C. human | D. rich |
| 99) essential | A. be | B. go | C. good | D. need |
| 100) patron | A. brother | B. father | C. mother | D. sister |