

Mottoes, Quotes, Abbreviations
TSJCL Area F Competition
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A. Select the best translation of the following phrases:

1. Cui bono
a. for whose good b. for a good clue c. to whom it matters d. I do good
2. Ad hoc
a. for the good of b. in relation c. to the stars d. for this purpose
3. Mare nostrum
a. Ionian Sea b. Mediterranean c. Tyrranean Sea d. cure all
4. Ad valorem
a. according to the value of goods b. to a higher value c. a hero's pride
d. more value
5. Quid pro quo
a. what happened b. see what c. tit for tat d. for this purpose
6. res gestae
a. accomplishments b. wage war c. St. Augustine d. a mile
7. Corpus delicti
a. chosen information b. absence c. first edition d. facts of the crime
8. dux femina facti
a. the woman is the leader of this deed b. the woman was undone by the deed
c. the deed did in the woman c. the deed was done by the woman
9. esse quam videri
a. to be rather than to seem b. To appear rather than to be
c. to live than to see d. to be or not to be
10. e pluribus unum
a. One nation under God b. One nation from many colonies
c. to live than to see d. to be or not to be
11. Critical notes
a. Nota Bene b. Apparaticus criticus c. Addenda d. Agenda
12. Illogical
a. ne quid nemis b. ne plus ultra c. non sequitur d. nullus secundi
13. perfection
a. ne plus ultra b. non sequitur c. ne quid nemis d. nullus secundi
14. each
a. quo iure b. per se c. i.e. d. plene iuro
15. necessity
a. non sequitur b. ne quid nemis c. sine qua non d. ne plus ultra

16. unique
a. non liquet b. Omnes mutantur c. quot homines d. sui generis

17. handbook
a. P.S. b. vade meam c. ex libris d. i.e.

18. masterpiece
a. Aparaticus Criticus b. Nota bene c. op. cit. d. magnus opus

19. after death
a. in deo b. p.c. c. post mortem d. a.c.

20. Let the buyer beware
a. Caveat emptor b. Cave canem c. Caveat d. Cave

B. Select the best answer for the following:

21. for example
a. i.e. b. eg. c. et al d. op.cit.

22. that which was to be proven
a. AD b. QED c. QEF d. AUC

23. compare
a. cf b. AC c. c d. pc

24. namely
a. qed b. viz c. qv d. n

25. twice a day
a. tib b. eg c. bid d. Rx

26. about
a. cf b. c c. viz d. qv

27. after meals
a. pc b. ac c. AUC d. po

28. Freely
a. viz b. qv c. ac d. ab lib

29. and the rest
a. etc. b. et al c. eg d. i.e.

30. op cit
a. in the work quoted b. critical notes c. table of contents d. end note

31. *qv*
 a. namely b. compare c. which see d. other note
32. **SPQR**
 a. Senate and People of Rome b. Seven Hills of Rome
 c. Who are the people of Rome d. The Safety of the people in Rome
33. *P.S.*
 a. after writing b. after thought c. added information d. each
34. *ibid.*
 a. and the others b. the same c. each d. that is
35. *loc. cit.*
 a. in place of a parent b. in the work mentioned c. citation d. great work

Identify the author of each quotation:

36. I came, I saw, I conquered
 a. Livy b. Plautus c. Petronius d. Caesar
37. Necessity makes even the timid brave
 a. Sallust b. Publius Syrus c. Vergil d. Comuella
38. Work conquers all
 a. Vergil b. Ovid c. Cicero d. Catullus
39. It is sweet and proper to die for one's country
 a. Caesar b. Livy c. Cicero d. Horace
40. Let him who desires peace prepare for war
 a. Caesar b. Cicero c. Vegetius d. Vergil
41. Not for school but for life we learn
 a. Cicero b. Seneca c. Quintillian d. Publius Syrus
42. Let us live, my Lesbia, and let us love.
 a. Propertius b. Catullus c. Ovid d. Horace
43. Clothes make the man
 a. Erasmus b. Prince c. Propertius d. Livy
44. *Tantae molis erat Romanam condere gentem.*
 a. Vergil b. Lucretius c. Erasmus d. Livy
45. *Homo sum, humani nil a me alienum puto*
 a. Vergil b. Cicero c. Plautus d. Terence
46. *Arma virumque cano*
 a. Vergil b. Cicero c. Plautus d. Terence
47. *Ratio ducat, non fortuna.*
 a. Seneca b. Caesar c. Plautus d. Terence

48. Panem et circenses
a. Ennius b. Livy c. Horace d. Juvenil
49. Ave atque vale!
a. Caesar b. Catullus c. Horace d. Vergil
50. Hominis mens discendo alitur et cogitando.
a. Juvenal b. Publius Syrus c. Dionysius cato d. Cicero

Select the correct response:

51. Which of the following is not a legal phrase?
a. habeas corpus b. vade mecum c. de jure d. sup poena
52. Which of the following is not used to denote time?
a. p.m. b. A.U.C. c. Fl. d. a.m.
53. Which of the following would not be found on a piece of American currency?
a. novus ordo seculorum b. e pluribus unum c. annuit coeptis
d. ad astra per aspera

54. Which of the following would not be seen in a book?
a. Addenda b. a priori c. apparaticus criticus d. ex libris

Indicate the words omitted in the following phrases:

55. Dum _____, _____ (While I breathe, I hope)
a. spiro, spero b. aspera, astra c. astra, aspera d. spero, spiro

Tie-Breakers
Only graded
in the event
of a tie.

