

2007 SAN ANTONIO CLASSICAL SOCIETY TSJCL AREA B ACADEMIC OLYMPICS LATIN DERIVATIVES

1-15: Choose the best meaning for the Latin ROOT in the English words below.

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| 1. exacerbate: | a)excellent | b)sharp | c)annoy | d) worse |
| 2. gaudiness: | a)roof | b)golden | c)show | d)rejoice |
| 3. obliviscence: | a)forget | b)angry | c)nothing | d)deny |
| 4. superficial: | a)outer | b)face | c)extra | d)do |
| 5. efficacious: | a)make | b)see | c)say | d)walk |
| 6. ebriosity: | a)shadow | b)breakage | c)drunkenness | d)security |
| 7. monosaccharide: | a)holy | b)priest | c)sugar | d)bag |
| 8. peninsula: | a)strip | b)land | c)warm | d)almost |
| 9. temptress: | a)dress | b)heat | c)try | d)void |
| 10. obesity: | a)instrument | b)animal | c)throw | d)eat |
| 11. abstruse: | a)thrust | b>true | c)peace | d)ploy |
| 12. impugn: | a)smell | b)impulse | c)fight | d)dog |
| 13. nurse: | a)old woman | b)cure | c)nourish | d)neutral |
| 14. concoction: | a)conquer | b)skew | c) cook | d)dip |
| 15. December: | a)coal | b)month | c)winter | d)ten |

16-30: Choose the word that is NOT derived from the same Latin root as the others.

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| 16. a)irrelevant | b)levy | c)levitate | d)rely |
| 17. a)adore | b)order | c)orison | d)oration |
| 18. a)lustrous | b)luciform | c)abluent | d)illustrate |
| 19. a)promontory | b)promote | c)remove | d)remote |
| 20. a)inflection | b)reflex | c)flexor | d)inflict |
| 21. a)concept | b)accent | c)capsule | d)catch |
| 22. a)flamingo | b)flambeau | c)flamboyant | d)effloresce |
| 23. a)intellect | b)unintelligible | c)legitimate | d)predilection |
| 24. a)command | b)emancipate | c)maneuver | d)maintenance |
| 25. a)salmon | b)resilient | c)salute | d)desultory |

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| 26. a)transcendental | b)conscious | c)scientist | d)conscionable |
| 27. a)sole | b)solution | c)resolve | d)absolute |
| 28. a)extravagance | b)vagary | c)evacuate | d)noctivagant |
| 29. a)vindicate | b)convent | c)avenue | d)inconvenience |
| 30. a)anniversary | b)adverse | c)advert | d)aver |

31-40: Choose the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

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| 31. superstition: | a)struō | b)stō | c)strīngō | d)stinguō |
| 32. hesitation: | a)haereō | b)heres | c)hospitis | d)humilis |
| 33. disinterment: | a)terreō | b)terminus | c)terra | d)inter |
| 34. propitiate: | a)proprius | b)prope | c)probus | d)propōnō |
| 35. punctilious: | a)pugnus | b)purgāre | c)unguō | d)pungere |
| 36. humble: | a)habitō | b)habilis | c)humus | d)cumulus |
| 37. coalition: | a)alere | b)alius | c)altus | d)color |
| 38. imponderable: | a)spondeō | b)respondeō | c)oneris | d) pondus |
| 39. soldier: | a)solidus | b)sollicitus | c)consolatio | d)solacium |
| 40. master: | a)maestus | b)maritus | c)magister | d)mater |

41-50: Choose the English word from which the given Latin word is derived.

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| 41. proprius: | a)probable | b)propinquity | c)proprietor | d)propitiate |
| 42. persona: | a)parsonage | b)poise | c)impetus | d)epiphany |
| 43. mens: | a)mesa | b)immense | c)commemorate | d)dementia |
| 44. merx: | a)emerge | b)market | c)mete | d)diameter |
| 45. magnus: | a)manse | b)manacle | c)major | d)remain |
| 46. iacere: | a)jetty | b)junction | c)adjunct | d)conjoin |
| 47. flectere: | a)conflict | b)floriculture | c)florin | d)inflexible |
| 48. fallere: | a)default | b)affable | c)offend | d)proffer |
| 49. dens: | a)strident | b)density | c)recondense | d)trident |
| 50. cavēre: | a)cajole | b)excavate | c)incaution | d)cavil |

51-60: Which English word is NOT derived from the given Latin root:

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| 51. carpere: | a)carp | b)excerpt | c)carper | d)caprice |
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52. sugere: a)suck b)consume c)suction d)succulent
 53. augeō: a)augment b)auction c)august d)inaugural
 54. brevis: a)brief b)breve c)breach d)abbreviate
 55. coquere: a)cook b)precocious c) cincture d) concoct
 56. baculum: a)bacillus b) brace c)baculiform d) bacterial
 57. vermis: a) unvenerable b)varmint c)vermicule d) worm
 58. varius: a)variety b) prevaricate c)invariable d)varietal
 59. sinus: a)insinuate b)sinister c)sinuation d)sinuous
 60. suavis: a)suave b)assuage c)suavity d)assume

51-70: Choose the closest SYNONYM for the given English word.

61. facsimile: a)torch b)likeness c)happy d)visage
 62. prolixity: a)wordiness b)location c)scheming d)weakening
 63. frangible: a)edible b)easily amused c)breakable d)easily surprised
 64. nascent: a)malodorous b)climbing c)relating to the nose d)emerging
 65. moiety: a)reward b)half c)moat d)egoism
 66. plicate: a)completed b)folded c)abundant d)seemingly true
 67. probity: a)honesty b)a thing owned c)appeasement d)nearness
 68. rapine: a)the act of speaking b) the act of plundering
 c) the act of pinning d) the act of hurting
 69. tutelage: a)insurbordination b)study c)guardianship d)earnest petition
 70. suscitare: a)to excite b)to undercut c)to bring back
 d)to announce officially

TIE-BREAKERS: N.B. The questions are numbered 96-100.

Choose the word that is NOT derived from the same Latin root as the others.

96. a)involve b)volt c)volitive d) wallow
 97. a)dentifrice b)fractious c)frictionally d) fricative
 98. a) fluvial b)efflux c)flue d) luxate

Choose the best meaning for the Latin ROOT found in the English word:

99. eradicate: a)root b)spoke wheel c)erase d) say
 100. succuss: a)to curse b)to hit c)to shake d)to run