2014 San Antonio Classical Society

TSJCL Area B Academic Olympics

Latin Derivatives Test

Directions
Match the English derivative to its Latin root.

a. ferō   c. ferus
b. fidō   d. fīlius

1. defy   5. refer
2. oblate   6. fierce
3. defiant   7. affiliate
4. unaffianced   8. fealty

Directions
Match the English derivative to its Latin root.

a. **metior**   c. **manus**
b. **merx**   d. **maneō**

9. mansion   13. incommensurate
10. remnant   14. mortmain
11. manure   15. mart
12. dimensional   16. mercurial

Directions
Match the English derivative to the meaning of its Latin root.

a. **to go**   c. **to gird**
b. **to perceive**   d. **to shut**

17. cinch
18. excretion
19. recluse
20. sluice
21. succinct
22. secede
23. excess
24. unceasing

Directions

Choose the word which is NOT a derivative of the Latin word.

25. **mergō**
    a. merciless   b. emergency   c. immerse   d. merger

26. **pater**
    a. patronize   b. expatriate   c. patroon   d. patient

27. **hospes**
    a. hospital   b. hotel   c. hostile   d. hostel

28. **panis**
    a. peer   b. pantry   c. pastel   d. companion

29. **cadō**
    a. escheat   b. casualty   c. decay   d. cement

30. **agō**
    a. actor   b. agile   c. exigency   d. aggregate

31. **humus**
    a. humification   b. humid   c. humble   d. exhume

32. **habeō**
    a. provender   b. inhibit   c. undue   d. heir

33. **calx**
    a. chalky   b. calciferous   c. incalculable   d. chalice

34. **stō**
    a. coexist   b. obstinate   c. strait   d. unstable

35. **veniō**
    a. coven   b. adventure   c. vent   d. avenue

Directions

Select the best meaning for the English derivative.

36. **moiety**
    a. egotism   b. half   c. altruism   d. hostility

37. **tangential**
    a. sad   b. touching   c. fruity   d. spicy

38. **sedulous**
    a. slow   b. persevering   c. hasty   d. lazy

39. **corroborating**
    a. breaking apart   b. identifying   c. strengthening d. agreeing

40. **moribund**
    a. delaying   b. dying   c. meddlesome   d. jocular

41. **dirigible**
    a. chantable   b. steerable   c. straightforward   d. draggable

Directions
Pick the English word which has a Latin root different from the others.

42. a. haughty   b. subaltern   c. coalesce   d. altar
43. a. frail   b. fractious   c. friary   d. infringe
44. a. deciduous b. decide   c. scissor   d. precise
45. a. encore   b.hour   c.horologe d.abhor
46. a. ingenous   b.jaunty   c.gentle   d.enjoy
47. a. abrupt   b. route   c. ruin   d. rut
48. a. predominant b.dungeon   c.dome   d. dame
49. a. dentifrice b. condensation   c. bidentate   d. dandelion
50. a. procreant b. accredit   c. miscreant d. credulous
51. a. salver   b. save   c. savant   d. savior
52. a. verify   b. aver   c. very   d. averse
53. a. abdicate   b. preach   c. avenge   d. condign
54. a. current   b. curative   c. procure   d. scour
55. a. redeem   b. ambient   c. assume   d. ransom
56. a. asset   b. satiable   c. escalade   d. satisfy

Directions
Choose the best meaning for the Latin root found in the English word.

57. **herbalist**
    a. sage   b. doctor   c. medicine   d. grass
58. **insipid**
    a. drip   b. duty   c. fierce   d. understand
59. **failure**
    a. deceive   b. bear   c. lay   d. break
60. **gravitate**
    a. heavy   b. step   c. turn   d. sore
61. **feign**
    a. pretend   b. boundary   c. start   d. form
62. **alimony**
    a. threshold   b. nourish   c. warn   d. other
63. **scrivener**
    a. write   b. crowded   c. carve   d. flow
64. **vein**
    a. convey   b. come   c. thread   d. blood

65. **exhilaration**
    a. cheerful   b. breathe   c. air   d. height
66. **peculiar**
    a. write   b. odd   c. cattle   d. sin
67. **financial**
    a. strong   b. trade   c. shape   d. boundary
68. **ungrateful**
    a. flock   b. harsh   c. pleasing   d. rule
69. **salaciousness**
    a. show   b. jump   c. salt   d. lust

70. **repay**
    a. part   b. drive   c. country   d. peace

TIE-BREAKERS - Please bubble numbers 96-100 on your answer sheet.

Directions
Choose the best meaning for the Latin root found in the English word.

96. **repiningly**
    a. punishment   b. put   c. attach   d. lament
97. **intuition**
    a. to watch   b. to sense   c. to teach   d. to fear
98. **viand**
    a. live   b. meat   c. hunt   d. street
99. **jetty**
    a. help   b. throw   c. lie   d. join
100. **simpleton**
    a. fold   b. know   c. fill   d. same