

2008 SAN ANTONIO CLASSICAL SOCIETY  
 TSJCL AREA B ACADEMIC OLYMPICS  
 ELEMENTARY GRAMMAR TEST

*Choose the correct answer for the blanks below.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ mihi tuum consilium, Marce!  
 a) Dice                  b) Dicere                  c) Dicite                  d) Dic
2. Gauli arcem Romanorum cras \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) oppugnant            b) oppugnavistis            c) oppugnabit            d) oppugnabunt
3. Senatus imperatorem, \_\_\_\_\_, in exilium misit.  
 a) Coriolanus            b) Coriolanum              c) Coriolane              d) Coriolani
4. Achilles, \_\_\_\_\_ mater nympha Thetis erat, in Troianos acerbum bellum gessit.  
 a) qui                  b) cuius                  c) quae                  d) quō
5. Serve, fer mihi plus \_\_\_\_\_!  
 a) vini                  b) vinum                  c) vino                  d) vinis
6. Etiam piratae in difficilibus temporibus possunt esse \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) honestīs              b) honestae              c) honestas              d) honestī
7. Quo ibis post proelium?  
 a) To where?            b) How?                  c) From where?            d) By what means?
8. Catalina cogitabat de exitio \_\_\_\_\_ rei publicae.  
 a) toti                  b) totae                  c) totius                  d) totā
9. Dux in moeniis urbis \_\_\_\_\_ mansit.  
 a) cum suis militibus    b) suos milites            c) sui milites            d) suis militibus
10. Trans flumen Caesar copias heri \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) ducit                  b) duxerit                  c) ducet                  d) duxit
11. Necesse est \_\_\_\_\_ nostram urbem.  
 a) nos defendemus        b) nobis defendere        c) noster defendendi        d) nos defendere
12. Scipio Africanus classem navium \_\_\_\_\_ navigavit.  
 a) Carthaginem            b) Carthagine              c) Carthago              d) ad Carthaginem
13. Nero magnā cum ostentatione domum \_\_\_\_\_ aedificavit.  
 a) aureō                  b) auream                  c) aureā                  d) aureum

14. Laocoön numquam credebat \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) Graecorum      b) Graecos      c) Graeci      d) Graecis
15. Illo die, ego ipse rem publicam \_\_\_\_\_ liberavi!  
 a) tyrannō      b) tyrannum      c) tyrannī      d) tyranne
16. Caesare interfectō, nuntius \_\_\_\_\_ cucurrit.  
 a) in forō      b) forō      c) in forum      d) forum
17. Lucius Verinus fabulam suōrum factōrum Caesari \_\_\_\_\_ narravit.  
 a) ipsius      b) ipsō      c) ipsī      d) ipse
18. Spartanus miles Persicum imperatorem \_\_\_\_\_ necavit.  
 a) saxō      b) saxum      c) saxī      d) cum saxō
19. Mucius Scaevola in flammās manum \_\_\_\_\_ posuit.  
 a) dextrās      b) dextrum      c) dextrōrum      d) dextram
20. Cicero maior orator \_\_\_\_\_ erat.  
 a) Hortensiō      b) Hortensius      c) Hortensium      d) quam Hortensiī

*Choose the correct verb tense for the verb forms below.*

a)=present, b)=imperfect, c)=future, d)=perfect, e)=pluperfect

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| 21. scribam    | 29. stetistis   |
| 22. tulit      | 30. erat        |
| 23. delectant  | 31. agetis      |
| 24. laborabunt | 32. bibebam     |
| 25. dicunt     | 33. duxi        |
| 26. potueras   | 34. cantaverant |
| 27. eritis     | 35. capit       |
| 28. habebamus  |                 |

*Choose the correct case for the following noun forms.*

a)=nominative, b)=genitive, c)=dative, d)=accusative, e)=ablative

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| 36. animale  | 44. ille    |
| 37. hic      | 45. istius  |
| 38. hominum  | 46. veritas |
| 39. tonsoris | 47. hastā   |
| 40. mundōs   | 48. insulās |
| 41. neminem  | 49. regi    |
| 42. passū    | 50. huic    |
| 43. tibi     |             |

*Please choose the BEST translation for the words or phrases underlined below.*



*Please choose the answer that DOES NOT GRAMMATICALLY BELONG with the others.*

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| 61. a) mundus  | b) humus    | c) fructus  | d) protinus  |
| 62. a) ducor   | b) premor   | c) loquor   | d) capior    |
| 63. a) verba   | b) mora     | c) tempora  | d) nomina    |
| 64. a) erunt   | b) agetis   | c) placet   | d) scribam   |
| 65. a) ordo    | b) mari     | c) sorore   | d) servo     |
| 66. a) facilit | b) gerit    | c) fuit     | d) fert      |
| 67. a) regina  | b) incola   | c) pirata   | d) auriga    |
| 68. a) dierum  | b) passuum  | c) carminum | d) frumentum |
| 69. a) vere    | b) fortiter | c) lente    | d) sorte     |
| 70. a) vult    | b) nolit    | c) it       | d) malet     |

**TIE-BREAKERS**

96. The Romans fought more bravely than the Gauls.

- a) Romani Gaulos fortiter pugnaverunt.
- b) Romani fortiores quam Gaulos pugnaverunt.
- c) Romani Gaulis fortius pugnaverunt.
- d) Romani fortiore Gaulos pugnaverunt.

97. A good poet never lacks work.

- a) Bona poeta labore numquam caret.
- b) Bonus poeta labore numquam caret.
- c) Bonus poeta labore numquam caret.
- d) Bona poeta laboribus numquam caret.

98. Do not send your best soldiers to Troy!

- a) Ne mittas ad Troiam tuos maximos milites!
- b) Noli mittere suos optimos milites ad Troiam!
- c) Noli mittere tuos optimos milites Troiam!
- d) Ne mittis Troiam tuos optimos milites!

99. We should obey the man who speaks most wisely.

- a) Pareamus virum qui sapientissime dicet.
- b) Debemus parere viro qui sapientissime dicit.
- c) Debemus parere virum qui sapientior dicit.
- d) Pareamus viro cui sapientissime dicit.

100. Sacrifice to the gods must be made by a true priest.

- a) Sacrificium dis sacerdoti vero faciendum est.
- b) Sacrificium dis a sacerdote vero faciendum est.
- c) Sacerdos verus sacrificium dis faciet.
- d) Sacerdoti veri deos ad sacrificium faciendum.