

LATIN DERIVATIVES (Contest Code: 04)
2003 San Antonio Classical Society Area-B JCL Convention

I. What does that root mean?

Choose the best meaning for the Latin root in each of the following words.

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| 1. gustatory: | A) laugh | B) like | C) taste | D) praise |
| 2. ambulance: | A) walk | B) heal | C) fly | D) doctor |
| 3. egotistical: | A) arrogant | B) superior | C) I | D) lowly |
| 4. comfortable: | A) soft | B) kind | C) strong | D) home |
| 5. acquiesce: | A) question | B) rest | C) anger | D) gain |
| 6. auxiliary: | A) help | B) increase | C) hear | D) drive |
| 7. puerile: | A) boy | B) think | C) anger | D) fight |
| 8. laboratory: | A) knowledge | B) produce | C) work | D) wash |
| 9. volunteer: | A) charity | B) give | C) work | D) want |
| 10. loquacious: | A) talk | B) live | C) beautiful | D) location |
| 11. nautical: | A) depth | B) ocean | C) sailor | D) rope |
| 12. celerity: | A) vegetable | B) kind | C) honest | D) swift |
| 13. imperative: | A) question | B) order | C) show | D) rude |
| 14. civilization: | A) citizen | B) world | C) home | D) city |
| 15. lucid: | A) lead | B) fortunate | C) light | D) happy |

II. Where did that word come from?

Select the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

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| 16. injunction: | A) iunix | B) iungere | C) iustus | D) iuvare |
| 17. master: | A) magister | B) maestus | C) mater | D) maritus |
| 18. independent: | A) inde | B) prehendere | C) deponere | D) pendere |
| 19. condolence: | A) condere | B) dolere | C) dolus | D) domicilium |
| 20. derision: | A) ridere | B) rigidus | C) deripere | D) Isis |
| 21. projection: | A) progredi | B) iungere | C) iacere | D) propellere |
| 22. beneficence: | A) facere | B) fieri | C) fingere | D) fetus |
| 23. pacifist: | A) pax | B) pacisci | C) paene | D) panis |
| 24. commandment: | A) commodus | B) commutare | C) manere | D) mandare |
| 25. seclusion: | A) secare | B) claudere | C) clivus | D) clipeus |
| 26. prenatal: | A) nasci | B) nancisci | C) natare | D) nauta |
| 27. disperse: | A) pellere | B) Perseus | C) spargere | D) sperare |
| 28. data: | A) debere | B) dare | C) decet | D) dea |
| 29. provoke: | A) vocare | B) velle | C) volucer | D) procul |
| 30. library: | A) liberare | B) libertus | C) liber | D) libra |

III. Which one is different? Select the English word that is NOT derived from the same Latin root as the other three words.

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| 31. A) indices | B) dictum | C) predict | D) diction |
| 32. A) millennium | B) perennial | C) anniversary | D) annulment |
| 33. A) belfry | B) belligerent | C) bellicose | D) antebellum |
| 34. A) fortress | B) forthright | C) fortitude | D) fortify |
| 35. A) nihilism | B) annihilate | C) hilarity | D) nihility |
| 36. A) lupine | B) lunette | C) lunacy | D) lunar |
| 37. A) stellar | B) stealthiness | C) constellation | D) stelliform |
| 38. A) consequence | B) sequel | C) sequential | D) sequester |
| 39. A) fraught | B) fraternize | C) fratricide | D) fraternity |
| 40. A) terrarium | B) territorial | C) terrestrial | D) terrapin |
| 41. A) briquette | B) brief | C) abbreviation | D) brevity |
| 42. A) regal | B) viceroy | C) refractory | D) reign |
| 43. A) corporation | B) coronary | C) corporeal | D) corpuscle |
| 44. A) vitamin | B) vital | C) revitalize | D) vitreous |
| 45. A) anatomy | B) animosity | C) animal | D) magnanimous |

IV. Which one doesn't belong?

Select the English word that is NOT a derivative of the given Latin word.

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| 46. dicere: | A) edifice | B) dictionary | C) dictum | D) indict |
| 47. capere: | A) accept | B) captivate | C) receive | D) capillary |
| 48. mittere: | A) misunderstand | B) missive | C) admit | D) mission |
| 49. tangere: | A) tactile | B) tacit | C) tangible | D) tact |
| 50. fallere: | A) infallible | B) false | C) falter | D) falconry |
| 51. salvus: | A) salivary | B) salvage | C) salve | D) save |
| 52. torquere: | A) extortion | B) torpid | C) torque | D) contortionist |
| 53. nuntiare: | A) pronunciation | B) renounce | C) renowned | D) enunciate |
| 54. lingua: | A) linguistics | B) lingo | C) linger | D) language |
| 55. somnus: | A) soniferous | B) somniloquist | C) insomnia | D) somnambulate |
| 56. annus: | A) perennial | B) annul | C) annual | D) anniversary |
| 57. insula: | A) insulation | B) isolate | C) insoluble | D) peninsula |
| 58. venire: | A) vendor | B) convention | C) circumvent | D) prevent |
| 59. facere: | A) facial | B) facility | C) factory | D) beneficent |
| 60. vox: | A) vouch | B) voice | C) vowel | D) void |

V. What does that word mean?

Choose the word(s) to best express the meaning of the given derivative.

61. contiguous: A) touching B) certain C) unlikely D) joyous
62. fidelity: A) fearfulness B) sound C) faithfulness D) strength
63. audacious: A) practical B) attentive C) foolish D) daring
64. unilateral: A) unanimous B) one-sided C) of one color D) of one faith
65. odious: A) aromatic B) smelly C) hateful D) unusual
66. luminous: A) bright B) crescent C) playful D) divine
67. ocular: pertaining to the: A) moon B) eye C) nose D) mouth
68. invincible: A) close at hand B) unable to be read
C) unable to be conquered D) close to boiling
69. timidity: A) courage B) rashness C) intelligence D) fearfulness
70. moratorium: A) a legal delay B) a place for the dead
C) any extra amount added on D) a customary action

TIE BREAKERS: Be sure to mark your answers to the following questions as numbers 96-100 on your scantron.

Choose the best meaning for the Latin root in each of the following words.

96. innocuous: A) poison B) harm C) night D) fear
97. lavatory: A) wash B) volcano C) work D) basin
98. mollify: A) anger B) insect C) soft D) strong
99. rescind: A) cut B) send C) increase D) obtain
100. permanent: A) always B) seize C) attach D) stay