2019 ACL/NJCL NATIONAL LATIN EXAM CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER FROM A, B, C, OR D. MARK ANSWERS ON ANSWER SHEET.

LATIN I

I EXAM B

- 1. _____ in agrīs lūdēbant. A) Puerī B) Puerōrum C) Puerōs D) Puerīs
- 2. Cūr in ātriō soleae tuae sunt? A) Where B) How many C) When D) Why
- 3. Nos bene Latīnē scrībere possumus! A) are writing B) wrote C) to write D) will write
- 4. Senātōrēs cīvibus Rōmānīs legēs bonās dabant. A) from the Roman citizens B) to the Roman citizens C) of the Roman citizen D) the Roman citizen
- 5. Võs urbem Rõmam mox . A) vīsitābit B) vīsitābitis C) vīsitābimus D) vīsitābunt
- 6. Et Graecī et Rōmānī deum Apollinem laudābant. A) Both...and B) Neither...nor C) Either...or D) Some...others
- 7. Lupus prope Cūriam est! Where is the wolf? A) in the Curia B) behind the Curia C) near the Curia D) under the Curia
- 8. Ubi heri <u>erās</u>? A) are you B) will you be C) have you been D) were you
- 9. Quam pulchra est villa Metellī! A) Who B) Whom C) Than D) How
- 10. Nolī timēre, parve puer! A) I am not afraid B) Don't be afraid C) We were not afraid D) You are not afraid
- 11. Rēgīna nova bene regnat. A) rules B) was ruling C) will rule D) ruled
- 12. Curre, _____, celeriter! A) Aulus B) Aulō C) Aulum D) Aule
- 13. Agricola quinque equos et quattuor boves habet. Quot animalia habet agricola? A) IX B) VI C) VIII D) XI
- 14. Prīmā lūce puellae in silvam ambulābant. A) At sunset B) At noon C) At dawn D) At night
- 15. Pater <u>fīliās fīliōsque</u> diū spectat. A) his daughters and sons B) his daughters or sons C) his daughter and son D) his daughter or son
- 16. Discipulī dēfessī ad vīllam lentē vēnērunt. A) slow B) slowly C) slowness D) slow down
- 17. In urbe Rōmā antīquā erant septem _____. A) mōns B) montis C) montēs D) montibus
- 18. Senex līberīs _____ nārrābat. A) fābulam B) fābulā C) fābulīs D) fābulārum
- 19. Amīcōs nostrōs crās vidēre poterimus. A) we are able B) we were able C) we will be able D) we have been able
- 20. Puer in cubiculō in capite stat. What is the boy doing? A) cleaning his room B) resting on a couch C) standing on his head D) looking around at statues
- 21. At the beginning of each class, what is a Latin teacher most likely to say to the entire class? A) Currite! B) Salvēte! C) Monēte! D) Valēte!
- 22. Ancient Romans of all social classes often visited thermae. What were thermae? A) public baths B) libraries C) racetracks D) voting locations
- 23. What famous Roman hero held off the Etruscan army while his fellow soldiers tore down the only bridge leading to Rome? A) Horatius Cocles B) Mucius Scaevola C) Manlius D) Cincinnatus
- 24. What important city is marked by the star on the map? A) Rome B) Athens C) Troy D) Carthage
- 25. Who released all evils into the world by opening a box she was told never to open? A) Ceres B) Pandora C) Arachne D) Diana
- 26. The students and the teacher developed a tacit understanding of proper classroom behavior. Based on your knowledge of Latin, what does the word tacit mean? A) written B) unchanging C) formal D) unspoken



- 27. Septimius lived in the same house with his mother Aurelia, his father Lucius, his paternal grandfather Gaius, and his sister Horatia. Which of these people would have typically been the *paterfamiliās* of their family? A) Aurelia B) Lucius C) Gaius D) Lucia
- 28. Sum deus bellī et pater Rōmulī Remīque. Quis sum? A) Iuppiter B) Mars C) Plūtō D) Vulcānus
- 29. Where would you most likely find the Latin expression *Tempus fugit*? A) in the front of a book B) over a school's doorway C) at the bottom of a letter D) on the face of a clock

READ THE PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

THE ROMANS FIND A WAY TO RID THEMSELVES OF A PLAGUE

Trēs annōs fuit pestilentia in urbe Rōmā. Itaque sacerdōtēs Rōmānī lēgātōs ad Graeciam mīsērunt. Lēgātī auxilium ab Aesculapiō, deō sānātiōnis, petēbant. Virī Rōmānī ad templum deī vēnērunt. Subitō Rōmānī serpentem vīdērunt. Serpēns templum relinquēbat et ad mare lentē sē movēbat. Serpēns in nāvem Rōmānam ascendit. Prīmō nautae ā nāve fūgērunt quod erant perterritī. Mox rediērunt quod sēnsērunt serpentem esse deum. Serpēns in mediā nāve sē cēlābat. Nautae cibum et aquam serpentī dedērunt. Tandem post sex diēs nautae ad urbem Rōmam advēnērunt. Serpēns dē nāve dēscendit et ad īnsulam in flūmine Tiberī natābat. Propter adventum serpentis, Rōmānī erant laetī quod pestilentia nōn iam in urbe erat.

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1 pestilentia = plague; sacerdōtēs = priests
2 lēgātōs = ambassadors
3 sānātiōnis = of healing
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5 sē movēbat = moved; Prīmō = At first
6 sēnsērunt = realized
7 sē cēlābat = hid
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10 Propter adventum = Because of the
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arrival

30. According to line 1, for how long did the plague last in Rome? A) one year B) two years C) three years D) four years

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- 31. The best translation of **fuit** (line 1) is A) there was B) there will be C) there used to be D) there is
- 32. From lines 1-2 we learn that A) priests were sent to Rome B) ambassadors were sent to Greece C) Greeks were miserable D) the plague had spread to Greece
- 33. According to lines 2-3, Aesculapius was a A) teacher B) general C) politician D) god
- 34. According to lines 3-4, the visitors A) were slowly attacked by a resident B) suddenly saw a snake C) quickly ran back to the ship D) immediately pulled out their weapons
- 35. The best translation of **templum relinquēbat** (line 4) is A) the temple remained B) destroyed the temple C) the temple shook D) left the temple
- 36. According to lines 5-6, the sailors A) sailed to Rome B) hid in a temple C) searched for the snake D) fled from the boat
- 37. According to lines 6-7, why did the Romans return? A) They had killed the snake B) They saw a larger snake C) They thought the snake was a god D) The priest ordered them to return
- 38. According to lines 7-8, the Romans A) killed the snake B) fed the snake C) ate the snake D) imprisoned the snake
- 39. From lines 8-9 we learn that the journey to Rome lasted A) a month B) a week C) six days D) three years
- 40. In honor of the snake there still exists today on the island in the Tiber River a A) hospital B) prison C) library D) fort

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