

2016 AP® LATIN FREE-RESPONSE QUESTIONS

Question 5 (16 percent)

(Suggested time — 15 minutes)

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Deum maxime Mercurium colunt. Huius sunt plurima simulacula, hunc omnium
Line inventorem artium ferunt, hunc viarum atque itinerum ducem, hunc ad quaestus
pecuniae mercaturasque habere vim maximam arbitrantur. Post hunc Apollinem et
Martem et Iovem et Minervam. De his eandem fere quam reliquae gentes habent
5 opinionem: Apollinem morbos depellere, Minervam operum atque artificiorum initia
tradere, Iovem imperium caelestium tenere, Martem bella regere. Huic, cum proelio
dimicare constituerunt, ea quae bello cuperint plerumque devovent.

Bellum Gallicum 6. 17

Answer the following questions **in English** unless the question specifically asks you to write out Latin words.
Number your answer to each question.

1. Identify **one and only one** of Mercury's roles described in lines 1-3 (hunc omnium . . . arbitrantur). **Write out** the specific Latin word or words for that role.
2. Translate ferunt (line 2) in context.
3. According to lines 4-5 (De his . . . opinionem), how do the Gauls' beliefs about the gods compare with those of other peoples?
4. According to Roman belief, Apollo is a god of many things other than healing. Name **one and only one** of these things.
5. Translate the words cum constituerunt (lines 6-7) **AND** identify the mood of constituerunt.
6. Later in Book 6, Caesar describes the religious beliefs of another people. Name that people.

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