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PRELIMINARY ROUND ONE

1. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** Welcome to State Finals 2018, where we're celebrating not only certamen prowess but also the birthday of Rome. Speaking of celebration, who invited citizens from Antmenae, Postumium, and Caenina, as well as the Sabines, to celebrate the festival of Consualia in his newly founded city of Rome? **ANS: ROMULUS**
WRITE-DOWN BONUS: Which king of Caenina did Romulus kill in single combat after he led a resistance to the abduction of the Sabine women? **ANS: ACRO(N)**
 2. **TOSSUP:** Indicate the two Latin words that elide in this line from Vergil's *Aeneid*, which I will read as prose: **hoc dīcēns, ferrum adversō sub pectore condit.** **ANS: FERRUM ADVERSŌ**
BONUS: In that same line, which word is an example of metonymy? (Repeat line if requested.) **ANS: FERRUM (LITERALLY MEANS "IRON," HERE USED AS "SWORD")**
 3. **TOSSUP:** Which creature is described by Hesiod as "half glancing-eyed maiden with beautiful cheeks, and half monstrous serpent, dreadful and huge, swift eater of raw flesh...which lives in her cave below a hollow rock far from the immortal gods and mortal men, where the gods have apportioned her renowned halls to dwell in"? **ANS: ECHIDNA**
BONUS: According to Hesiod, which creature, the hound of Geryon, was the first born to Echidna? **ANS: ORTH(R)OS / ORTHYS**
 4. **TOSSUP:** Translate this sentence into English: **Agricola dīcit sē terram colere.** **ANS: THE FARMER SAYS (THAT) HE TILLS/CULTIVATES THE EARTH.**
BONUS: Now translate the following sentence into English: **Caesar prōclāmāvit hostem cāsūrum esse.** **ANS: CAESAR PROCLAIMED (THAT) THE ENEMY WOULD FALL**
 5. **TOSSUP:** Which English derivative from the Latin verb meaning "yield" refers to an established or official way of doing something? **ANS: PROCEDURE / PROCESS**
BONUS: Which English derivative from the Latin noun meaning "temple" is a synonym of "blasphemous" and "obscene"? **ANS: PROFANE**
- **SCORE CHECK****
6. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** Let's take a trip to the Cinema Romana! Which superhero team might the Romans have called *Ultōrēs*? **ANS: AVENGERS (accept literal translations)**
WRITE-DOWN BONUS: Which Oscar-winning film might the Romans have called *Exī*? **ANS: GET OUT (accept literal translations)**

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7. **TOSSUP:** Which emperor's final words, "**sērō, haec est fidēs**," concluded a reign that had seen many attempts upon his life, such as those by Vindex and Calpurnius Piso? **ANS:** NERO'S
BONUS: Which more widely recognized phrase, which literally means "what an artist dies in me," did Nero utter just before he lost the nerve to commit suicide?
ANS: **QUĀLIS ARTIFEX PEREŌ**
8. **TOSSUP:** What was the profession of a Roman **pīstor**? **ANS:** (GRAIN) MILLER/BAKER
BONUS: The work of a **pīstor** required a specialized piece of equipment, a grain-mill, the lower stone of which, the **mēta**, was well known for its place in the Circuses. What was the entire mill called? **ANS:** **MOLA**
9. **TOSSUP:** While he also wrote several tragedies and **fābulae palliātae**, for which work is Livius Andronicus most famous, a translation of a Homeric work? **ANS:** **ODUSIA / ODYSSEY**
BONUS: The beginnings of Latin literature owed much to Homer. Which other early Latin author claimed that Homer's soul resided in his body? **ANS:** ENNIUS
10. **TOSSUP:** For the verb **quaerō**, give the present passive infinitive. **ANS:** **QUAERĪ**
BONUS: Now give the perfect active infinitive of **quaerō**. **ANS:** **QUAESĪVISSE**

SCORE CHECK

11. **TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into Latin: "Let us all compete!" **ANS:** **OMNĒS (DE)CERTĒMUS / CERTĒMUR / CONTENDĀMUS**
BONUS: Translate the following sentence into Latin: "If only we knew the correct response!" **ANS:** **UTINAM RESPŌNSUM VĒRUM/(COR)RECTUM SCĪRĒMUS!**

12. **TOSSUP:** Please listen to the following passage, adapted from Cupid and Psyche by Apuleius. I will read it twice as prose, and then you will answer a question in ENGLISH.
En rerum naturae prisca parens, en elementorum origo initilais, en oribis totius alma Venus, quae cum mortali puella partiario majestatis honore tractor et nomen meum, caelo conditum, terrenis sordibus profanatur. Nimirum communi nominis piamento vicariae venerationis incertum sustinebo et imaginem mean circumferet puella moritūra.

Question: Why was Venus enraged at the girl? **ANS:** Because the people of the city treated the girl like Deity

BONUS: The passage continues:

Frustra me pastor ille cuius justitiam fidemque magnus comprobavit Iuppiter ob eximiam speciem tantis praetulit deabus. Sed non adeo gaudens ista, quaecumque est, meos honores usurpaverit: iam faxo eam huius etiam ipsius inclitae formonsatis paeniteat.

Question: What did Venus guarantee? **ANS:** That She would regret her beauty

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13. **TOSSUP:** Evadne, Laodamia, Caeneus, Procris, Eriphyle, Phaedra, and Pasiphae are all seen by Aeneas in which region of the underworld? **ANS:** FIELDS OF MOURNING / **LUGENTĒS CAMPĪ**
BONUS: Of the women listed above – Evadne, Laodamia, Caeneus, Procris, Eriphyle, Phaedra, and Pasiphae – which is described as having “wounds that her cruel son dealt?” **ANS:** ERIPHYLE
14. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** Which set of speeches, delivered by Cicero as an ad hominem attack on Mark Antony, refer with their title to the speeches of Demosthenes against King Philip? **ANS:** *PHILIPPICS* / *PHILIPPICAE*
WRITE-DOWN BONUS: In which philosophical dialogue of Cicero does he outline the history of oratory in Greek and Latin, including a description of his own rhetorical career? **ANS:** *BRŪTUS* / *DĒ CLĀRĪS ŌRĀTŌRIBUS*
15. **TOSSUP:** Which elderly shepherd broke an oath sworn to Hermes when he unknowingly revealed information about Apollo’s stolen cattle, and paid for his betrayal by being turned to stone? **ANS:** BATTUS
BONUS: Following the transformation of Battus, Hermes created firesticks and sacrificed two of the cows along the banks of which river, into which he also threw his brushwood sandals? **ANS:** ALPHE(I)US
- **SCORE CHECK**
16. **TOSSUP:** Which author of the late Republic, who qualified as a **novus homō** in politics, counted among his works an unfinished *Histories* from Sulla to Pompey, the ***Bellum Iugurthīnum***, and the ***Bellum Catilīnae***? **ANS:** SALLUST / (GAIUS) SALLUSTIUS (CRISPUS)
BONUS: Sallust’s ***Bellum Catilīnae*** significantly downplays Cicero’s role in putting down the Catilinarian conspiracy. Which work by Cicero, written in dactylic hexameter, depicts his role as integral to the survival of the Republic? **ANS:** ***DĒ CONSULĀTŪ SUŌ*** / ON HIS (OWN) CONSULSHIP
17. **TOSSUP:** Which use of the ablative case can be found in the following sentence? **Bracchia labōre fessa sunt.** **ANS:** CAUSE
BONUS: Which use of the ablative can be found in this sentence? **Nōbilī genere nāta erat.** **ANS:** SOURCE/ORIGIN
18. **TOSSUP:** **Quid Anglicē significat “lepidus”?** **ANS:** CHARMING / WITTY
BONUS: **Quid Anglicē significat “lūcus”?** **ANS:** (SACRED) GROVE / WOOD
19. **TOSSUP:** With which Judaeen princess, the daughter of Herod I, did the future emperor Titus begin an affair after he sacked Jerusalem? **ANS:** BERENICE
BONUS: Which piece of Flavian architecture, located along the Via Sacra, depicts scenes from Titus’s conquest of Jerusalem? **ANS:** ARCH OF TITUS

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20. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** After decapitating Medusa, Perseus used the Gorgon's head to take care of some personal business. Which wicked king of Seriphus, who had assigned Perseus the task of retrieving the Gorgon's head, did Perseus turn to stone along with his entire court? **ANS: POLYDECTES**

BONUS: Before returning to Seriphus, Perseus used the head of Medusa to literally petrify which uncle of Andromeda, to whom the princess had originally been betrothed? **ANS: PHINEUS**

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PRELIMINARY ROUND TWO

1. **TOSSUP:** For the verb **faciō**, give the third person singular, present active subjunctive.
ANS: **FACIAT**
BONUS: Change **faciat** to the passive. ANS: **FĪAT**
 2. **TOSSUP:** The severed head of which triumvir provided a useful prop for a performance of Euripides' *Bacchae*? ANS: (MARCUS LICINIUS) CRASSUS'S
BONUS: Near which city was Crassus killed while campaigning against the Parthians?
ANS: CARRHAE
 3. **TOSSUP:** "Maestro," "masterful," and "majesty" are all derived from which Latin *adverb*?
ANS: **MAGIS** (MORE)
BONUS: "Subtle," "toilet," "tiller," and "context" all derive from which Latin verb?
ANS: **TEXŌ / TEXERE** (WEAVE)
 4. **TOSSUP:** In Book 6 of Caesar's *Commentariū dē Bellō Gallicō*, which Gallic chieftain, who ambushed two separate Roman camps the year before, is unsuccessfully pursued by Caesar's troops? ANS: AMBIORIX
BONUS: Also in Book 6, which favored lieutenant of Caesar defeated the Treveri by tricking them into attacking while the Romans were in a more advantageous position?
ANS: LABIENUS
 5. **TOSSUP:** The wounding of which Greek leader from an arrow shot by Pandarus ended the truce between the Greeks and Trojans? ANS: MENELAUS
BONUS: Which son of Asclepius and physician of the Greeks was summoned to care for the wounded Menelaus? ANS: MACHAON
- **SCORE CHECK**
6. **TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into English: **Rōmānī nōn vī sed virtūte rēs gerant.** ANS: LET THE ROMANS WAGE THEIR AFFAIRS NOT WITH FORCE BUT WITH VIRTUE (accept idiomatic translations of **rēs gerant**, e.g. "accomplish things," "do things," etc.)
BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English: **Fur mercātōrī persuāsīt ut tabernā discēderet.** ANS: THE THIEF PERSUADED THE MERCHANT TO LEAVE THE SHOP
 7. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** In Book 8 of Vergil's *Aeneid*, Evander tells Aeneas the story of Hercules battling which monster near the future site of Rome? ANS: CACUS
WRITE-DOWN BONUS: Earlier in Book 8, which river god appeared to Aeneas in a dream and advises him to seek aid from Evander in the war? ANS: TIBER(INUS)

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8. **TOSSUP:** Which Roman historian, born in Padua, died in 17 AD after writing a massive history of 142 books entitled *Ab Urbe Conditā*? **ANS:** LIVY / TITUS LIVIUS
BONUS: With which legendary character's actions does Livy's history begin? **ANS:** AENEAS'S
9. **TOSSUP:** Which crewmember of Odysseus, his second in command, was the only member of the scouting party on Aeaea not to be turned into a pig by Circe? **ANS:** EURYLOCHUS
BONUS: Odysseus was related to Eurylochus by marriage. To which younger sister of Odysseus was Eurylochus married? **ANS:** CTIMENE
10. **TOSSUP:** Which city's impenetrable façade was bypassed when the Romans tunneled underneath its walls to end their ten-year siege in 396 BC? **ANS:** VEII
BONUS: Which Roman general, often referred to as the "Second Founder of Rome" successfully ended this siege? **ANS:** (MARCUS FURIUS) CAMILLUS
- **SCORE CHECK**
11. **TOSSUP:** Which of the following prepositions, if any, does not belong grammatically: **coram, ob, propter, ad**? **ANS:** **CORAM**
BONUS: Which of these does not belong grammatically: **sub, subter, tenus, in**? **ANS:** **TENUS**
12. **TOSSUP:** Who was the last emperor to rule a united Roman empire? **ANS:** THEODOSIUS I (THE GREAT)
BONUS: Which of his sons ruled in the West after his death? **ANS:** HONORIUS
13. **TOSSUP:** Distinguish in meaning between **vulnus** and **vulgus**. **ANS:** WOUND, CROWD
BONUS: Distinguish in meaning between **tingō** and **tangō**. **ANS:** DYE/MOISTEN, TOUCH
14. **TOSSUP:** Which man, to whom the *Georgics* are dedicated, served as Vergil's literary patron? **ANS:** MAECENAS
BONUS: In the *Georgics*, Vergil describes the art of beekeeping, including a passage about the bees' work inside the hive. Vergil later repurposed this description of bees as a simile in the *Aeneid* describing what? **ANS:** BUILDING OF THE CITY
CARTHAGE

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15. **TOSSUP:** Whose transformation is told in the following lines from Ovid’s *Metamorphoses*?
“My throat had scarcely swallowed the strange juice, when suddenly I felt my heart trembling inside me, my breast seized with yearning for that other element. Unable to hold out for long, crying out, ‘Land, I will never return to, goodbye!’ I immersed my body in the sea... Then I saw, for the first time, this dark green beard, my hair that sweeps the wide sea, these giant shoulders and dusky arms, these legs that curve below into a fish’s fins.”

ANS: GLAUCUS

BONUS: Glaucus continues, “Yet what use is this shape, or that I was pleasing to the ocean gods? What use is it to be a god, if these things do not move you?” Who is the “you” in this passage, a then-beautiful maiden who spent her time with sea nymphs until her monstrous transformation? ANS: SCYLLA

****SCORE CHECK****

16. **TOSSUP:** Listen to the following Passage from the *Menaechmi* from Plautus and answer the following question in English:

Ni mala, ni stulta sies, ni indomita imposque animi quod viro esse odio videas, tute tibi odio habeas. Paeterhac si mihi tale post hunc diem faxis, faxo foris vidua visas patrem.

QUESTION: What are two stipulation that Menachmus makes to the woman?

ANS: If you weren’t Bad, If you were not stupid, If you were not Crazy, and or If you saw what your husband hates. ALL FOUR OF THESE ANSWERS ARE POSSIBLE, THE PLAYER ONLY HAS TO SAY TWO OF THESE TO GET THE TOSSUP.

BONUS: What would happen if said woman did not follow any of these stipulations?

ANS: She would be sent back to her father “As a divorced women”

17. **TOSSUP:** We all know that **nōlite currere** means “don’t run.” How else might you express that negative command, this time using a present subjunctive verb? ANS: **CAVĒTE CURRĀTIS**

BONUS: How might you express the same negative command using the Latin word **nē**? ANS: **NĒ CUCURRERĪTIS**

18. **TOSSUP:** Let’s crank up *Spotificiō Rōmāna*. Which song, by an artist whom the Romans might have called **Anās**, might be called “**Optimam Quam Umquam Habui**”? ANS: “BEST I EVER HAD” (accept literal translations)

BONUS: Which song by the same artist might be called “**Conspice Quae Fēcisti**”?
ANS: “LOOK AT WHAT YOU’VE DONE” (accept literal translations)

19. **TOSSUP:** Which May religious ritual, which involved spreading beans at midnight, was intended to propitiate malign spirits that might otherwise trouble the household? ANS: LEMURIA / LEMURALIA

BONUS: Presumably because of the activity of these spirits, what was considered a particularly unlucky thing to do in May? ANS: WED

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20. **TOSSUP:** Which hero, at first welcomed by the Doliones and their king, accidentally landed back on their shores at night and were mistaken as raiders and attacked by the same tribe?

ANS: JASON

BONUS: Who was the young king of the Doliones who was killed by Jason in this attack? ANS: CYZICUS

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PRELIMINARY ROUND THREE

1. **TOSSUP:** Provide the form of the first person pronoun required to translate the following sentence into Latin: “It is permitted for me to leave the classroom.” ANS: **MIHI**
 BONUS: Now provide the form of the first person pronoun required to translate this sentence into Latin: “I am ashamed of the team’s effort.” ANS: **MEĪ**
 2. **TOSSUP:** Differentiate in meaning between **sollemnis** and **sollicitus**. ANS: **SOLLEMNIS** – SOLEMN / CEREMONIAL; **SOLLICITUS** – ANXIOUS / UPSET
 BONUS: Differentiate in meaning between **mereō** and **mērum**. ANS:
 MEREŌ – DESERVE / EARN; **MĒRUM** – (PURE) WINE
 3. **TOSSUP:** Anaxibia, Gorge, Euippe, Amymone, and Hypermnestra are listed among which group of fifty sisters who were ordered by their father to kill their husbands on their wedding night? ANS: **DANAIDS**
 BONUS: Which son of the Danaid Amymone and the god Poseidon avenged the death of his son by shipwrecking part of the Greek fleet at the Cape of Caphaereus with the use of false beacon fires on the rocks? ANS: **NAUPLIUS**
 4. **TOSSUP:** Which Illyrian queen sparked a brief war against the Romans when she refused to check the piracy in the Adriatic? ANS: **TEUTA**
 BONUS: Which subordinate of Teuta fought against the Romans during the Second Illyrian War? ANS: **DEMETRIUS (OF PHAROS)**
 5. **TOSSUP:** What is the name of the unfinished epic poem by Statius that features the characters Chiron, Thetis, Deidamia, Ulysses, Diomedes, and Achilles? ANS: **ACHILLEID**
 BONUS: To which emperor was the *Achilleid* dedicated? ANS: **DOMITIAN**
- **SCORE CHECK**
6. **TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into English: **Magister ā discipulīs petit quotiēns ad scholam īverint.** ANS: **THE TEACHER ASKS THE STUDENTS HOW MANY TIMES THEY HAVE GONE TO SCHOOL**
 BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English: **Ūna ē discipulīs respondit sē ad scholam saepius īvisse.** ANS: **ONE OF THE STUDENTS RESPONDS THAT SHE HAS GONE TO SCHOOL RATHER OFTEN**
 7. **TOSSUP:** Which law of 66 BC transferred the command against Mithridates from Lucullus to Pompey? ANS: **(LEX) MANILIA**
 BONUS: At which decisive battle did Pompey defeat Mithridates that year? ANS: **NICOPOLIS / LYCUS**

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8. **TOSSUP:** Which son of Ctestios, stolen by his nurse and carried by pirates to Ithaca, was sold to Laertes, raised and treated as an equal, and eventually became their loyal swineherd?
ANS: EUMAEUS
BONUS: Which Ithacan bard, who unwillingly entertained the suitors, is instructed in Book XXIII of the *Odyssey* to play and sing wedding songs very loudly in order to delay the news of the suitors' deaths from reaching the town? ANS: PHEMIUS
9. **TOSSUP:** Please perform the following commands: **Surge et nārrā mihi Anglicē carmen tibi grātissimum.** ANS: STUDENT SHOULD RISE AND SAY IN ENGLISH A SONG THEY QUITE LIKE
BONUS: Now perform these commands: **Surgite et dīcite, "Hoc certamen finītum est; licetne nōbīs discēdere?"** ANS: STUDENTS SHOULD RISE AND SAY, "THIS CERTAMEN IS OVER; MAY WE LEAVE?" (or the like)
10. **TOSSUP:** Which Roman author wrote a collection of letters that espoused the Stoic philosophies of self-reflection and detachment from outside distraction? ANS: SENECA THE YOUNGER / LUCIUS ANNAEUS SENECA
BONUS: To which person, probably fictional, were each of these letters addressed? ANS: LUCILIUS

SCORE CHECK

11. **TOSSUP:** What are the comparative and superlative forms for the Latin adverb **multum**?
ANS: **PLŪS, PLŪRIMĒ**
BONUS: What are the comparative and superlative forms for the Latin adverb **humiliter**? ANS: **HUMILIUS, HUMILLIMĒ**

12. **TOSSUP:** Listen to the Following passage from the *Satyricon* and answer the following question in English

"Ascylte" inquam "intellego nobis convenire non posse. Itaque communēs sarcinulās partiamur ac paupertatem nostram privatis quaestibus temptemus expellere. Et tu litterās scis et ego. Ne quaestibus tuis obstem, aliud aliquid promittam; alioqui mille causae quotidie nos collident et per totam urbem rumoribus different." Non recusavit Ascylos et "Hodie" inquit "quia tanquam scholastici ad cenam promisimus, non perdamus noctem. Cras autem, quia hoc libet, et habitationem mihi prospiciam et aliquem fratrem." "Tardum est" inquam "differe quod placet."

The Question: What did Encolpius think would happen if he stood in the way of the success of Ascylos? ANS: TWENTY THINGS WOULD GET IN THE WAY AND BRING US IN OPPOSITION OR COLLOQUIALLY THIS WILL LEAD TO MULTIPLE ARGUMENTS.

BONUS: Name one way in which Ascylos soothed the soul of Encolpius?

ANS: One. Don't waste the evening or Two. He assured him that he would be happy for new lodging and a new brother tomorrow.

13. **TOSSUP:** Which emperor adopted the **labarum** as his personal standard after defeating his rival at the Milvian Bridge in 312 AD? ANS: CONSTANTINE (I / THE GREAT)
BONUS: Constantine became sole emperor after defeating which other rival at Chrysopolis twelve years later? ANS: LICINIUS

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14. **TOSSUP:** Hephaestus credits Eurynome and which other goddess with caring for him for nine years after his fall from Olympus, which explains why he happily agrees to make armor for her son, Achilles? ANS: THETIS
 BONUS: Which goddess, at the behest of Hera, convinces the unarmored Achilles to show himself at the battle front so that the Greeks can drag the body of Patroclus from the fighting? ANS: IRIS
15. **TOSSUP:** Which literary device is found in the following lines from Catullus 30, which I shall read as prose, in which Catullus chastises his friend Alfenus? **iam tē nil mīseret, dūre, tuī dulcis amīculī? iam mē prōdere, iam nōn dubitās fallere, perfide?**
ANS: ANAPHORA
 BONUS: Name TWO literary devices found in these lines from Catullus 13, in which Catullus tells his friend Fabullus what to bring to dinner. **nōn sine candidā puellā et vīnō et sale et omnibus cachinnīs.** ANS: TWO OF: LITOTES (**nōn sine**), POLYSYNDETON, ONOMATOPOIEA (**cachinnīs**)
- **SCORE CHECK**
16. **WRITE-DOWN TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into Latin, “If the weather had been hot, then the barbarian would have shaved his beard.” ANS: **SĪ TEMPESTĀS FUISSET CALIDA, BARBARUS BARBAM TOTONDISSET.**
 WRITE-DOWN BONUS: Now, rework the same sentence in Latin to be a future more vivid conditional sentence. ANS: **SI TEMPESTAS ERIT/FUERIT CALIDA, BARBARUS BARBAM TONDĒBAT.**
17. **TOSSUP:** What is the meaning of the Latin noun from which “accompaniment” is derived?
ANS: BREAD
 BONUS: What is the meaning of the Latin adverb from which “clandestine” is derived? ANS: SECRETLY
18. **TOSSUP:** In terms of literary genre, what do Vergil’s *Georgics*, Ovid’s *Ars Amātōria*, Horace’s *Ars Poetica*, and Lucretius’s *Dē Rērum Nātūrā* have in common? ANS: DIDACTIC / MEANT TO TEACH
 BONUS: How does Ovid’s meter in his didactic works differ from the traditional meter for didactic poetry? ANS: HE USED ELEGIAC COUPLETS (INSTEAD OF DACTYLIC HEXAMETER)
19. **TOSSUP:** According to Hesiod, Moros, Thanatos, Hypos, Nemesis, and the Fates are all children of which goddess of night? ANS: NYX
 BONUS: According to Hesiod, Moros, Thanatos, Hypos, Nemesis, and the Fates are all offspring that Nyx spawned by herself. Name either of the children, one the Upper Air and the other Day, which she is said to have parented with Erebus.
 ANS: AETHER / HEMERA

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20. **TOSSUP:** Which emperor made a mockery of the Roman state by entrusting offices such as praetorian prefect to a dancer and **praefectus annonae** to a barber, meanwhile withdrawing himself from government to focus on the worship of a conical black stone?

ANS: ELAGABALUS / HELIOGABALUS

BONUS: From which city in Syria had Elagabalus brought this black stone?

ANS: EMESSA

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FINAL ROUND

1. **TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into English: **Quoniam milites viginti milia passuum iter fecerunt, multas horas humi iaceant.** ANS: SINCE THE SOLDIERS MARCHED TWENTY MILES, LET THEM LIE ON THE GROUND FOR MANY HOURS.
BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English: **Si Romam peregrinatus esset, panem et circenses accipisset.** ANS: IF YOU HAD WANDERED / TRAVELED TO ROME, YOU WOULD HAVE RECEIVED BREAD AND CIRCUSES.
BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English: **Manere pauper sed liber melius est divitiis potiendō sub iugō tyrannī.** ANS: TO REMAIN POOR BUT FREE IS BETTER THAN OBTAINING RICHES UNDER THE YOKE OF A TYRANT.
2. **TOSSUP:** Whose defeat in the middle of the third century BC relieved Roman citizens of direct taxation because of the immense tribute subsequently placed upon the Macedonians after the battle of Pydna? ANS: PERSEUS'S
BONUS: At which hilltop city did Perseus spend the remainder of his life as a prisoner? ANS: ALBA FUCENS
BONUS: Which man, claiming to be the son of Perseus, attempted to reunite Macedon, a move that ultimately led to the Fourth Macedonian War? ANS: ANDRISCUS
3. **TOSSUP:** In which genre did Ovid, Sulpicia, Gallus, Catullus, Tibullus, and Propertius *all* write? ANS: (LOVE) ELEGY
BONUS: A situation commonly found in a poem of elegy is the *paraclausithyron*, in which a rejected lover makes overtures to his mistress. In which location does such a scene take place? ANS: OUTSIDE HER (LOCKED/CLOSED) DOOR
BONUS: Unsurprisingly, Sulpicia's poetry was transmitted to us in the collection of a male elegist's poetry. In the corpus of which elegist do we find her poems? ANS: (ALBIUS) TIBULLUS
4. **TOSSUP:** What was the second aqueduct built to supply water to Rome? ANS: (AQUA) ANIO VETUS
BONUS: In which year was the Aqua Anio Vetus commissioned? ANS: 272 BC
BONUS: Which third aqueduct, the longest built in ancient times to provide for Rome itself, was the first to deliver water to the Capitoline, thereby upsetting traditionalists who pointed to a warning in the Sibylline Books against bringing water there? ANS: (AQUA) MARCIA
5. **TOSSUP:** Complete this analogy: "desperate" is to **spēs** as "journal" is to what? ANS: **DIēs**
BONUS: Complete this analogy: "loyal" is to **lēx** as "vouch" is to what? ANS: **VOX**
BONUS: Complete this analogy: "tepid" is to **tepidus** as "fade" is to what? ANS: **VAPIDUS**

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6. **TOSSUP:** Which goddess claims to be a Phrygian princess, the daughter of Otreus, when she appears to the mortal with whom Zeus had caused her to fall in love, a handsome Trojan prince? **ANS:** APHRODITE
BONUS: Of course, this mortal was Anchises. Where, according to the Homeric Hymn to Aphrodite, does this romantic tryst between Aphrodite and Anchises take place? **ANS:** MOUNT IDA
BONUS: Aphrodite attempts to curb her shame at having lain with a mortal by citing two other stories of Trojan princes whom immortals had snatched away because of their godlike beauty. One of these was Ganymede. Who was the dismayed father of Ganymede, whose grief was finally assuaged by a gift of a number of “high-steeping horses such as carry the immortals”? **ANS:** TROS
7. **TOSSUP:** Let’s take one more trip to the Cinema Romana. Which movie might be translated *Pardus Ater*? **ANS:** *BLACK PANTHER* (also accept literal)
BONUS: Which movie might be translated *Maximus Actor*? **ANS:** *THE GREATEST SHOWMAN* (also accept literal)
BONUS: Which movie might be translated *Forma Lymphae*? **ANS:** *THE SHAPE OF WATER* (also accept literal)
8. **TOSSUP:** Which literary device, aside from any form of alliteration, can be found in the following passage from Sallust’s *Bellum Catilinae*? **Huic ab adulescentia bella intestina, caedēs, rapinae, discordia civilis grata fuere, ibique iuventutem suam exercuit.**
ANS: ASYNDETON
BONUS: Which literary device, aside from any form of alliteration, can be found in the following passage from Sallust’s *Bellum Catilinae*? **animus ex multis miseriis atque periculis requievit.** **ANS:** PERSONIFICATION (**animus requievit**)
BONUS: Which literary device, aside from any form of alliteration, can be found in the following passage from Sallust’s *Bellum Catilinae*? **ubi regium imperium, quod initio conservandae libertatis fuerat, in superbiam dominationemque se convertit, immutato more binos imperatores sibi fecere.**
ANS: HENDIADYS (**superbiam dominationemque**)
9. **TOSSUP:** Which type of grammatical construction is demonstrated by the phrases **reginae serviendum erat** and **id faciendum est**? **ANS:** PASSIVE PERIPHRASTIC / GERUNDIVE OF OBLIGATION
BONUS: Using a passive periphrastic, say in Latin, “We must pardon the sister.”
ANS: **IGNOSCENDUM EST A NOBIS SORORI**
BONUS: Now use an impersonal construction to translate that same sentence into Latin. **ANS:** **NECESSE EST NOBIS IGNOSCERE SORORI**

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10. **TOSSUP:** In Book XI of the *Aeneid*, which king of the recently founded city of Argypira in Apulia refuses to help Turnus and the Latins, citing that only evil had befallen Greeks who fought at Troy and attempted a safe return home? **ANS: DIOMEDES**

BONUS: Which ambassador, sent to Argypira by Turnus, returns and relates Diomedes's refusal to Latinus and the council? **ANS: VENULUS**

BONUS: Upon hearing Diomedes's refusal, Latinus voices his opinion that the Latins should consider suing for peace with the Trojans. Which Latin leader and personal enemy of Turnus agrees with the king and leads a petition to have Turnus surrender the war and the hand of Lavinia? This leader had earlier negotiated a temporary truce with Aeneas for the burial of fallen men. **ANS: DRANCES**

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11. **TOSSUP:** Translate the subordinate clause in the following sentence into Latin using a subjunctive verb: "Although she wrote speeches against the same three poets, nevertheless she is original in her message." **ANS: CUM ŌRĀTIŌNĒS CONTRĀ EŌSDEM TRĒS POĒTĀS SCRĪPSEKIT**

BONUS: Now translate the subordinate clause in this sentence using a subjunctive and a comparative adverb: "The soldiers left their swords on the battlefield in order to flee more quickly." **ANS: QUŌ CELERIUS FUGERENT**

BONUS: Now translate the subordinate clause in this sentence using the fewest number of words possible: "The teacher went to the convention to see Certamen." **ANS: VĪSUM CERTĀMEN**

12. **TOSSUP:** Where, after beating off a preliminary attack near Forum Gallorum, did the consuls Aulus Hirtius and Vibius Pansa besiege Decimus Brutus and defeat a portion of Marc Antony's forces? **ANS: MUTINA**

BONUS: At which site did Octavian, Antony, and Lepidus meet a few months later to formalize the agreement known as the Second Triumvirate? **ANS: BONONIA**

BONUS: Which cousin was recognized as Octavian's co-consul in 43 BC? **ANS: (QUINTUS) PEDIUS**

13. **TOSSUP:** Let's play "Name that Ovid." Which work of Ovid opens with the following lines? "Love, having read the name and title on this book, said: 'It's war you declare against me! I see, it's war.'" **ANS: REMEDIA AMŌRIS / THE CURE FOR LOVE**

BONUS: Let's kick "Name that Ovid" up a notch – now in Latin! Which work of Ovid opens with the following lines? *Nāsō Tomitānae iam nōn novus incola terrae / hoc tibi dē Geticō lītore mittit opus.* **ANS: (EPISTULAE) EX PONTŌ / LETTERS FROM THE BLACK SEA**

BONUS: Try one more – in which work of Ovid are the following lines found?

Accipe, Dardanide, moritūrae carmen Elissae; / quae legis ā nōbīs ultima verba legī. **ANS: HERŌIDĒS**

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14. **TOSSUP:** In Book XII of Homer's *Iliad*, which son of Peteos seeks help from both the Ajaxes in defending the portion of the Greek battlements which he and his Athenian forces are protecting from the siege of Sarpedon? **ANS:** MENESTHEUS

BONUS: Which son of Hippolochus leads the Lycian forces alongside Sarpedon during the seige? **ANS:** GLAUCUS

BONUS: Of the two Ajaxes, Telamonian Ajax comes to the aid of Menestheus. Which arrow-shooting brother of this Ajax accompanies him against Sarpedon and the Lycians? **ANS:** TEUCER

15. **TOSSUP:** Please listen to the following passage about the "College Struggle of Gaius" and answer the following question in English

Gaius erat tam laeta cum primā ad suum novum collegium veniret. Multa milia passuum domo erat et amicōs omnibus in suum solum fecit. Gaius quidem omnes clavae in existentia iunxit. Gaius quoque duo labores fecit. Cum omnia vitam esse magnam visa esset, Tamen Gaius introsus passus est. Gaius erat incertus utrum omnia quae fecit vera voluntas habuerit. Ita, Gaius amplificare amicitias populo quo dedit caram ei incepit et vice versa. Sic, Post multae mensae animorum invenientum, Gaius invenit suam veram voluntatem in vitā. Id erat esse discipulus qui perpetuo ad collegios aptāvit et esse in dirum creditum.

Translation:

Gaius was so happy when he first arrived at his new College. He was many miles away from home and He made friends with everyone in his floor. Gaius also joined every possible club. Gaius even got two jobs. Although everything seemed great, Gaius was suffering on the inside. Gaius was unsure whether everything he was doing was worth the time and effort. Thus, he strengthened friendships with people who cared for him. After multiple months of soul searching, Gaius found his purpose in life. It was to be a student continually applying to colleges in horrible debt.

Question: What was one reason why Gaius so excited to be in College?

? **ANS:** HE WAS MILES AWAY FROM HOME(VERY FAR FROM HOME WORKS TOO) and or HE MADE FRIENDS WITH EVERYONE ON HIS FLOOR(DORM HALL FLOOR).

BONUS: Why was Gaius suffering on the inside? **ANS:** BECAUSE HE WAS UNSURE WHETHER EVERYTHING HE WAS DOING HAD A TRUE PURPOSE

BONUS: What did Gaius finally realize was his true purpose in life?

ANS: To continually apply to colleges and be in (dire or horrible or horrific) debt.

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16. **TOSSUP:** Which Thracian king of the Edonians so opposed Dionysus's entry into his kingdom that he drove the god and his Maenad followers away with an ox-goad, which caused him to go mad and hack his son to death? **ANS:** LYCURGUS
 BONUS: Who was this unfortunate child, whom Lycurgus mistook for a grapevine?
 ANS: DRYAS
 BONUS: The actions of Lycurgus brought drought upon his people. When the Edonians learned that the drought would not end as long as Lycurgus lived, how did they kill their king? **ANS:** FED HIM TO MAN-EATING HORSES (ON MOUNT PANGAEUS)
17. **TOSSUP:** For the verb **cernō**, give the second person singular, imperfect passive subjunctive.
 ANS: **CERNERĒRIS**
 BONUS: Change **cernerĕris** to the pluperfect active. **ANS:** **CRĒVISSĒS**
 BONUS: Change **crĕvissēs** to the future indicative. **ANS:** **CERNĒS**
18. **TOSSUP:** What is the meaning of the Latin adverb **scīlicet**, which is synonymous to **certē**?
 ANS: CERTAINLY, OF COURSE
 BONUS: Besides **certē**, give another Latin synonym for **scīlicet**. **ANS:** SEE BELOW
 BONUS: Name another. **ANS:** **MAXIMĒ / VĒRŌ / QUIDEM**
19. **TOSSUP:** Which future emperor preserved his life by disguising himself as an acolyte of Isis and fleeing Rome until his father had secured the defeat of Vitellius and his supporters?
 ANS: DOMITIAN
 BONUS: Which temple in Rome was destroyed in a struggle with the last remnants of Vitellius's supporters? **ANS:** (TEMPLE OF) JUPITER OPTIMUS MAXIMUS / CAPITOLINUS
 BONUS: Which urban prefect and brother of Vespasian was killed during this struggle? **ANS:** FLAVIUS SABINUS

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20. **TOSSUP:** Which Roman author, who had been awarded the **ornāmenta consulāria** for teaching Domitian's nephews, positions himself as a prominent source for criticism of literary style and rhetoric in the twelve books of his *Institūtiō Ōrātōria*? **ANS:** (MARCUS FABIVS) QUINTILIAN(US)
 BONUS: Name the author and the work from which we learn much about the court of Domitian, as several poems in the collection were commissioned by and addressed to Domitian himself. **ANS:** STATIUS, *SILVAE*
 BONUS: Staying in the Flavian period, name the author and work whose title is shared with an epic poem in Greek by Apollonius of Rhodes. **ANS:** VALERIUS FLACCUS, *ARGONAUTICA*

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****THANK YOU!****

TIEBREAKER

In the event of a tie in the final round, the following five-tossup tiebreaker should be played between or among only the teams that tied. Please contact Kate Hattemer if they remain tied.

1. **TOSSUP:** In a reversal of the Twelve Tables, which law of five years later allowed the intermarriage of plebeians and patricians? **ANS: LEX CANULEIA**
2. **TOSSUP:** Translate the following sentence into English: **Nōn dubitum est quīn mercātor īrātus sit.** **ANS: THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT THE MERCHANT IS ANGRY**
3. **TOSSUP:** The poet Ennius also had some experience on military campaign. Who was Ennius' literary patron, whom Ennius accompanied on the campaign to Ambracia?
ANS: (MARCUS) FULVIUS NOBILIOR
4. **TOSSUP: Quid Ānglicē significat foedus, nōmen Latīnum?** **ANS: TREATY**
5. **TOSSUP:** Which Theban princess, driven mad by Tisiphone, leapt into the sea with her young son Melicertes? **ANS: INO**