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NOTE TO MODERATORS: in answers, information in parentheses is optional extra information. A slash (/) indicates an alternate answer. Underlined portions of a longer, narrative answer indicate required information.

ROUND ONE

1. **TOSSUP**: From what Latin noun, with what meaning, do the words ignition and igneous ultimately derive?   ANS: **IGNIS,** FIRE
    BONUS: From what Latin verb, with what meaning, do the words coherent and adhesion derive? ANS: **HAEREŌ**, STICK/CLING

2. **TOSSUP**: According to Livy and Plutarch, what legendary Roman triumphed four times, was dictator five times, was never once consul, was honored with the title "Second Founder of Rome," and conquered the city of Veii in 396 BC?   ANS: (M. FURIUS) CAMILLUS
    BONUS: Following the victory over Veii, for what accusation did his political adversaries impeach Camillus?   ANS: EMBEZZLEMENT

3. **TOSSUP**: According to Hesiod, what moon titan, the daughter of Ouranos and Gaia, bore Leto from the union with her brother Coeus? ANS: PHOEBE
    BONUS: According to Hesiod, what Star goddess was also the daughter of Phoebe and Coeus and the mother of Hecate?   ANS: Asteria

4. **TOSSUP**: What fifteen-book work of Ovid ends with the apotheosis of Julius Caesar? ANS: *METAMORPHOSES*
    BONUS: What other work of Ovid, consisting of epistolary poems written by mythological heroines, allowed him to claim that he had created a new genre of mythological elegy? ANS: *HEROIDES*

5. **TOSSUP**: Give the 3rd person singular, pluperfect active subjunctive of **noceō, nocēre.** ANS: **NOCUISSET**
    BONUS: Now give the 2nd person plural present subjunctive of **morior, morī**.   ANS: **MORIĀMINĪ**

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6. **TOSSUP**: In the *Aeneid*, what Harpy encountered by Aeneas in the Strophades, cursing Aeneas and his men so that they would be so hungry as to eat their own tables? ANS: CELAENO
    BONUS: What harpy whose name means "Swift foot," was the mother of Achilles' immortal horses?   ANS: PODARGE

7. **TOSSUP**: Please translate the following Latin sentence into English: **rogāvī meam mātrem ut prāndium mihi parāret.** ANS: I ASKED MY MOTHER TO PREPARE LUNCH FOR ME.

BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English, **Scīsne quis ientāculum parāverit?**
ANS: DO YOU KNOW WHO (HAS) MADE BREAKFAST?

8. **TOSSUP**: Despite an initial setback at the Lipari Islands, the Romans implemented what boarding device against the Carthaginians in naval warfare in 260 BC?   ANS: **CORVUS** (N.B. prompt for Latin term if a description of the **corvus** is given: spiked boarding bridge operated lowered from the prow of the ship by a system of pulleys)
     BONUS: This invention, however, is not mentioned in later sources after Cape Ecnomus in 256 BC and was not used in the final decisive battle of the First Punic War. What was this final battle, which took place in 241 BC?   ANS: AEGATES ISLAND

9. **TOSSUP**: Identify the use of the subjunctive in the following sentence, **īvī ad lūdum ut discam.**   ANS: (ADVERBIAL (CLAUSE OF)) PURPOSE
     BONUS: Haha! Like that sentence is true! Now identify the use of the subjunctive in this sentence, **tam molesta in lūdō sum ut omnēs magistrī mē vituperent.**   ANS: RESULT

10. **TOSSUP**: The installation of the **collēgium scrībārum histriōnumque**, the composition of a *parthenion* in honor of Juno in 207 B.C., and a Latin translation of Homer's *Odyssey* are all associated with what early Roman author?   ANS: LIVIUS ANDRONICUS
     BONUS: From what southern city and former Greek colony did Livius Andronicus originally hail?   ANS: TARENTUM

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11. **TOSSUP**: Listen to the following passage, which I will read twice, then answer IN ENGLISH the question that follows:

     Populus Rōmānus ad forum īvit ut imperātōrem audīret. Imperātor, tamen, nōn aderat, nam manus mīlitum infestiōrum eum interfēcerat. Eheu! Igitur, nēmō ad forum ad populum alloquendum. Omnēs anxiī confīsīque vehementer clāmāvērunt. (repeat)

     Question: Why did the emperor not come to the forum?
       ANS: BECAUSE HE WAS DEAD / (A BAND OF RATHER WICKED) MEN HAD KILLED HIM
     BONUS: Why did the people shout in anxious confusion? ANS: NO ONE CAME TO ADDRESS THEM

12. **TOSSUP**: What **novus homo** from Arpinum was credited with the capture of the Numidian king Jugurtha, victories over the Cimbri and Teutones, and the successful reformation of the Roman army? ANS: (C.) MARIUS
     BONUS: Where had the migrating tribes of the Cimbri and Teutones dealt the Romans a disastrous defeat in 105 BC?   ANS: ARAUSIO / ORANGE

13. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following movie quotation adapted from *The Hobbit* into GOOD (as opposed to BAD) Latin, using **gemma, gemmae** for precious: "If he will lose precious, I will eat him."   **ANS: SĪ GEMMAM ĀMITTET/PERDET, EUM/ILLUM CONSŪMAM/EDAM/DĒVORĀBŌ.**
    BONUS: Now change the verbs from previous sentence as though they were in a past contrary to fact condition. ANS: **ĀMISISSET, CONSUMPSISSEM/ĒDISSEM/DĒVORĀVISSEM**

14. **TOSSUP**: In the *Odyssey*, what son of Nausithous was married to his brother Rhexenor's daughter named Arete?   ANS: ALCINOUS
    BONUS: What couple did Alcinous and Arete purify of their bloodguilt on the condition that they were first married? ANS: JASON & MEDEA

15. **TOSSUP**: What Roman province issued coins decorated with sheaves of wheat and was called the breadbasket of Rome?   ANS: **AEGYPTUS**/EGYPT
    BONUS: What region of Italy contained Naples, Pompeii, and Herculaneum?
    ANS: CAMPANIA

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16. **TOSSUP: Quid significat Anglice "conor, conārī"?** ANS: TRY
    BONUS: Quid significant Anglice "alō, alere"? ANS: NURTURE / FEED / NURSE / NOURISH / SUPPORT / INCREASE / STRENGTHEN

17. **TOSSUP**: What Roman author wrote a six book didactic work entitled **Dē Rērum Naturā**, in which he states that a **clīnāmen**, or atom swerve, accounts for human free will? ANS: (TITUS) LUCRETIUS (CARUS)
    BONUS: With what grim event of 430 B.C. does Lucretius end the **Dē Rērum Naturā**?
    ANS: PLAGUE AT ATHENS

18. **TOSSUP**: Which member of the Seven Against Thebes was swallowed up by the earth?
    ANS: AMPHIARAUS
    BONUS: What was the name of the wife of Amphiaraus who had forced him to go in the campaign against Thebes?   ANS: ERIPHYLE

19. **TOSSUP**: What military formation, literally meaning "a handful," was adopted in 315 BC by the Romans to provide better maneuverability in the rugged terrain of Samnium?   ANS: MANIPLE
    BONUS: Of the three different lines of **prīncipēs**, **hastātī**, and **triāriī**, which would make the first engagement with the enemy?   ANS: **HASTĀTĪ**

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20. **TOSSUP**: Time for Cinema Romana! What current movie would have been called in Latin **Lingua Fractī Cordis**. ANS: *LANGUAGE OF A BROKEN HEART* (N.B. PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).

    BONUS: What classic foreign language blockbuster would have been called in Latin **Repēns Tigris, Cēlātus Draco**? ANS: *CROUCHING TIGER, HIDDEN DRAGON* (N.B. PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).

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ROUND TWO

1. **TOSSUP**: Not everything in the Latin language is regular! Give the principal parts of the irregular Latin verb at the ultimate root of "offer". ANS: **FERŌ, FERRE, TULĪ, LĀTUM**
   BONUS: Now give all the principal parts of the irregular Latin verb meaning to "prefer."
   ANS: **MĀLŌ, MALLE, MĀLUĪ**

2. **TOSSUP**: Who had killed her son Itys in a cold-blooded, calculated act of revenge against her husband Tereus for the rape of her sister? ANS: PROCNE
   BONUS: Who killed Mermerus and Pheres in a cold-blooded, calculated act of vengeance against her ungrateful husband? ANS: MEDEA

3. **TOSSUP**: Who am I? I was a partisan of Sulla and a chief player in his victory at the Colline Gate. I operated a kind of private fire department and owned gangs of slaves skilled in building trades so that, whenever a fire broke out, my firemen would appear to put out the fire once the owner agreed to sell it to me at a reduced price. Money gave me enough political power to be elected consul twice – once in 70 BC and another time in 55 BC. Who am I? ANS: (M. LICINIUS) CRASSUS (DIVES)
   BONUS: Crassus so wanted to gain renown for military prowess that he set out on a full-scale invasion of Parthia. But knowing very little about Parthian topography or war tactics, he was ambushed and died near what city in 53 BC? ANS: CARRHAE

4. **TOSSUP**: During whose play did the audience leave to go see tightrope walkers instead?
   ANS: TERENCE'S / (P.) TERENTIUS (AFER)
   BONUS: What was the title of this play that was so poorly received? ANS: HECYRA / "THE MOTHER-IN-LAW"

5. **TOSSUP**: Which of the following words is not derived from the same ultimate root: conjoin, junction, adjudicate; subjugate, adjustment. ANS: ADJUDICATE
   BONUS: Which of the following words is not derived from the same ultimate root: abject, adjacent, conjecture, interjection, subjective. ANS: ADJACENT

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6. **TOSSUP**: What king of Megara had a purple lock of hair that granted him invincibility in war? ANS: NISUS
   BONUS: What daughter of Nisus cut his hair and presented it as a gift to Minos?
   ANS: SCYLLA

7. **TOSSUP**: Please translate the following Latin sentence into English: **Caesāre interfectō, nōnnūllī senātōrēs ad Graeciam fūgērunt.** ANS: AFTER/WHEN/SINCE/ALTHOUGH CAESAR HAD BEEN KILLED (WITH CAESAR HAVING BEEN KILLED), SOME SENATORS FLED TO GREECE.
   BONUS: Now translate this sentence into English, **Quis Caesārem servāvisset**?

ANS: WHO COULD/WOULD HAVE SAVED CAESAR?

8. **TOSSUP**: Several Gallic leaders implored Caesar's help against what belligerent king of the Suebi, whom Caesar defeated at the battle of the Vosges in 58 BC?   ANS: ARIOVISTUS
    BONUS: Caesar crossed the English Channel to invade Britain and defeated what British war king in 54 BC?   ANS: CASSIVELAUNUS

9. **TOSSUP**: Translate the word **cum** in the following sentence: **Cum puella pulcherrima esset, illa tamen nūllum maritum habet.**   ANS: ALTHOUGH
    BONUS: Give the other two common definitions of **cum** as a conjunction.
    ANS: WHEN, SINCE (N.B. do NOT accept "with," which is a definition of the preposition **cum**)

10. **TOSSUP**: What pastoral work, largely inspired by the *Idylls* of Theocritus, includes a consolation for the poet Cornelius Gallus and a prophetic song about a child who would witness the coming of a new, golden age?   ANS: *ECLOGUES / BUCOLICS*
    BONUS: What didactic work of Vergil discusses the life and habits of bees in its fourth and final book?   ANS: *GEORGICS*

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11. **TOSSUP**: Listen to the following passage, which I will read twice, then answer IN ENGLISH the questions that follows:

    Mea māter mihi et meīs amīcīs cibum coxit. Dum cēnābāmus, ūnus meīs ex amīcīs cibum ad mē iēcit. Tum, omnēs amīcī cibum undīque iacere coepērunt. Mea māter nōs vituperāvit et clāmāvit ad deōs, "ferte mihi auxilium, insāna enim fīō!" (repeat)

    Question: What did all the children start doing? ANS: THROWING FOOD
    BONUS: What did the mother say to the gods? ANS: HELP ME! I'M GOING CRAZY (OR THE LIKE)

12. **TOSSUP**: The Romans favored homes that were highly decorated. What style of decoration involved painting a mural on a freshly layer plaster before it dried? ANS: FRESCO
    BONUS: What famous villa in Pompeii is decorated with many fine frescos depicting religious rites? ANS: VILLA OF THE MYSTERIES

13. **TOSSUP**: Say in Latin: "I know that there is love."   ANS: **SCIŌ AMŌREM ESSE**.
    BONUS: Now say in Latin, "I know that I will never love again." ANS: **SCIŌ MĒ NUMQUAM ITERUM/RURSUS/POSTHAC AMĀTŪRUM/AMĀTŪRAM ESSE.**

14. **TOSSUP**: According to Ovid, Actaeon had many dogs, but which of his dogs shares a name with a famous seer who was able to speak with animals?   ANS: MELAMPUS

BONUS: Who was Actaeon's father, a man famous in his own right for his close connection to a specific kind of creature?
ANS: ARISTEAUS (THE FAMOUS BEEKEEPER)

15. **TOSSUP**: For his reign of two years and twenty days, this man gained one of the best reputations of any Roman emperor for his goodness. However, his goodness was put to the test on August 24, 79 AD when the towns of Herculaneum and Pompeii were wiped out by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius. He provided much disaster relief and visited it after the eruption. Who was this Roman emperor? ANS: TITUS

BONUS: Although he may have done good deeds, the Romans worried that Titus would become a "Second Nero." For what Judaean queen did Titus hold a passion that diminished his popularity with the general populace? ANS: BERENICE

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16. **TOSSUP**: What ethnographic treatise of Tacitus relied extensively on documentation from Pliny the Elder's **Bella Germaniae**? ANS: *GERMANIA / DĒ ORĪGINE ET SITŪ GERMANŌRUM*

BONUS: In what work does Tacitus praise his father-in-law, who served as governor of Britain under the emperor Domitian? ANS: *AGRICOLA / DĒ VITĀ IULIĪ AGRICOLAE*

17. **TOSSUP**: Differentiate in meaning between **audiō** and **audeō.** ANS: **AUDIŌ** MEANS "HEAR/LISTEN TO" AND **AUDEŌ** MEANS "DARE"

BONUS: Differentiate in meaning between the nouns **mos, mōris** and **mors, mortis** ANS: **MOS** MEANS "CUSTOM/HABIT" AND **MORS** MEANS "DEATH"

18. **TOSSUP**: Whom did the old shepherd Battus observe stealing cattle? ANS: HERMES / MERCURY

BONUS: According to Ovid, into what Mercury transform Battus for ratting him out to Apollo? ANS: (BLACK FLINT)STONE / TOUCHSTONE

19. **TOSSUP**: At what site did two emperor-deciding battles take place in the year 69 AD? ANS: CREMONA / BEDRIACUM

BONUS: After defeating the Vitellian commanders Valens and Caecina at the "Second Cremona," what general rushed to Rome to help proclaim Vespasian's status as emperor? ANS: (M. ANTONIUS) PRIMUS

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20. **TOSSUP**: Welcome to **HBrO**mana! What popular novel-turned-television series might the Romans have called **Lūdus Cathedrārum**? ANS: GAME OF THRONES (N.B. PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).

BONUS: Each noble family in the series abides by their family motto. One family's would be aptly stated in Latin as **tam celsa quam decus**. What does this mean?   ANS: AS HIGH AS HONOR (N.B. PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).

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ROUND THREE

1. **TOSSUP**: What structure at the northwest end of the Forum, dedicated in 203 AD, marked the victories of the Romans over the Parthians?   ANS: ARCH OF SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS
    BONUS: Which emperor, besides Trajan, had a victory column with a spiral frieze commemorating his victory over the Marcomanni, Quadi, and Sarmatians?
    ANS: MARCUS AURELIUS

2. **TOSSUP**: Pretend you are a sassy student in class. What would it mean if you told the teacher, **cogitāre est difficile**?   ANS: THINKING IS DIFFICULT / IT IS HARD TO THINK
    BONUS: So… you don't have to pretend! What would it mean now if you said, **opus mihi nōn faciendum est.**   ANS: WORK MUST NOT BE DONE BY ME / I MUST NOT DO WORK.

3. **TOSSUP**: What empress convinced her husband on his deathbed to adopt Hadrian as his successor?   ANS: PLOTINA
    BONUS: While Hadrian's predecessor was inclined to listen to his wife's opinions, Hadrian himself disliked his wife Vibia Sabina and preferred what Bithynian youth, of whom numerous statues and busts have survived?   ANS: ANTINOUS

4. **TOSSUP**: Identify the use of the verb meaning "to sleep" in the following sentence: **redīvit domum dormītum.** ANS: (ACCUSATIVE) SUPINE OF PURPOSE (N.B. PROMPT ON SUPINE)
    BONUS: Now identify form of the verb meaning "to follow" in the following sentence: **diū secūtus manum mīlitium, Rōmam tandem advēnī.**   ANS: PERFECT (DEPONENT) PARTICIPLE (also accept either PERFECT ACTIVE PARTICIPLE or PERFECT PASSIVE PARTICIPLE)

5. **TOSSUP**: According to the *Aeneid*, what fire-breathing giant stole the cattle of Hercules as he was traveling through Italy?   ANS: CACUS
    BONUS: Who relates the story of Cacus and Hercules to Aeneas to explain the origin of the rites being celebrated by his people?   ANS: EVANDER

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6. **TOSSUP**: What Roman author born at Amiternum in 86 BC served as the governor of Africa Nova and wrote the historical monographs **Bellum Catilinae and Bellum Iugurthae**?
   ANS: (GAIUS) SALLUST(IUS) CRISPUS

   BONUS: What Athenian historian, considered by scholars to be the first "scientific" writer of history, was the primary influence for Sallust?   ANS: THUCYDIDES

7. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence into Latin: "He fears that the lion may eat him."
    ANS: **TIMET/VERĒTUR/METUIT NĒ LEO EUM/ILLUM CONSŪMAT/EDAT/DĒVORET.**
    BONUS: Hopefully he's safe! But we might not be so lucky. Translate the following sentence into Latin, "We fear that all our gold has been be found."
    ANS: **TIMĒMUS/VERĒMUR/METUIMUS NĒ OMNE (NOSTRUM) AURUM INVENTUM/REPERTUM SIT.**

8. **TOSSUP**: What Sabine man ruled alongside Romulus, though only for a short time?   ANS: (T.) TATIUS
    BONUS: Not including Tatius, name all the Sabine kings of Rome.
    ANS: NUMA (POMPILIUS) & ANCUS MARCIUS

9. **TOSSUP**: From what Latin verb with what meaning do the following words ultimately derive: original, orientation, abort, and oriental?   ANS: **ORIOR (ORĪRĪ, ORTUS SUM) -** RISE
    BONUS: From what Latin verb with what meaning do the following words ultimately derive: monument, monster, money, and premonition?
    ANS: **MONEŌ (MONĒRE, MONUĪ, MONĪTUM) -** WARN/ADVISE

10. **TOSSUP**: Whose punishment in the underworld was to have an eagle eat his liver?   ANS: TITYUS
    BONUS: Tityus was punished this way for attempting to rape whom?
    ANS: LETO/LATONA

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11. **TOSSUP**: Listen to the following passage, which I will read twice, then answer the questions that follow:

    Ōlim Venus et Iūno sermōnem habēbant quia fīlius Veneris, quī Aenēas appellābatur, Carthāgine manēre volēbat. Venus ā Iunōne petīvit ut Aenēas rēgīnam Carthāginis in mātrimōnium dūceret. Iūno consensit, sed fallere Venerem conābātur. (repeat)

    Question: What did Venus ask from Juno?
    ANS: THAT AENEAS MARRY THE QUEEN OF CARTHAGE.
    BONUS: Listen as I read the next the passage continues, then answer the question that follows: **Tandem Aenēas rēgīnam Carthāginis in mātrimōnium dūxit, sed mox ex Africā eī discēdendum erat. Quōdam diē, Mercūrius Aenēan allocūtus est, et eum vehementer hortātus est ut ad Ītaliam īret. Igitur, Aenēas invītus discessit.** (repeat)
    ANS: What was necessary for Aeneas to do?
    ANS: LEAVE (FROM) AFRICA (AND GO TO ITALY) (N.B. prompt if student only says, "go to Italy")

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12. **TOSSUP**: What Roman poet from Umbria wrote "**Tū mihi sōla domus**" about a woman named Cynthia in his first book of elegies?   ANS: (SEXTUS) PROPERTIUS
    BONUS: About what great work did Propertius write "**nesciō quid maius nāscitur Iliade**"?   ANS: *AENEID*

13. **TOSSUP**: What title did Aurelian receive after defeating Tetricus and repatriating the Gallic Empire in 272 AD?   ANS: **RESTITUTOR ORBIS**
    BONUS: Aurelian received the title **Restitutor Orientis** after defeating what Palmyran queen at Antioch in 274 AD?   ANS: ZENOBIA

14. **TOSSUP**: Pretend you are watching a scary movie, and someone dies gruesomely. Give the appropriate Latin supine of the verb "see" in the phrase, "Disgusting to see!"   ANS: **VISŪ**
    BONUS: Now give the appropriate Latin gerundive form of the verb "see" in the sentence, "I must see this moving picture again!"   ANS: **VIDENDA**

15. **TOSSUP**: What hero encountered Eurytus and Cteatus and Acmon and Passalus? ANS: HERACLES
    BONUS: What was the special physical distinction of Eurytus and Cteatus that made them so difficult for Heracles to defeat? ANS: THEY WERE <u>CONJOINED</u> TWINS

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16. **TOSSUP**: What literary device consists of the repetition of a word at the beginning of successive clauses as seen in this quotation from Cicero's speech against Verres, which I will read twice?
    Cum haec omnia tanta contentiōne, tantis copiīs agerentur; cum illum miserum multī accusārent, nēmō dēfenderet; cumque Dolābella cum suīs praefectīs pugnāret in consiliō, Verres fortūnās agī suās dīceret, īdem testimonium dīceret, īdem esset in consiliō, īdem accusatōrem parāsset... (repeat) ANS: ANAPHORA
    BONUS: Identify the literary device in the following line from Vergil's *Aeneid*: "**Tum Cerērem corruptam undīs Cereāliaeque arma expediunt fessī rērum.**"
    ANS: METONYMY

17. **TOSSUP**: Of the following verbs: **parcō**, **pareō**, **persuadeō**, **patior**, and **pascō**, which best represented by the following Latin definition? **faciō quod aliquis iubet mē facere.**   ANS: **PAREŌ**
    BONUS: Of the remaining verbs (**parcō**, **persuadeō**, **patior**, and **pascō**), which of the following is best represented by the following Latin definition? **nōn noceō hostibus superātīs**. ANS: **PARCŌ**

18. **TOSSUP**: What emperor, particularly noted as a law-giver and ardent defender of Christianity, sought to gain the favor of Ambrose of Milan, forbade pagan worship in 391 AD, and was the last emperor to rule the fully unified Roman empire?   ANS: THEODOSIUS I or THE GREAT

BONUS: Name Theodosius' two sons who took control of the East and West following his death.   ANS: ARCADIUS & HONORIUS

19. **TOSSUP**: To what general classification do the following names belong? Pactolus, Eridanus, Cephissus, Peneius, Alpheus, Simois, and Achelous? ANS: RIVERS
    BONUS: Which of above rivers is involved in the origin of the cornucopia?
    ANS: ACHELOUS

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20. **TOSSUP**: Just like us, Romans suffered from the joys of love (think Catullus!) What popular classic love song from the 1990s would have been called in Latin, **Omne quod faciō, tibi faciō.** ANS: EVERYTHING I DO, I DO IT FOR YOU. (PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).
    BONUS: Just like us, Romans suffered from the pains of love (think Catullus!) What break-up lyrics would have rendered in Latin as, **quod tē nōn interficit, fortiōrem facit**? ANS: WHAT DOESN'T KILL YOU MAKES YOU STRONGER. (PLEASE ACCEPT ANY LITERAL TRANSLATION).

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EXTRAS

Language

1. **TOSSUP**: Please give the 3ʳᵈ person plural perfect passive indicative of **tingō, tingere.**
   ANS: **TINCTĪ/AE/A SUNT**
   > **BONUS**: Now keeping all else the same, make **tinctī/ae/a sunt** subjunctive.   ANS: **TINCTĪ/AE/A SINT**

2. **TOSSUP**: Which of the following words does not come from the same ultimate root?
   accident, incident, homicide, cascade, cadaver. ANS: HOMICIDE
   > **BONUS**: Which of the following words does not come from the same ultimate root?
   > incendiary, incandescent, candid, enchantment.   ANS: ENCHANTMENT

3. **TOSSUP**: Differentiate in meaning between **pingere, ningere,** and **tingere.**   ANS:
   PINGERE MEANS "PAINT"; **NINGERE** MEANS "SNOW"; **TINGERE** MEANS "STAIN/TAINT/WET."
   > **BONUS**: Differentiate in meaning between **sternere, spernere,** and **sperāre**?   ANS:
   > **STERNERE** MEANS "LAY LOW/HUNT/KILL"; **SPERNERE** MEANS
   > "SPURN/REFUSE"; **SPERĀRE** MEANS "HOPE"

4. **TOSSUP**: When recognized perform the following command: **cum ad iānuam ambulāveris, prope iānuam sedē.**   ANS: PLAYER SHOULD WALK TO THE DOOR, THEN S/HE SHOULD SIT NEAR THE DOOR.
   > **BONUS**: Perform the following command, **omnēs ad moderātōrem cantāte, "Crēdisnē vītam post amōrem esse."** ANS: ALL PLAYERS SHOULD SING TO THE MODERATOR, "DO YOU BELIEVE IN LIFE AFTER LOVE?"

5. **TOSSUP**: Please translate the following sentence into English, **utinam populus Rōmānus urbem sōlō diē aedificāvisset!** ANS: IF ONLY THE ROMAN PEOPLE HAD BUILT THE CITY IN A SINGLE DAY.
   > **BONUS**: Please translate the following sentence into English, **Gallī ā populō Rōmānō vīncendī sunt**.   ANS: THE GAULS MUST BE CONQUERED BY THE ROMAN PEOPLE / THE ROMAN PEOPLE MUST CONQUER THE GAULS

Myth

1. **TOSSUP**: Who was the king of Sicily who treated Aeneas and his men with hospitality?
   ANS: ACESTES
   > **BONUS**: What favorably disposed couple did Aeneas encounter at Buthrotum?
   > ANS: HELENUS & ANDROMACHE

2. **TOSSUP**: In the *Iliad*, whose heralds are listed as Talthybius and Eurybates? ANS:
   AGAMEMONON'S

BONUS: Who was the first character these two heralds were bid to fetch in the Iliad?
ANS: BRISEIS

3. **TOSSUP**: Which of Theseus' opponents is also known as Ptyokamptes? ANS: SINIS
BONUS: What land did the sow Phaea terrorize? ANS: CROMMYON

4. **TOSSUP**: Complete the following analogy: Eos : Aurora :: Hebe : _____ ANS: IUVENTAS
BONUS: Whom did Hebe rejuvenate just before the final battle at Attica between the Heraclids and Eurystheus? ANS: IOLAUS

History

1. **TOSSUP**: What Roman maiden, the daughter of Spurius, the commander of the citadel, approached the enemy camp to offer them entry to the city in exchange for "what they bore on their left arms?" ANS: TARPEIA
BONUS: What other Roman maiden led away a group of virgins from the Clusian camp in the war against Lars Porsenna? ANS: CLOELIA

2. **TOSSUP**: Marcus Octavius, at the behest of the Senate, continually vetoed a land bill proposed by what progressive tribune in 133 BC? ANS: TIBERIUS GRACCHUS
BONUS: Who led a mob to the Temple of Fides, where the Senate was meeting, and clubbed Tiberius and 300 of his supporters to death? ANS: SCIPIO NASICA

3. **TOSSUP**: Diocletian issued a decree against what group of people who refused to sacrifice and worship the traditional Roman deities such as Jove and Hercules? ANS: CHRISTIANS
BONUS: Diocletian issued what decree in 301 BC to fix specific amounts at which goods and services could be bought and sold? ANS: EDICT OF PRICES

4. **TOSSUP**: When Caracalla assassinated his brother and co-emperor Geta in 212 AD he had all images and mentions of him destroyed. What Latin term refers to the complete destruction of all references to a person? ANS: **DAMNĀTIO MEMORIAE**
BONUS: Who was the mother of these Severan siblings? ANS: JULIA DOMNA

Literature

1. **TOSSUP**: What silver age satirist wrote "**difficile est saturam nōn scrībere**"? ANS: (DECIMUS JUNIUS) JUVENAL
BONUS: Across how many books did Juvenal allocate his sixteen satires? ANS: FIVE

2. **TOSSUP**: In what play of Plautus does Mercury take on the appearance of the slave Sosia so that Jupiter can continue his illicit affair with Alcmena?   ANS: *AMPHITRUŌ / AMPHITRYON*
>   **BONUS**: What play of Plautus involves the shipwreck of the pimp Labrax, who has illegally seized a girl of free parentage?   ANS: *RUDĒNS* / "THE CABLE" / "THE ROPE"

3. **TOSSUP**: What work of Horace, composed of seventeen short poems, did he refer to as **iambī**? ANS: *EPODES*
>   **BONUS**: What pejorative Latin epithet did Horace coin for his teacher Orbilius? ANS: **PLĀGŌSUS**

Culture

1. **TOSSUP**: What temple of Juno served as the Roman mint? ANS: TEMPLE OF **JŪNO MONĒTA**
>   **BONUS**: What was the Latin term for the public treasury? ANS: **AERĀRIUM (STABULUM)**

2. **TOSSUP**: What was the term of office for a **censor**?   ANS: 18 MONTHS
>   **BONUS**: How often were censors elected and how many were elected at one time? ANS: EVERY FIVE YEARS, TWO WERE ELECTED AT ONE TIME

3. **TOSSUP**: During a triumph a general had a slave whose job was to whisper **memento mori.** What is the meaning of this phrase? ANS: REMEMBER TO DIE
>   **BONUS**: An important figure might also have a slave known as a **nōmenclātor**. What was the job of this slave? ANS: REMIND FIGURE OF PEOPLE'S NAMES

4. **TOSSUP**: During a **cēna** the Romans enjoyed entertainment. What kind of entertainment was provided by a **saltātrix**? ANS: DANCING/DANCING GIRL
>   **BONUS**: The **saltātrix** at Cornelius' **cēna** is using **crotala.** What are **crotala?** ANS: CASTANETS/RATTLES

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FINAL ROUND

1. **TOSSUP**: "**Perfidus ille deō quamvīs nōn perfidus urbī**" was said about what fourth-century AD emperor who is apocryphally believed to have said, "**vīcistī, Galīlaee**," after failing to bring back the old Roman religion? ANS: JULIAN (THE APOSTATE)
   BONUS: Where, while on a campaign against the Persians, did Julian die in 363 AD after being wounded by a spear? ANS: CTESIPHON
   BONUS: After the short one-year reign of Jovian, Julian's successor, what two Christian brothers from Pannonia became co-emperors, and made the division of the Roman Empire into East and West permanent? ANS: VALENTINIAN I & VALENS

2. **TOSSUP**: Who consulted Aesacus to interpret his wife's dream that she was giving birth to a firebrand? ANS: PRIAM
   BONUS: What shepherd was entrusted with the task of exposing the infant Paris? ANS: AGELAUS
   BONUS: What Mountain nymph was reported to be the first wife of Paris?
   ANS: OENONE

3. **TOSSUP**: Using an impersonal verb, say in Latin: "I can sleep for ten hours." ANS: **MIHI LICET DORMĪRE DECEM HŌRĀS.**
   BONUS: Now say in Latin, "I might have been falling out of bed."
   ANS: **CADEREM / RUEREM** (accept compounds thereof) **Ē/DĒ LECTŌ.**
   BONUS: Now for the perpetual question of any Saturday (when there is no *Certamen* to attend, of course!) – "should I sleep or should I eat?"
   ANS: **DORMIAMNE AN CONSŪMAM/EDAM/DĒVOREM?**

4. **TOSSUP**: What use of the ablative case is seen in the following sentence? **litterīs receptīs, constituistī montem altum conscendere.** ANS: ABLATIVE ABSOLUTE
   BONUS: That'll be a long climb! What use of the ablative case is seen in the following sentence? **conscendēbas tribus horīs diūtius quam ego.**
   ANS: DEGREE OF DIFFERENCE
   BONUS: Reached the peak at last! What use of the ablative case is seen in the following sentence? **cum pervēneris summum montem, liberābēris āb omnibus cūrīs.**
   ANS: SEPARATION

5. **TOSSUP**: What Roman author born at Cordoba wrote several tragedies based on Euripides and twelve books of **Dialogī** that included the treatises **Dē Prōvidentiā**, **Dē Tranquillitāte Animā**, and **Dē Vītā Beatā**? ANS: SENECA THE YOUNGER
   BONUS: Where did Seneca remain in exile until 49 A.D. after the emperor Claudius accused him of involvement with Julia Livilla? ANS: CORSICA
   BONUS: What work of Seneca was dedicated to the emperor Nero and sketched out an ideal political program based on fairness and moderation? ANS: *DĒ CLĒMENTIĀ*

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6. **TOSSUP**: During the reign of what Roman emperor were the following provinces created? Assyria, Armenia, Mesopotamia, Dacia.   ANS: TRAJAN
    BONUS: Which of these provinces was farthest north?   ANS: DACIA
    BONUS: What was the capital of Dacia?   ANS: SARMIZEGETHUSA

7. **TOSSUP**: Using an irregular noun, say in Latin: "quick violence."   ANS: **VIS CELERIS/VELOX/CITA/AGILIS**
    BONUS: Make **celeris vis** accusative singular.   ANS: **CELEREM VIM**
    BONUS: Now make **citam vim** accusative plural.   ANS: **CITĀS VIRĒS**

8. **TOSSUP**: Who blinded Orion for attempting to rape his daughter?   ANS: OENIPION
    BONUS: Of what island was Oenipion king?   ANS: CHIOS
    BONUS: Who was this daughter of Oenipion?   ANS: MEROPE

9. **TOSSUP**: Roman mourners at funerals were known to carry both **imāginēs** as well as branches of this what tree, which symbolized death?   ANS: CYPRESS
    BONUS: Who was the Italian goddess of funerals in whose temple at Rome the registers of the dead were kept and everything pertaining to burials was kept for sale or hire? It is from her name that one of the Latin terms for undertakers derives. ANS: LIBITINA
    BONUS: Where in Rome was the **porta Libitinēnsis** located?
    ANS: COLOSSEUM / FLAVIAN AMPHITHEATER

10. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence into English. **Rēx ad turrim ornandam plūs aurī quaesīvit.**   ANS: THE KING SOUGHT MORE GOLD TO DECORATE THE TOWER.
    BONUS: Translate the following sentence into English. **Dīlexit rēx mīlitem quī thēsaurum custōdīret.**
    ANS: THE KING CHOSE A SOLDIER WHO MIGHT / TO GUARD THE TREASUR(Y).
    BONUS: Translate the following sentence into English. **hic mīles custōdī thēsaurō rēgis relictus erat.**
    ANS: THIS SOLDIER HAD BEEN LEFT (BEHIND) (AS) A GUARD FOR THE TREASURY OF THE KING.

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11. **TOSSUP**: Listen to the following passage, which I will read twice, then answer the question that follows.

Ōlim erat urbs prope Asiam quam multī nautae vīsitāvērunt. Nautae erant inimicī eīs quī ibi agrōs colēbant. Nautae opēs thēsaurōsque, quibus incolae alimentum emere solēbant, omnibus eripuērunt. (repeat)

Question: Name one thing that the sailors stole. ANS: (any one of the following) WEALTH/RESOURCES/RICHES/TREASURES/TREASURY/STORES/STOREHOUSES.
　　BONUS: What did the actions of the sailors prevent the locals from doing?
　　ANS: BUYING FOOD/PROVISIONS
　　BONUS: Listen to the continuation of the passage, which I will read twice, then answer the question that follows. **Paucōs post annōs fīlius rēgis huius urbis nautās sequī constituit. Cum alteram colōniam pervēnissent, hīc fīlius nāvēs eōrum invēnit et incendit**. (repeat)
　　　　Question: What did the son do to the sailor's ships?
　　　　ANS: (FOUND THEM AND) BURNED THEM/SET THEM ON FIRE

12. **TOSSUP**: What eloquent, able, courageous, and sometimes selfish tribune had no patience with obstructive tactics or legal technicalities and believed that fists and stones were more effective than vetoes or religious "omens," bullying his way to get laws passed, including one assigning land to Marius's veterans??   ANS: (L. APPULEIUS) SATURNINUS
　　BONUS: What consular candidate did Saturninus incite a mob to beat to death?
　　ANS: (C.) MEMMIUS
　　BONUS: With what candidate for consul did Saturninus flee to the Capitoline in 100 BC before surrendering after an "official pledge of safety?"
　　ANS: (C. SERVILIUS) GLAUCIA

13. **TOSSUP**: What early Roman author from Rudiae in Calabria wrote four books of *Saturae*, a didactic work on gastronomy, and an eighteen-book historical epic beginning with Aeneas' arrival in Italy entitled ***Annales***?   ANS: (QUINTUS) ENNIUS
　　BONUS: What work of Ennius celebrated the triumph of his patron Fulvius Nobilior?
　　ANS: *AMBRACIA*
　　BONUS: According to fragments of the *Annales*, what Greek poet told Ennius in a dream that he was his reincarnation? ANS: HOMER

14. **TOSSUP**: What Ithacan was rescued on Sicily by the men of Aeneas?   ANS: ACHEMENIDES
　　BONUS: What older Argonaut was abandoned at Mysia along with Heracles in his attempt to rescue the lost Hylas? ANS: POLYPHEMUS (no relation to the Cyclops)
　　BONUS: Who, according to Apollodorus, rescued Cytissorus, Phrontis, Melas, and Argus and brought them back to their homeland, where they were reunited with their mother Chalciope? ANS: JASON

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15. **TOSSUP**: Give the Latin verb and definition that lies at the ultimate root of the following English words: appeal, pelt, propulsion, pulsate, interpellation.   ANS: **PELLŌ/PELLERE (PEPULĪ, PULSUS)** – TO PUSH / BEAT / STRIKE / KNOCK / THRUST / DRIVE / ROUSE / EXPEL / EJECT / BANISH / ROUT, ETC.

   BONUS: Give the Latin verb and definition that lies at the ultimate root of the following English words: incentive, accent, recant, enchantment, cantata.
   ANS: **CANŌ/CANERE (CECINĪ, CANTUS)** – TO SING
   BONUS: Which of the following English words does not derive from a Latin comparative adjective? inferiority, interior, perorate, priority, ameliorate, minor.
   ANS: PERORATE

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16. **TOSSUP (VISUAL)**: You will now be handed a visual. At this point the tossup has begun, do not confer with your teammates. Please do not open the visual until I instruct you to do so… (N.B. Moderator, hand out the visuals to each player). You may now open your visuals and take ten seconds to examine it.
    Question: You are looking at pictures of Roman busts. Imperial busts tend to portray a person's majestic and positive attributes, and conceal the problems that he may have. One of the problems could be with the sanity and bond of the family. Identify the twisted and dysfunctional family to which these people belong.   ANS: JULIO-CLAUDIAN

    BONUS: Give the name and corresponding letter for the bust that shows the emperor who was the stepfather of Drusus the Elder, the grandfather of Agrippina the Elder, and the great-grandfather of Caligula?   ANS: AUGUSTUS, D
    BONUS: The power-hungry praetorian prefect Sejanus manipulated and won over the trust of an emperor whose bust is shown on your visual. Identify the emperor by name and corresponding letter.   ANS: TIBERIUS, B

17. **TOSSUP**: Distinguish in meaning between **unda** and **unde**.   ANS: **UNDA** – WAVE; **UNDE** – FROM WHERE/WHENCE/WHERE FROM
    BONUS: Distinguish in meaning between **īdem** and **quidem**.
    ANS: **ĪDEM** – THE SAME (ONE); **QUIDEM** – INDEED
    BONUS: Distinguish in meaning between **aper** and **apex**.
    ANS: **APER** – BOAR/PIG; **APEX** – TIP/TOP/APEX/SUMMIT/CAP/CROWN/CROWNING GLORY/MACRON

18. **TOSSUP**: The literary corpus of what elegiac poet included love poems by Sulpicia, the niece of Messalla Corvinus?   ANS: TIBULLUS
    BONUS: According to Apuleius, what was the real name of Tibullus' love interest Delia?
    ANS: PLANIA
    BONUS: What poet in the **Corpus Tibulliānum** wrote six elegies to a woman named Neaera?   ANS: LYGDAMUS

19. **TOSSUP**: What king named both a city and mountain after himself and staked his kingdom against Heracles in a boxing match, which he lost? ANS: ERYX
    BONUS: Who was Eryx's divine mother? ANS: Aphrodite
    BONUS: What mortal man is sometimes said to be Eryx's father? ANS: BUTES

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20. **TOSSUP**: When recognized, perform the following command: **rogā moderatōrem sī liceat tibi ad balneam īre.**   ANS: PLAYER SHOULD ASK THE MODERATOR IF SHE/HE MAY GO TO THE BATHROOM.
    BONUS: When recognized, perform the following command, **rogāte moderātōrem ut prae vōs genua flectat.**
    ANS: PLAYERS SHOULD ASK THE MODTERATOR TO BOW (BEND HIS/HER KNEES) BEFORE THEM.
    BONUS: When recognized, perform the following command, **rogāte moderātōrem ut vōs victōrēs appellet.**
    ANS: PLAYERS SHOULD ASK THE MODERATOR TO CALL THEM THE WINNERS.

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TIE-BREAKERS (USE ONLY AS NEEDED; reading tossups only. Use the boni as tossups to break further ties)

1. **TOSSUP**: Give the 2nd person singular, perfect active subjunctive of **offerō, offerre.**   ANS: **OBTULERIS**
    BONUS: Give the 3rd person plural, future perfect passive indicative of **fundō, fundere**? ANS: **FŪSĪ/AE/A ERUNT**
    BONUS: Give the plural present imperative of **precor, precārī**. ANS: **PRECĀMINĪ**

2. **TOSSUP**: Of the words **ala**, **alga**, **alēs**, and **ālea**, which refers to an entire bird? ANS: **ALĒS**
    BONUS: Of the words **libra**, **liber**, **līberī**, and **lībum**, which refers to something you normally eat? ANS: **LĪBUM**

BONUS: Of the words **nix**, **nox**, **nīdus**, **nōdus**, and **nex**, which two refer to something you would expect to find **in arbōribus** in the summer? ANS: **NĪDUS** (nest)

3. **TOSSUP**: Give the Latin name for the edict issued in 212 AD that granted Roman citizenship to all freemen throughout the Roman Empire.   ANS: **CONSTITUTIO ANTONINIANA**

   BONUS: Where was Caracalla murdered while on a campaign against Parthia in 217 AD?   ANS: CARRHAE

   BONUS: What praetorian prefect of Caracalla eventually took the throne for a year? ANS: MACRINUS

4. **TOSSUP**: Identify the speaker of the following lines from Vergil's *Aeneid*, which I will read as prose: "**Dīne hunc ardōrem mentibus addunt, Euryale, an sua cuique deus fit dīra cupīdō**"? ANS: NISUS

   BONUS: Now identify the speaker of these lines from Vergil's *Aeneid*, which I will read as prose: "**Cernat sēminecī sibi mē rapere arma cruenta victōremque ferant morientia lūmina Turnī**"? ANS: PALLAS

   BONUS: To whom was Pallas praying in the preceding lines?   ANS: HERCULES

5. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence: **Orpheum tristissima verba canentem Propserpina Plūtoque flēbant**. ANS: PLUTO AND PROSERPINA WEPT OVER/MOURNED FOR/CRIED FOR ORPHEUS SINGING/WHILE HE SANG THE SADDEST WORDS. (N.B. The translation must reflect a transitive understanding of **flēbant**)

   BONUS: Translate this sentence: **nec Tantalus undam fugientem prehendit, nec orbis Ixiōnis volvitur**. ANS: NEITHER TANTALUS GRASPS (AT) THE FLEETING WAVE, NOR DOES THE WHEEL OF IXION ROLL ("....IS ROLLED").

   BONUS: Translate this sentence: **prīmum lacrimās oculīs victārum carmine deārum fluxisse fābula est**. ANS: THE STORY IS (THAT), FOR THE FIRST TIME, TEARS FLOWED FROM THE EYES OF THE GODDESSES (WHO HAD BEEN) OVERCOME BY THE SONG.

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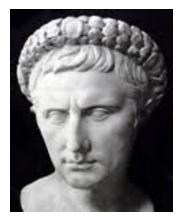# 2013 Virginia Senior Classical League State Finals Certamen
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NOTE TO MODERATORS: in answers, information in parentheses is optional, extra information. A slash (/) indicates an alternate answer. Underlined portions of a longer, narrative answer indicate required information.

ROUND ONE

1. **TOSSUP**: What monstrous offspring of Gaea stole Zeus's sinews and had many monstrous offspring of his own, including the Chimaera and Hydra?   ANS: TYPHON / TYPH(Ö)EUS
   BONUS: What other creature did Hermes and Aegipan have to kill in order to retrieve Zeus' sinews?   ANS: DELPHYNE

2. **TOSSUP**: The English words "corsage," "corset," and "corpse" are derived from what Latin noun?   ANS: **CORPUS** (BODY)
   BONUS: What derivative of **corpus** means "fat"? ANS: CORPULENT

3. **TOSSUP**: During the reign of which Julio-Claudian emperor did Suetonius Paulinus conquer Mauretania and Aulus Plautius lead the conquest of Britannia?   ANS: CLAUDIUS
   BONUS: Paulinus is perhaps more famous for suppressing a revolt against Roman rule led by what woman, the queen of the Iceni tribe?   ANS: BOUDICCA/BOADICEA

4. **TOSSUP**: What use of the ablative case is seen in the following sentence: **fīlium puerīlī aetāte nōn patiuntur**.   ANS: ABLATIVE OF DESCRIPTION (or QUALITY)
   BONUS: In the sentence "**Erat ūnus intus Nervius nōmine Verticō, locō nātus honestō**," what use of the ablative is seen in the phrase "**locō nātus honestō**"?
    ANS: ABLATIVE OF SOURCE/ORIGIN

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5. **TOSSUP**: In Book XI of the *Aeneid*, what ally of the Latins did the nymph Acca kill in retribution for his slaying her friend Camilla?   ANS: ARRUNS
   BONUS: Who were Camilla's parents?   ANS: METABUS & CASMILLA

6. **TOSSUP**: With regard to Roman theater, what was the job of the **dominus gregis**?   ANS: LEADER OF AN ACTING TROUPE / LEAD ACTOR
   BONUS: What role in a play did an actor almost invariably have if he was wearing a red wig?   ANS: SLAVE

7. **TOSSUP**: Of **pungō, cingō, unguō**, **tangō,** and **mangō**, which means "to gird, surround, or cinch"? ANS: **CINGŌ**
   BONUS: What is the meaning of the only noun in the list from the tossup?
           ANS: SLAVE-DEALER (**MANGŌ**)
8. **TOSSUP**: A list of the rulers of Alba Longa gives way to an account of the legends surrounding the seven kings of Rome in what massive 142-volume historical work by Livy?
       ANS: *AB URBE CONDITA*

BONUS: **Periochae** are important to historians of ancient Rome given that only 35 of Livy's original 142 books are extant. What are **periochae**? ANS: SUMMARY OF EACH BOOK (really an abridgement of an abridgement)

9. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence from Latin into English: **Sī tēcum patria loquātur, audīre debeās.** ANS: IF THE FATHERLAND SPEAKS TO YOU, YOU OUGHT TO LISTEN
   BONUS: Now translate this sentence: **Nisi tū āmīsissēs dōnum, id invenīre numquam ausus essem.** ANS: UNLESS YOU HAD LOST THE GIFT, I NEVER WOULD HAVE DARED TO FIND IT.

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10. **TOSSUP**: Listen carefully to the following sentence, adapted from Caesar, which I will read twice, and then answer in English the question that follows.

    Caesarī renuntiātur Helvētiīs esse in animō iter in Rōmānōs fīnēs, quī nōn longē ā propriīs fīnibus absunt, facere.

    The question: What were the Helvetians intending? ANS: TO TRAVEL INTO ROMAN TERRITORY
    BONUS: What does the sentence tell us about the location of the Roman territory? ANS: IT WAS <u>NOT FAR</u> FROM THE <u>HELVETIANS</u>(' OWN TERRITORY)

11. **TOSSUP**: What character in Book IV of the *Aeneid* speaks these fateful words, which I will read as prose? --- "**ō lūce magis dīlecta sororī / sōlane perpetuā maerēns carpere iuventa / nec dulcis nātōs Veneris nec praemia nōris**" ANS: ANNA
    BONUS: And what deity, in Book IV of the *Aeneid*, speaks these famous and fateful lines, which I will again read as prose? --- "**heia age, rumpe morās! varium et mūtābile semper fēmina**" ANS: (dream/phantom/apparition similar to) MERCURY (in every way, voice, coloring, etc.)

12. **TOSSUP**: What Silver-Age author wrote a pair of histories ultimately covering the period of Roman history spanning the death of Tiberius in 37 A.D. to the death of Domitian in 96 A.D.? ANS: TACITUS
    BONUS: What is the name of Tacitus's work that covered the years 14 A.D. to 68 A.D.? ANS: *ANNALES*

13. **TOSSUP**: What is the meaning of Terence's quotation **quot hominēs, tot sententiae**? ANS: THERE ARE AS MANY OPINIONS AS THERE ARE MEN (OR PARAPHRASE)
    BONUS: What is the meaning of the saying **fidēs Pūnica**? ANS: "CARTHAGINIAN FAITH" / TREACHERY (ETC.)

14. **TOSSUP**: Scipio Barbatus, L. Papirius Cursor, and Curius Dentatus earned victories for the Romans in what war, which the Romans waged in the late 4th and early 3rd centuries B.C./ ANS: 3rd SAMNITE
    BONUS: At which battle in this war in 295 BC did Decius Mus perform *devōtiō?*
    ANS: SENTINUM

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15. **TOSSUP**: Using a supine, translate the following sentence into Latin: "I ran to the river to watch the boats."   ANS: **CUCURRĪ AD FLŪMEN/AMNEM/FLUVIUM SPECTĀTUM NĀVĒS/SCAPHĀS/RĀTĒS/PHASĒLOS/CUMBĀS**.
    BONUS: Now, using a gerundive, translate the following sentence into Latin: "You are calling me to write letters for you."   ANS: **MĒ VOCĀS [AD SCRĪBENDĀS EPISTULĀS]** *or* **[SCRĪBENDĀRUM EPISTULĀRUM CAUSĀ/GRĀTIĀ] TIBI.**

16. **TOSSUP**: What early Roman author wrote a **fabula praetexta** giving an account of a victory by M. Claudius Marcellus at Claustidium in 222 B.C.?   ANS: GNAEUS NAEVIUS
    BONUS: Who or what was the subject of Gnaevius' other known **fabula praetexta**?
    ANS: ROMULUS

17. **TOSSUP**: Whose death in 12 B.C. finally allowed Augustus to assume the title of Pontifex Maximus?   ANS: LEPIDUS' (note: some sources give a date in late 13 B.C. for Lepidus' death)
    BONUS: What close friend's death in the same year caused Augustus to reconsider an immediate successor? ANS: (M. VIPSANIUS) AGRIPPA'S

18. **TOSSUP**: Give the accusative plural of the phrase "**animal moriēns**" ANS: **ANIMĀLIA MORIĒNTIA**
    BONUS: Give the genitive plural of the phrase "**ista turris**."
    ANS: **ISTĀRUM TURRIUM**

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19. **TOSSUP**: In Book II of the *Iliad*, what Greek captain thrashes Thersites for objecting to the continuation of the war and suggesting that they sail back to Greece?   ANS: ODYSSEUS
    BONUS: What Trojan spy did Diomedes and Odysseus capture and beat for information while they were on a mission to drive off the horses of Rhesus? ANS: DOLON

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1. **TOSSUP**: Welcome to the **Cinema Romana**! What recent film would be entitled *Hospes*?
    ANS: *THE HOST*
    > **BONUS**: **Crepusculum** means "twilight," but what impersonal Latin verb means "it is becoming twilight"?   ANS: **VESPERĀSCIT**

2. **TOSSUP**: In the *Odyssey*, what princess of Scheria, the daughter of Alcinous and Arete, finds the unclad Odysseus while she is doing the royal laundry?   ANS: NAUSICAÄ
    > **BONUS**: What punishment did Poseidon inflict on the Phaeacian ship that carried Odysseus home?   ANS: TURNED IT TO STONE

3. **TOSSUP**: Give a Latin synonym for the verb **careō**.   ANS: **DĒSUM/EGEŌ/INDIGEŌ**
    > **BONUS**: Give a Latin synonym for the verb **bibō**.   ANS: **POTŌ/HAURIŌ**

4. **TOSSUP**: *Anticatones*, *De Analogia*, *Commentarii de Bello Civile,* and *Commentarii de Bello Gallico* are all works by what famous Roman statesman and general? ANS: (C.) IULIUS CAESAR/JULIUS CAESAR
    > **BONUS**: Who wrote the eighth book of the *Commentarii de Bello Gallico*?
    > ANS: AULUS HIRTIUS

5. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence from Latin into English: **Nōn dubitābat quīn nūntiō crēderēmus.**   ANS: HE DID NOT DOUBT THAT WE TRUSTED/BELIEVED the MESSENGER/MESSAGE.
    > **BONUS**: Now translate this sentence: **Nihil nōs impedit quōminus contrā copiās Caesaris pugnēmus.** ANS: NOTHING HINDERS US FROM FIGHTING THE TROOPS OF CAESAR.

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6. **TOSSUP**: What aggressive commander, dubbed "the sword of Rome," captured Syracuse in 212 B.C., thus preventing the Carthaginian's from maintaining a military presence on Sicily during the Second Punic War?   ANS: (M. CLAUDIUS) MARCELLUS
    > **BONUS**: What general, using a less direct approach, was called "the shield of Rome" because of his strategy of evasion and non-engagement in his campaign against Hannibal? ANS: Q. <u>FABIUS MAXIMUS CUNCTATOR</u> (ANY <u>TWO</u> OF THE THREE UNDERLINED NAMES)

7. **TOSSUP**: In Book I of Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, what tale is so soporific it causes the sentinel Argus to close all 100 of his eyes, thus enabling Mercury to kill him?
    ANS: (THE STORY OF) PAN & SYRINX
    > **BONUS**: Argus had been guarding a cow that was really what young woman whom Jupiter was fecklessly attempting to conceal from his wife?   ANS: IO

8. **TOSSUP**: Give an alternative form for the infinitive "**futūrum esse**."   ANS: **FORE**
   BONUS: **Forem** is an alternate form of what subjunctive form of **sum**? ANS: **ESSEM /** FIRST PERSON SINGULAR ACTIVE SUBJUNCTIVE

9. **TOSSUP**: What 1st century author wrote what could be considered Western literature's first true novel in which we can read about the adventures of Ascyltos and Encolpius and their interaction with a lavish man named Trimalchio?   ANS: (C.) PETRONIUS
   BONUS: What is the Latin term for the position Petronius held in the court of Nero? ANS: **ARBITER ELEGENTIAE**

10. **TOSSUP**: Give the four principal parts of the Latin verb from which "train," "trait," "trace," and "tract" are derived.   ANS: **TRAHŌ, TRAHERE, TRAXĪ, TRACTUM**
    BONUS: Give the four principal parts of the Latin verb from which "rail," and "rule," are derived.   ANS: **REGŌ, REGERE, RĒXĪ, RĒCTUS/-A/-UM**

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11. **TOSSUP**: What future emperor quelled the Great Illyrian revolt in 9 A.D.?
    ANS: TIBERIUS
    BONUS: Juxtaposed with this important victory by Tiberius was a different general's devastating loss to the Cherusci tribe at what battle only a few days later?
    ANS: TEUTOBERG FOREST/TEUTOBERG WALD

12. **TOSSUP**: In Book VI of Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, what goddess turns some rude Lycians into frogs?   ANS: LATONA (NOT: LETO—THAT'S GREEK)
    BONUS: In Book VI of the *Metamorphoses* what queen offends Latona, giving occasion for the tale of the frogs?   ANS: NIOBE

13. **TOSSUP**: Give the third-person plural, active imperative for the verb "to be."   **SUNTŌ**
    BONUS: Change **suntō** to the 2nd person plural future.   ANS: **ESTŌTE**

14. **TOSSUP**: The **scutica**, **furca**, and **flagellum** were all implements associated with what?
    ANS: THE PUNISHMENT OF SLAVES
    BONUS: What Latin term, derived in part from **furca**, became an insult in ancient Rome? ANS: **FURCIFER**

15. **TOSSUP**: Who was said to have known the first ever work of Latin Literature by heart, because otherwise his master, fittingly nicknamed Plagosus, would beat him if he didn't?
    ANS: HORACE/ Q. HORATIUS FLACCUS
    BONUS: Who was the author of this first work of Latin Literature, a translation of the *Odyssey* into Latin?   ANS: LIVIUS ANDRONICUS

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16. **TOSSUP**: Listen carefully to the following lines from Ovid, which I will read twice as prose, and then answer in English the question that follows.

> **Tot tibi tamque dabit formōsās Rōma puellās,**
> **"Haec habet," ut dīcās, "quicquid in orbe fuit."**

The question: Where are the girls who were once all over the world? ANS: ROME
    BONUS: Ovid names two attributes of these girls; name them both.   ANS: THERE ARE A LOT OF THEM, AND THEY ARE BEAUTIFUL

17. **TOSSUP**: In 100 B.C., a mob put to death what tribune after he and the praetor Gaius Servilius Glaucia were surrounded by Marius' forces on the Capitoline Hill?   ANS: (L. APPULEIUS) SATURNINUS
    BONUS: What crime had agents of Saturninus and Glaucia committed, causing the Senate to declare them enemies of the state?   ANS: MURDERED CONSULAR CANDIDATE (C. MEMMIUS)

18. **TOSSUP**: What use of the subjunctive is illustrated by the following sentence: **Ūtinam vātēs essem.**   ANS: OPTATIVE
    BONUS: When Cicero asks "**An ego nōn venīrem?**" in his *Philippics*, what independent use of the subjunctive is he employing?   ANS: DELIBERATIVE

19. **TOSSUP**: What Argive king realized that the two guys brawling outside his house were destined to marry his daughters when he saw the images – a boar and a lion – on their shields?   ANS: ADRASTUS
The question: The "two guys brawling" were Tydeus and Polyneices. Which carried a shield depicting a lion?   ANS: POLYNEICES

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20. **TOSSUP**: What historian's unique works are perhaps overshadowed by his tumultuous political career, including his expulsion from the senate in 50 B.C. and his oppressive rule as Governor of Numidia? ANS: SALLUST
    BONUS: What is the Latin term given to Sallust's rejection of grammatical symmetry and use of antithesis?   ANS: **INCONCINNITĀS**

FINAL SCORE UPDATE

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ROUND THREE

1. **TOSSUP**: "Well I never..*[dramatic pause]*..Just who do you think you are?" and "**Quos ego—sed mōtōs praestat compōnere flūctūs**" in Book I of the *Aeneid* are textbook examples of what figure of speech? ANS: APOSIOPESIS
   BONUS: Another example of this device occurs in Book II, when which character speaks the following, which I shall read twice as prose?
   Nec requiēvit enim, dōnec Calchante ministrō—sed quid ego haec autem nēquīquam ingrāta revolvō, quidve moror? Sī omnēs ūnō ōrdine habētis Achīvōs, idque audīre sat est, iamdūdum sūmite poenās. (repeat)
   ANS: SINON

2. **TOSSUP**: Who defeated Carinus at the battle of the Margus River in 285 A.D. to become sole emperor? ANS: DIOCLETIAN/DIOCLES
   BONUS: Diocletian had been proclaimed co-emperor with Carinus following the death of what son of Carus, Carinus' brother? ANS: NUMERIAN(US)

3. **TOSSUP**: What use of the subjunctive is found in the following sentence: **Quis est quī id nōn maximīs efferat laudibus?** ANS: RELATIVE OF CHARACTERISTIC
   BONUS: Now identify the use of the subjunctive in this sentence: **Caesar monet ut omnēs suspiciōnēs vītet.** ANS: INDIRECT COMMAND / SUBSTANTIVE CLAUSE OF PURPOSE

4. **TOSSUP**: Which of these Roman Provinces was not in Europe: **Noricum, Baetica, Epirus, Dalmatia, Cappadocia**? ANS: **CAPPADOCIA**
   BONUS: Of the choices in the tossup, which one was located in modern-day Spain?
   ANS: **BAETICA**

5. **TOSSUP**: The oracle at Delphi prophesied that the "third crop" of descendants from what great hero would conquer the Peloponnese? ANS: HERACLES / HERCULES
   BONUS: These descendants, known as the Heraclids, were told to find a three-eyed guide. Though initially confused about this, they eventually realized what it meant when they met a man named Oxylus. Why and/or how did Oxylus fit the criterion of a "three-eyed guide?"
   ANS: He was blind in one eye and was riding a (two-eyed, visually *un*impaired) donkey/ass

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6. **TOSSUP**: When recognized, perform the following commands: **Ululā et pectus tuum percute**. ANS: STUDENT SHOULD HOWL AND BEAT HIS/HER CHEST
   BONUS: Now this one -- **Surgite, omnēs, et simulāte vōs multam pecuniam amissōs esse.** EVERY TEAM MEMBER STANDS UP AND PRETENDS TO HAVE LOST MUCH MONEY –EITHER INDIVIDUALLY OR COLLECTIVELY

7. **TOSSUP**: What emperor was the last of the dynasty founded by Constantine but is better-known for his rejection of Christianity?   ANS: JULIAN (THE APOSTATE)
    BONUS: Who became emperor immediately following Julian?   ANS: JOVIAN

8. **TOSSUP**: When Theseus made his murderous journey from Troezen to Athens, which of the bandits he slew had been in the practice of assaulting passers-by with his club?   ANS: PERIPHETES / CORYNETES
    BONUS: Which of the bandits Theseus slew had the James Bond-villain-like habit of kicking his victims into the mouth of a giant sea turtle that awaited at the foot of a cliff? ANS: SCIRON

9. **TOSSUP**: What early Roman author wrote **"cūrāte ut splendor meō sit clipeō clarior quam solis radiī esse**…" as the first words of Pyrgopolynices, the protagonist in his play *Mīles Gloriōsus?* ANS: PLAUTUS
    BONUS: Give the Latin title of the play of Plautus in which the Carthaginian character Hanno prevents his daughters from being sold into prostitution?   ANS: ***POENULUS***

10. **TOSSUP**: Give the comparative adjective formed from the adverb "**ultrā**."   ANS: **ULTERIOR/ULTERIUS**
    BONUS: Give the superlative form of the comparative "**exterus**."
    ANS: **EXTRĒMUS/EXTIMUS**

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11. **TOSSUP**: What emperor, after a reign of nearly thirteen years, lost his life while wrestling a man named Narcissus on December 31, 192 A.D.ANS: (THE EMPEROR) COMMODUS
    BONUS: Whom did the Praetorian Prefect Laetus select as Commodus' successor?
    ANS: PERTINAX

12. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence from Latin into English: **Quamvīs magna sit expectātiō, tamen eam superābimus**.   ANS: HOWEVER GREAT THE EXPECTATION MAY BE / ALTHOUGH THE EXPECTATION MAY BE GREAT, WE SHALL (NEVERTHELESS) OVERCOME/CONQUER/SURPASS IT.
    BONUS: Now translate this sentence: **Metuō nē ōrātor populō Rōmānō mendācia nārret**.   ANS: I FEAR THAT THE ORATOR IS TELLING LIES TO ROMAN PEOPLE.

13. **TOSSUP**: During the *Aeneid*, various crewmembers of Aeneas lend their names to places in Italy. For instance, a cape in southern Italy is named after a helmsman who falls overboard. Who is the name of this Trojan pilot?   ANS: PALINURUS
    BONUS: Who in the *Aeneid* gives his name to a newly-settled but short-lived town on Crete? ANS: AENEAS

14. **TOSSUP**: Using an impersonal verb, say in Latin, "You are ashamed of me."
     ANS: **TĒ MEĪ PUDET**
     BONUS: Now, using a compound of **sum, esse**, say in Latin, "War does not interest me."
     ANS: **BELLĪ MEĀ NŌN INTEREST**

15. **TOSSUP**: A murder in Book I and election results in Book III interrupt the narrative of what treatise on farming by Varro?   ANS: *De Re Rustica*
     BONUS: Name another Roman author who wrote a work entitled *De Re Rustica*?   ANS: (M. PORCIUS) CATO THE ELDER/CENSOR, COLUMELLA

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16. **TOSSUP**: What Latin number is at the root of "squad"?   ANS: **QUATTUOR**
     BONUS: The Latin words **trēs** and **palus**, meaning "stake" or "pole" combined to form what English noun meaning "painful or laborious effort?"   ANS: TRAVAIL

17. **TOSSUP**: What is the meaning of the Latin noun **hērēs**?   ANS: HEIR
     BONUS: What is the meaning of the noun **pecū**?   ANS: HERD

18. **TOSSUP**: In the course of defending himself against charges of using magic to win the love of his nurse, what 2nd century A.D. author revealed the true identities behind the pseudonymous lovers of Tibullus, Propertius, and Catullus?   ANS: LUCIUS APULEIUS
     BONUS: In Apuleius' most famous work, the protagonist Lucius becomes a devotee of the goddess Isis in order to effect a transformation back into his former self from what specific type of creature which is also this work's title?   ANS: GOLDEN ASS

19. **TOSSUP:** Listen carefully to the following passage, adapted from Seneca the Elder, which I will read twice, and then answer in LATIN the question that follows.

     **Nātūra omnī reī magnitūdinem dederat. Nihil infīnītum est nisi Oceanus.
     Aiunt fertilēs in Oceanō iacēre terrās, ultrāque Oceanum alia lītora nascī.**

     The question: **Quid est sine modō, sine fīnibus?** ANS: **OCEĀNUS**
     BONUS: **Quis fīnēs et amplitūdinem omnibus rēbus dat**?   ANS: **NĀTŪRA**

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20. **TOSSUP**: In Book 10 of Homer's *Odyssey*, what crewmember does Odysseus leave behind on Aeaea while he visits the Underworld, only there learning that that crewmember has fallen to his accidental death?   ANS: ELPENOR
     BONUS: In Book 3 of Virgil's *Aeneid*, what crewmember did Odysseus leave behind on Sicily, where he spent every day hiding from the Cyclopes? ANS: ACHAEMENIDES

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EXTRAS

Language

1. **TOSSUP**: What use of the dative case is seen in the following line: "**Ēripiēs mihi hunc errōrem**." ANS: DATIVE OF SEPARATION
   BONUS: What use of the dative case is seen in this line: "**Pars optāre locum tēctō**."
   ANS: DATIVE OF PURPOSE

2. **TOSSUP**: According to its etymology, what collection of "leaves" might an artist "carry" with him? ANS: PORTFOLIO
   BONUS: Etymologically, what person should "be at hand for" the "fault"? ANS: CULPRIT

3. **TOSSUP**: What do the suffixes –**bundus** and –**cundus** denote at the end of verbal adjectives such as **fācundus** and **tremebundus**? ANS: CONTINUANCE / QUALITY OF AN ACTION
   BONUS: What does the adjectival suffix –**ētum** usually denote, as seen in the nouns **olīvētum** and **quercētum**? ANS: THE PLACE OF A THING / WHERE A THING GROWS
   BONUS: What does the suffix –**āx** denote at the end of verbal adjectives such as **pūgnāx** and **audāx**? ANS: A FAULTY / AGGRESSIVE TENDENCY

4. TOSSUP: Identify the use of the specific use of the subjunctive in the following sentence: **matrem meam mīsī quae cibum mihi emeret.** ANS: RELATIVE CLAUSE OF PURPOSE (PROMPT ON PURPOSE)
   BONUS: Now translate the previous sentence. ANS: I SENT MY MOTHER TO BUY FOOD FOR ME.

Myth

1. **TOSSUP**: In Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, what young woman becomes a young man after praying to Aphrodite that she might marry her fiancée, Ianthe? ANS: IPHIS
   BONUS: In Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, what young woman becomes an invincible man after being raped by Neptune? ANS: CAENIS (CAENEUS IS INCORRECT – THAT IS HIS NAME AS A MAN)

2. **TOSSUP**: In search of news of his father, what Pylian chieftain did Telemachus visit first? ANS: NESTOR
   BONUS: What son of Nestor accompanied Telemachus on his journey to Sparta, to speak with Menelaus and Helen? ANS: PEISISTRATUS

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3. **TOSSUP**: What queen had a dream that she was pregnant with a burning torch, signifying that her son would cause the eventual downfall of her city, Troy?   ANS: HECUBA
    BONUS: What Trojan seer, who learned his art from Merops, interpreted that dream? ANS: AESACUS

History

1. **TOSSUP**: What Syrian Queen, wife of Odaenathus, led an unsuccessful rebellion against the Roman Empire in 270 A.D.?   ANS: ZENOBIA
    BONUS: What Roman emperor, renowned for building defensive walls around Rome, put down this rebellion and paraded the queen in his triumph?   ANS: AURELIAN

2. **TOSSUP:** What two infamous conspirators fled for their lives after Antony's funeral eulogy of a recently killed dictator?   ANS: BRUTUS AND CASSIUS
    BONUS: Julius Caesar was assassinated on the eve of his departure for a military expedition against what long time enemy of Rome to the East, which his co-triumvir Crassus fell to in 52 B.C?   ANS: PARTHIA

3. **TOSSUP**: Which temple in Rome was dedicated by Marcus Furius Camillus in 367 B.C. to Celebrate peace between the Patricians and Plebians?   ANS: CONCORD
    BONUS: Who rebuilt the temple in 121 B.C. after having suppressed the followers of Gaius Gracchus?   ANS: (L.) OPIMIUS

Literature

1. **TOSSUP**: What later author said of Ennius that he had three hearts because he could speak Oscan, Latin, and Greek ?   ANS: AULUS GELLIUS
    BONUS: In addition to dactylic hexameter, what meter was also introduced by Ennius, influencing authors such as Tibullus and Propertius? ANS: ELEGIAC COUPLETS

2. **TOSSUP**: What author wrote the longest surviving poem in Latin literature which was bashed by everyone not named Martial?   ANS: SILIUS ITALICUS
    BONUS: This work on the Second Punic War was simply named "Punica". How many books long was it?   ANS: 17

3. **TOSSUP**: What poem of Catullus deals with the marriage of Peleus and Thetis and includes a long interlude about Ariadne?   ANS: 64
    BONUS: In what poem of Catullus does he visit his brother's grave?   ANS: 101

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Culture

1. **TOSSUP**: Name the two terms or categories used by Roman writers to describe the manner in which articles of clothing were put on.   ANS: **INDŪTUS AND AMICTUS**
    BONUS: Which of the following garments would **NOT** be classified as **amictus: tunica exterior, synthesis, toga praetexta,** or **abolla**?   ANS: **TUNICA EXTERIOR**

2. **TOSSUP**: At a formal Roman meal served in a **trīclīnium**, which position was generally reserved for the host?   ANS: **LOCUS SUMMUS**/HIGH PLACE (ON THE) **LECTUS IMUS**/LOW COUCH
    BONUS: At the **comissātiō** that frequently followed a banquet, what did revelers put on, perhaps in an attempt to forestall intoxication?   ANS: **CORŌNAE CONVĪVĀLĒS** / GARLANDS / WREATHS / FLOWERS / ROSES

3. **TOSSUP**: While some Romans enjoyed lavish funeral ceremonies and grand tombs and burial monuments, most were not so lucky. During the Republic, the least wealthy of those who died in the city were dumped into gravepits, or **puticulī**, located where?   ANS: (THE EASTERN PART OF) THE ESQUILINE HILL
    BONUS: By the time of Augustus, several decades of this practice—coupled with using the **puticulī** as a dumping ground for animal carcasses and street filth—had made the Esquiline less-than-pleasant. How did Augustus address this public health hazard?
    ANS: HE ESTABLISHED (A PARK/GARDENS/THE **HORTĪ MAECĒNĀTIS**) ON TOP OF THEM

4. **TOSSUP**: Which Roman voting assembly, whose electors were divided according to five property classes, was responsible for enacting laws and electing senior magistrates?   ANS: **COMITIA CENTURIATA**
    BONUS: Why did the **comitia centuriata** meet predominantly on the Campus Martius?
    ANS: THE ASSEMBLY DERIVED FROM MILITARY CENTURIES (AND THUS HAD TO ADJOURN BEYOND THE **POMERIUM**).

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FINAL ROUND

1. **TOSSUP**: Say in Latin, "one-sixth."   ANS: **SEXTA PARS**
   BONUS: Say in Latin, "three-sevenths."   ANS: **TRĒS SEPTIMAE (PARTĒS)**
   BONUS: Say in Latin, "one-half."   ANS: **DĪMIDIA PARS /(ŪNUM) DĪMIDIUM**

2. **TOSSUP**: In the *Odyssey*, Leodes is the first suitor to attempt what feat, which Antinous, the most outspoken suitor, refuses to attempt?   ANS: STRING (ODYSSEUS') BOW
   BONUS: Who comes closest to stringing the bow but has it knocked out of his hands by the disguised Odysseus?   ANS: TELEMACHUS
   BONUS: What son of Eurytus was the previous owner of Odysseus' bow?
   ANS: IPHITUS

3. **TOSSUP**: Near what town did Boiorix lead a migratory band of Cimbri as well as allied Teutones in the most crushing rout of a Roman army since the Batte of Cannae over 100 years earlier?   ANS: ARAUSIO/ORANGE
   BONUS: What two-word Latin phrase was used by Roman historians to describe such a disastrous defeat?   ANS: **DIES ATER**
   BONUS: What proconsul has been assigned the greatest proportion of blame for this defeat because of his arrogant refusal to serve under the consul Mallius and his subsequent decision to pitch camp on the opposite side of the river from Mallius'?
   ANS: (C. SERVILIUS) CAEPIO

4. **TOSSUP**: What author was trained by the rhetoricians Arellius Fuscus and Pocius Latro, and went on to write several works on topics ranging from elegy to fishing both before and after his banishment to the island of Tomis on the Black Sea?   ANS: (P.) OVIDIUS (NASO)
   BONUS: What work of Ovid written in dactylic hexameter discusses fishing in the Black Sea?   ANS: *HALIEUTICA*
   BONUS: What woman did Ovid write to, using a parrot in his poems the same way Catullus used a sparrow?   ANS: CORINNA

5. **TOSSUP**: What type of verb ends in **–turiō** or **–suriō**, belongs to the fourth conjugation, and expresses longing or wishing?   ANS: DESIDERATIVE
   BONUS: The verbs **vāpulō**, **vēneō** and **exsulō** all fall into what category of verbs that have active forms and passive meanings?   ANS: NEUTRAL PASSIVES
   BONUS: What type of intensive verb ends in –**essō** or –**issō** and, according to one well-known grammar text, denotes an "energy or eagerness of action?"   ANS: MEDITATIVE

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6. **TOSSUP**: Of the following items, which would be the darkest in hue: **camēlus**, **pix**, **crēta**, **denārius**, or **larva**?   ANS: **PIX**

BONUS: Of the following items, which would be the easiest to break: **marmor**, **aes**, **vitrum**, or **adamās**?   ANS: **VITRUM**
BONUS: Of the following items, which would be the most nutritious: **linteum**, **genius**, **humus**, or **carō**?   ANS: **CARŌ**

7. **TOSSUP**: What Roman general, acting on a false report of Marcus Aurelius' death, proclaimed himself emperor in 175 A.D.?   ANS: AVIDIUS CASSIUS
    BONUS: What Parthian capital did Avidius Cassius sack on behalf of Marcus Aurelius in 166 A.D.?   ANS: CTESIPHON
    BONUS: Who was Marcus Aurelius' wife who may have encouraged Cassius' ambitions to become emperor?   FAUSTINA the YOUNGER

8. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence from Latin to English: **Accidit hāc nōcte ut lūna esset plēna**.   ANS: IT HAPPENED THAT THE MOON WAS FULL (ON) THIS NIGHT
    BONUS: Now translate this sentence: **Est mōs hominum ut nōlint excellere plūribus rēbus.**   ANS: IT IS THE CUSTOM/WAY OF MEN THAT THEY DO NOT WISH TO EXCEL/BE EMINENT IN SEVERAL THINGS
    BONUS: Finally, translate the following sentence from Latin into English: **Fortasse senātus exspectat dum Cicerō ōrātiōnem habeat**.   ANS: PERHAPS THE SENATE IS WAITING UNTIL CICERO DELIVERS A SPEECH

9. **TOSSUP**: Who became the first warrior to inflict a casualty among the Achaean army when he killed Protesilaus? ANS: HECTOR
    BONUS: What wife of Protesilaus, daughter of Acastus, grieved so much that Protesilaus was allowed to return from Hades for a night to comfort her? Although that story doesn't end happily, because after he returned to the dead, she killed herself to follow him. ANS: LAODAMIA
    BONUS: What Trojan warrior, born on the same night as Hector, often gave good counsel that the Trojans ignored?   ANS: POLYDAMAS

10. **TOSSUP**: The **Galli** were effeminately-dressed priests in the cult of what Phrygian goddess? ANS: CYBELE/**MAGNA MATER**
    BONUS: What physical mutilation were all prospective **Galli**, except for the state-sponsored **archgallus**, required to undergo?   ANS: CASTRATION
    BONUS: The **archgallus** oversaw the ritual castration of what type of animal? ANS: BULL (**taurobolium** is name of the practice)

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11. **TOSSUP**: Welcome back to the Cinema Romana. What classic film musical might the Romans have called *In Imbrī Cantāre*? ANS: *SINGIN' IN THE RAIN*
    BONUS: What about *Nōnnūllīs Illud Calēre Placet*?   ANS: *SOME LIKE IT HOT*
    BONUS: What about *Ūvae Īrācundae*?   ANS: *THE GRAPES OF WRATH*

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12. **TOSSUP**: Listen carefully to the following lines from Sulpicia, which I will read twice, and then answer in English the question that follows.

    Estne tibi, Cerinthe, tuae pia cūra puellae,
      quod mea nunc vexat corpora fessa calor?
    Ā! ego nōn aliter tristēs ēvincere morbōs
      optārim, quam tē sī quoque velle putem.

    The question: What is Sulpicia's ailment? ANS: A FEVER / A TIRED BODY / A HEAT BOTHERS HER
    BONUS: What rhetorical device is illustrated within the first four words of line 3, **Ā! ego nōn aliter?** ANS: LITOTES
    BONUS: What rather pathetic sentiment does Sulpicia express to her lover in the third and fourth lines?   ANS: IF HE DOESN'T WANT HER TO GET BETTER, THEN SHE DOESN'T WANT TO GET BETTER

13. **TOSSUP**: The issue of narration is of utmost importance to Ovid's *Metamorphoses*. Identify, therefore, which of Ovid's narrators tells the tales of both Pygmalion and Myrrha?   ANS: ORPHEUS
    BONUS: What was the name of Myrrha's father?   ANS: CINYRAS
    BONUS: Who is the old man who narrates the famous tale of Baucis and Philemon? ANS: LELEX

14. **TOSSUP**: What elegist wrote an imaginary epistle from Arethusa to Lycotas but is more famous for his poems addressed to Cynthia or Hostia? ANS: PROPERTIUS
    BONUS: What emperor did Statius flatter with poems?   ANS: DOMITIAN
    BONUS: What is the name given to Statius' pantomime?   ANS: AGAVE

15. **TOSSUP**: For the irregular verb **mālō,** give the second person plural, present subjunctive. ANS: MĀLĪTIS
    BONUS: Make "**mālītis**" indicative.   ANS: MĀVULTIS
    BONUS: Of what two words is **mālō** a compound? ANS: **MAGIS & VŌLŌ**

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16. **TOSSUP**: What bumbling character in Ovid's *Metamorphoses* describes himself to his beloved in the following manner? : "And don't think I am ugly / Because my whole body bristles with hair. / A tree without any leaves is ugly, a horse / Is ugly without a golden mane on its neck; / Feathers cover birds; wool looks nice on sheep, / And a beard and long hair look nice on a man." ANS: POLYPHEMUS (that's Lombardo's translation)
    BONUS: For whom does Galatea spurn Polyphemus?   ANS: ACIS
    BONUS: Who, according to Hesiod, are the parents of Galatea? ANS: NEREUS, DORIS

17. **TOSSUP**: What derivative of the Latin adjective for "other" means "a noisy argument or dispute"?   ANS: ALTERCATION
    BONUS: What derivative of the Latin adjective for "no" means "to declare invalid"? ANS: ANNUL
    BONUS: What derivative of a Latin adjective with a similar declension pattern to **alter** and **nūllus** means "a jack of all trades," and literally translates to a command, "Do the whole thing!"? ANS: FACTOTUM

18. **TOSSUP**: What Roman general, called "the last of the Romans," defeated Atila at Chalons in 451 A.D.?   ANS: FLAVIUS AETIUS
    BONUS: With which Visigothic king did Aetius ally to defeat Atila? ANS: THEODORIC
    BONUS: Which emperor killed Aetius in Ravenna in A.D. 453? ANS: VALENTINIAN III

19. **TOSSUP**: What late Christian author was appointed by Constantine to be the tutor of his son Crispus, and is known to us as the "Christian Cicero"?   ANS: LACTANTIUS
    BONUS: In what work of LACTANTIUS does he defend Christian doctrine as a harmonious and logical system?   ANS: *INSTITUTIONES DIVINAE*
    BONUS: Where did Lactantius become a teacher of rhetoric, the place where he was converted to Christianity?   ANS: NICOMEDIA

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20. **TOSSUP**: Who committed suicide at Panticipaeum on the shores of the Black Sea in 63 B.C.?   ANS: MITHRIDATES (VI)
    BONUS: Which of Mithridates' sons led a revolt against the king prior to his suicide? ANS: PHARNACES
    BONUS: At what battle of 63 B.C. had Pompey forced the king of Pontus to retreat to the Black Sea?   ANS: NICOPOLIS

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TIE-BREAKERS (USE ONLY AS NEEDED; reading tossups only. Use the boni as tossups to break further ties)

1. **TOSSUP**: Translate the following sentence into Latin: "We punished their audacity so that their spirits might be broken more easily." ANS: PŪNĪVIMUS AUDĀCIAM EŌRUM QUŌ FACILIUS ANIMĪ/ANIMAE (EŌRUM) FRANGERENTUR
    BONUS: Say in Latin, "You correctly believed that you would win this contest today." ANS: CREDIDISTĪ RĒCTĒ/VĒRĒ TĒ VICTŪRUM ESSE HOC CERTĀMEN HODIĒ.
    BONUS: Now say, "Student, take care that you give me the right answer." ANS: DISCIPULE, CŪRĀ UT MIHI RĒCTUM RESPŌNSUM DĒS.

2. **TOSSUP**: In what land did Aeneas encounter a bleeding bush inhabited by the spirit of Polydorus, his dead cousin? ANS: THRACE
    BONUS: What Thracian king had killed Polydorus?   ANS: POLYMESTOR
    BONUS: In which land, to which the Trojans traveled next, were they stricken by a plague? ANS: CRETE

3. **TOSSUP**: Imagine you are standing on the **Via Sacra** in the **Forum Romanum**. You have just walked through the Arch of Septimius Severus. Which of Rome's seven hills is now directly behind you? ANS: THE CAPITOLINE
    BONUS: You linger for a moment, leaning your back against the Arch of Septimius Severus. What building is immediately to your left?   ANS: THE CURIA (**BASILICA AEMELIA** SHOULD NOT BE ACCEPTED)
    BONUS: Having glanced at the Curia, you continue down the Via Sacra away from the Arch of Septimius Severus and toward the Colosseum. Just past the **Basilica Maxentia**, you notice another triumphal arch. To whom is this arch dedicated? ANS: EMPEROR TITUS

4. **TOSSUP**: Books 3 and 6 of what work contain an invocation to Epicurus, which makes sense because its author was a follower of Epicureanism? ANS: *DE RERUM NATURA*
    BONUS: De Rerum Natura was addressed to Gaius Memmius, the governor of what province where Lucretius served? ANS: BITHYNIA
    BONUS: In what year did Lucretius die by a love potion?   ANS: 55 B.C.

5. **TOSSUP**: Sextus Afranius Burrus, Lucius Faenius Rufus, Gaius Ofonius Tigellinus, and Gaius Nymphidius Sabinus all served as prefects of the praetorian guard under the reign of which emperor? ANS: NERO
    BONUS: Who succeeded the infamous Sejanus as the prefect of the Praetorian Guard? ANS: (QUINTUS NAEVIUS SUTORIUS) MACRO
    BONUS: Which of the Julio-Claudians was served by the five different praetorian prefects, more than any other?   ANS: CLAUDIUS