

- I. What is the masculine singular genitive of unus? UNIUS
What is the feminine singular dative? UNI
Which of the following genitive singular forms is wrong:
ullius, totius, alterius, uterius? UTERIUS SHOULD BE UTRIUS
- II. Who sent Hercules on his Twelve Labors? EURYSTHEUS
What was the first of these? KILLING THE NEMEAN LION
Who was the Amazon queen whose girdle Hercules had to obtain? HIPPOLYTA
- III. Where was Cicero when he delivered the first oration against Catiline? THE TEMPLE OF JUPITER STATOR
Where were the second and third delivered? FROM THE ROSTRUM
Where was the fourth delivered? IN THE TEMPLE OF CONCORD
- IV. Who wrote odi et amo? CATULLUS
Where was he born? VERONA
What was his name for his beloved? LESBIA
- V. What is the meaning of the Latin word which has unchanged become the English noun agenda? THINGS WHICH HAVE TO BE DONE
What Latin words yield the English willy nilly? VOLENS NOLENS or VELLE NOLLE
What proper adjective associated with Roman history has been corrupted into "parting" as in the phrases "parting shot" and "parting glance"? PARTHIAN
- VI. What is the meaning in classical prose of the Latin adjective fatalis? FATEFUL, PORTENTUOUS
What is the Latin adjective meaning deadly or fatal? MORTIFER, LETIFER
What does the adjective generosus mean in classical prose? WELL_BORN
- VII. Who could meet his father only after he had lifted a great rock? THESEUS
What lay underneath? A SWORD AND SANDALS
Who was Theseus' mother? AETHRA
- VIII. When the Romans first encountered them, they were ~~wo~~ bewildered they could only call them "Lucanian oxen." What were they? ELEPHANTS
Fighting whose army did the Romans encounter them first? PYRRHUS
What could elephantus mean by metonymy? IVORY
- IX. What is Vergil's ten-poem collection of pastoral poetry? THE ECLOGUES
What was his next major work? THE GEORGICS
How many Georgics are there? FOUR
- X. What is the second singular perfect active indicative of creno? CREVISTI
Change crevisti to passive. CRETUS ES
Change crevisti to pluperfect subjunctive. CREVISSES
- XI. What is the meaning of the Latin noun contained in the English verb genuflect? KNEE
What is its declension and gender? FOURTH NEUTER
How many different cases can the form genu be? FOUR
- XII. How many children/siblings did Oedipus have? FOUR

Name the males. POLYNICES AND ETEOCLES
Name the females. ANTIGONE AND ISMENE

- XIII. What Roman maiden swam the Tiber to freedom only to be returned to her Etruscan captors? CLOELIA
What maiden betrayed Rome to the Sabines? TARPEIA
Who was commanding the Sabines? TITUS TATIUS
- XIV. Who was the patron of Vergil? MAECENAS
Who, in one of his poems, addressed Maecenas as a descendant of Etruscan kings? HORACE
Did Maecenas ever hold an elective office? NO
- XV. What Latin noun is the root of the English verb extirpate? STIRPS
What is the meaning of the Latin noun at the root of the English verb eradicate? ROOT
What is the meaning of the Latin noun as the root of the English verb incinerate? ASH
- XVI. What is the nominative plural of the phrase senatus consultum? SENATUS CONSULTA
What is the genitive plural of senex? SENUM
What is the genitive plural of iuuenis? IUVENUM
- XVII. At what event did Eris throw her golden apple? THE WEDDING OF PELEUS AND THETIS
Who was the son of the these two? ACHILLES
Whose wedding was marred by the battle of the Lapiths and the Centaurs? PIRITHOUS AND HIPPODAMIA
- XVIII. What was the year of Pompeii's destruction? 79 AD
What was the exact date? AUGUST 24
In what century was Pompeii rediscovered? THE EIGHTEENTH
- XIX. Who was the author of the Mostellaria and the Casina? PLAUTUS
Who was the author of the ~~Phormio~~ Phormio and the Adelphoe? TERENCE
Who was the author of the Thyestes and the Hercules Furens? SENECA THE YOUNGER
- XX. What praenomen is abbreviated A? AULUS
Which is abbreviated Cn? GNAEUS
Which is abbreviated L? LUCIUS

- I. What is the third singular perfect active indicative of cado? CECIDIT
 What is the same form of caedo? CECIDIT
 What is the same form of cano? CECINIT
- II. From what were sprung a race of men called Myrmidons? ANTS
 Where was their island home? AEGINA
 Who was their first king? AEACUS
- III. How many of the Seven Wonders of the World glorified Greek divinities? THREE
 Which divinity was honored by a temple at Ephesus? ~~HEPHAESTUS~~ ARTEMIS
 Who was honored by the Colossus of Rhodes? HELIOS OR APOLLO
- IV. Who wrote Non amo te, Sabidi? MARTIAL
 Where was Martial's birthplace? BILBILIS, SPAIN
 What are his verses called? EPIGRAMS
- V. Which noun of the following four is out of place: anguis, volucris, coluber, serpens? VOLUCRIS
 What is a synonym for volucris? AVIS
 What do the other nouns all mean? SNAKE
- VI. What Latin noun is at the root of the English military rank of colonel? COLUMNA
 What Latin verb is at the root of sergeant? SERVIO
 Does admiral have a Classical Latin root? NO
- VII. * BLACKOUT STRIKES 7/13 9:34PM * Who was the father of Danae? ACRISIUS
 In the land of what king did Danae arrive after Acrisius expelled her? POLYDECTES
 Who, a brother of Polydectes, gave shelter to Danae and the infant Perseus? DICTYS
- VIII. What enemy people did the Romans ^{defeat} at the battle of Alesia? THE GAULS
 What was the year? 52 BC
 Who was the enemy commander? VERGINGETORIX
- IX. Who wrote a history of Rome in 142 books? LIVY
 What was his birthplace? PATAVIUM
 Of the 142 books, how many are extant and complete? 35
- X. What English phrase preserves unchanged a Latin ablative absolute and means "with the situation reversed"? VICE VERSA
 What English noun meaning "an accident of fortune" comes from the Latin noun in vice versa? VICISSITUDE
 What English adjective meaning "experienced through sympathetic participation in the experience of another" comes from the same noun? VICARIOUS
- XI. What is the syncopated form of the second singular perfect active indicative of porta? PORTASTI
 What is the syncopated form of the same verb in the perfect active indicative? PORTASSE
 In the third plural perfect active indicative? PORTARUNT
- XII. What is the native Italian name for the Muses? CAMENAE
 Who was Muse of love poetry? ERATO

Who was Muse of epic poetry? CALLIOPE

- XIII. Between January, 68 AD, and January, 70 AD, how many emperors did Rome have? FIVE
Who was the last of them, whose reign lasted ten years? VESPASIAN
How many of his sons succeeded him? TWO
- XIV. Who in the Aeneid says, "Parce metu, Cytherea?" JUPITER
Who is Cytherea? VENUS
Whom in disguise does Aeneas address as "O dea certe?" VENUS
- XV. From what Latin verb does the English noun "parent" come? PARIO
What does it mean? GIVE BIRTH
What is its perfect active infinitive? PEPERISSE
- XVI. What was a Roman asking you if we walked up to you and said, "Ningitne?" IS IT SNOWING?
Tell this clown it is raining. PLUIT
Tell this clown it is thundering. TONAT
- XVII. What was done with the eyes of the slain Argus? THEY WERE PUT INTO THE TAIL OF THE PEACOCK.
Over whom had Argus been guardian? IO
Who killed Argus? MERCURY
- XVIII. Where was Caesar's decisive victory over Pompey? PHARSALUS
What was the year? 48 BC
The date is the same as an important date in modern military history. What was the date? AUGUST 9 - NAGASAKI.
- XIX. Who wrote a lost oratorical work called the Anticato and a lost verse tribute to Terence? JULIUS CAESAR
Who wrote the eighth book of Caesar's Gallie War? AULUS HIRTIUS
How many books are there in Caesar's De Bello Civili? THREE
- XX. What was the Latin noun for the Romans' main meal of the day? CENA
What is the Latin noun for lunch? PRANDIUM
What is the Latin noun for breakfast? IENTACULUM

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- I. Given that the e is long, what is the meaning of est? HE EATS
What is this verb's archaic present infinitive? ESSE
What is its perfect infinitive? EDISSE
- II. Who was the mother of Antaeus? GAIA
What was the building material with which Antaeus built a temple to his father Poseidon? THE SKULLS OF HIS VICTIMS
Who finally killed him? HERCULES
- III. Which Roman emperor conquered what is now Romania? TRAJAN
What was the Roman province established there? DACIA
What were the years of Trajan's reign? 117-131
- IV. Whom did Cicero attack with his Philippics? MARC ANTONY
Who was Cicero's arch rival at the bar? HORTENSIVS
True or False - Cicero and Hortensius, outside of court, were good friends. FALSE
- V. What Latin verb is at the root of the English verb pardon? DONO
Using two different constructions with dono, put this sentence into Latin: He gives the flowers to his wife. vb.
FLOREM UXORI SUAE DONAT. FLORE UXOREM SUAM DONAT. (parallel: present
- VI. Change to the singular the verb fertis. FERS
Change uolo to subjunctive. VELIM
Change facit to passive. FIT
- VII. What early Trojan defrauded the gods who built for him the walls of Troy? LAOMEDON
Who were the gods? APOLLO AND POSEIDON
Which of Laomedon's sons survived him? PRIAM (AND TITHONUS)
- VIII. Who taunted the defeated Romans with the sarcastic phrase vae victis? BRENNUS
When did he capture Rome? 390 (or 387) BC
What battle a few miles away had preceded the capture of the city? THE BATTLE OF THE RIVER ALLIA
- IX. Many Roman names have other meanings, and probably refer to something the original possessor of the name was known for.
What Roman author's name means quiet? TACITUS
What early writer's name means broad or flat? PLAUTUS
Whose name could mean a priest of Mars? MARTIAL'S
- X. What is the syntax of O tempora O mores? ACCUSATIVE OF EXCLAMATION
What is the case of animis in Tantaene animis caelestibus irae?
DATIVE
What Latin verb is at the root of the word genitive? GIGNO
- XI. What praenomen is abbreviated D? DECIMUS
What praenomen is abbreviated M? MANIUS
What praenomen is abbreviated Sp? SPURIUS
- XII. What was the name of Circe's island? AEAEA
What son of Circe and Odysseus, in a post-Homeric version, later kills Odysseus by accident? TELEGONUS
What was Calypso's island? OGYGIA

- XIII. Who refused a place in the first triumvirate? CICERO
 When was the second triumvirate founded? 43 BC
 When was it renewed? 37
- XIV. Who speaks the line, "Tros Tyriusque mihi nullo discrimine agetur?"
 DIDO
 Who says, "Tuus, o regina, quid optes
 explorare labor; mihi iussa capessere fas est?" AEOLUS
 Who says, "Infandum, regina, iubes renovare dolorem?" AENEAS
- XV. What is the second plural perfect active indicative of curro?
 CUCURRISTIS
 What is the perfect passive participle of the verb sero,
 meaning sow? SATUS
 What is the perfect passive participle of the verb sero,
 meaning entwine? SERTUS
- XVI. What legal term in English means in Latin 'somewhere else'? ALIBI
 Which of the following words for crimes is a Latin derivative:
 murder, theft, fraud, embezzlement? FRAUD
 Which of the following is not a Latin derivative: arson,
 larceny, bribery, forgery? BRIBERY
- XVII. Who was the nephew and companion of Hercules? IOLAUS
 Who obliged Hercules by lighting his funeral pyre? POEAS (PHILOCTETES)
 Whom did the gods give in marriage to Hercules after his
 deification? HEBE
- XVIII. What was the name of Cleopatra's son who may have been sired
 by Julius Caesar? CAESARION (PTOLEMY XV)
 When was he born? 47
 At whose order was he killed? OCTAVIAN'S
- XIX. Who was Ovid's patron? MESSALA CORVINUS
 What is Ovid's longest work? THE METAMORPHOSES
 Who else wrote a work called the Metamorphoses? APULEIUS
- XX. What kind of perfects do the following verbs have in common:
curro, cano, cado, caedo? REDUPLICATED
 What is the perfect active infinitive of fallo? FEFELLISSE
 What is the perfect active infinitive of pello? PEPULISSE

- I. What verbal noun is a defective noun of the fourth declension?
THE SUPINE
What is the only standard use of the accusative supine?
PURPOSE (AFTER VERBS OF MOTION)
What infinitive makes use of the supine? FUTURE PASSIVE
- II. Who was the mother of Neoptolemus? DEIDAMIA
By what other name is Neoptolemus known? PYRRHUS
Who had to be sacrificed on Achilles' tomb? POLYXENA
- III. Leading a revolt in Britain against the Romans, what woman warrior sacked several towns before being defeated? BOUDICCA (BOADICEA)
Who led the capture of Veii in the early 4th century BC? CAMILLUS
Who left his plow to become dictator? CINCINNATUS
- IV. Who is the first of the four emperors treated in Tacitus' Annales? TIBERIUS
What is the other important chronicle by Tacitus? THE HISTORIAE
Which of his works was written in praise of his father-in-law?
THE AGRICOLA
- V. What Roman room comes from a Latin adjective for black because of the smoke-blackened walls? ATRIUM
What feature of the triclinium gives it its name? THREE COUCHES
What was a Roman house's entrance hall? THE FAUCES
- VI. What is the second plural perfect active indicative of posco?
POPOSCISTIS
What is the same form of findo? FIDISTIS
What is the same form of tundo? TUTUDISTIS
- VII. Who was Niobe's husband? AMPHION
Who was her father? TANTALUS
Where was Amphion king? THEBES
- VIII. In what province did Cicero serve as quaestor? SICILY
In what provinces did Caesar serve as proconsul in the years 58 - 49? CISPALPINE GAUL AND ILLYRICUM
Who were the consuls of 55 BC? POMPEY AND CRASSUS
- IX. Who wrote the De Rerum Natura? LUCRETIVS
What philosopher did he follow? EPICURUS
How many books are in his epic? SIX
- X. What is the poetic variant of the third plural perfect active indicative inflection -erunt? ^{eres} -ERE
What is the archaic form of the passive infinitive of the first conjugation, as found as late as in Vergil? -ARIER
What is this archaic form in the third conjugation? -IER
- XI. Using two defective verbs, translate this sentence into Latin:
(You may direct it at me if you like.) I ~~have begun~~ ^{am beginning} to hate you.
COEPI TE ODISSE.
Change the verb form malō to plural. MALUMUS
Change vult to plural. VOLUNT
- XII. In what river did Midas wash away his golden touch? PACTOLUS
What punishment did Midas receive for preferring Pan's music

to Apollo's? THE EARS OF AN ASS

Who was judge of that contest, with whose verdict in Apollo's favor Midas disagreed? THE MOUNTAIN GOD TMOLUS

XIII. What office was instituted as a result of the Secession of the Plebs in 494 BC? THE TRIBUNATE

Who convinced them to return with a parable? MENENIUS

What change in the administration of the Roman army traditionally took place in 406 BC? THE INTRODUCTION OF PAY

XIV. Who wrote an epic on the war between Caesar and Pompey? LUCAN

What is the name of this work? BELLUM CIVILE (PHARSALIA)

In whose court did Lucan serve? NERO'S

XV. What Latin letter or letters transliterate the Greek upsilon? Y

What Latin letter or letters transliterate the Greek eta? E

What Latin letter or letters transliterate the Greek chi? CH

XVI. What is the Latin verb whose perfect infinitive is posuisse? PONO

What Latin verb's perfect infinitive is potuisse? POSSUM

What verb's perfect infinitive is afuisse? ABSUM

XVII. Which god is also known as Mulciber? VULCAN

Where did Vulcan land when Jupiter threw him out of Heaven? LEMNOS

How did he assist in the birth of Minerva? HE SPLIT JUPITER'S

HEAD OPEN WITH AN AXE.

XVIII. What was Rome's annona? HER GRAIN SUPPLY

What was Rome's nearest port? OSTIA

Claudius made improvements to the Ostian harbor to make it competitive with a port about 140 miles to the south, which up to then had been more important in the grain trade. What was this other port? PUTEOLI

XIX. What was the first oration Cicero delivered in public? PRO QUINCTIO

What was the year? 81 BC

His second oration, Pro Roscio Amerino, made clear his antagonism to what powerful figure of the time? SULLA

XX. What Latin ablative absolute is still used in English to mean "with the necessary changes being made?" MUTATIS MUTANDIS

What does the frequent dictionary notation qv stand for?

QUOD VIDE

What does qqv stand for? QUAE VIDE

- I. What verb is the root of altus and admus? ALO
 What is the root verb whose derivatives in Latin include numen? NUO (EXISTS IN CLASSICAL LATIN ONLY IN COMPOUNDS)
 What Latin imperative does the abbreviation cf. stand for? CONFER
- II. Who was the only son of Aegyptus to survive his wedding night? LYNCEUS
 Who was his bride? HYPERMNESTRA
 What was the eternal punishment of her 49 murderous sisters?
 DRAWING WATER WITH SIEVES
- III. Who was the last emperor of the Western Empire? ROMULUS AUGUSTULUS
 When was he deposed? 476 AD
 Who deposed him? ODOACER
- IV. In what Roman literary work do we find the somnum Scipionis?
 CICERO'S DE RE PUBLICA
 From what Roman work comes the question: quid rides?
 mutato nomine de te fabula narratur? HORACE'S SATIRES
 From what Roman work comes the infamous line:
 O Tite tute Tati tibi tanta tyranne tulisti? ENNIUS' ANNALES
- V. What is the ablative singular of the phrase novus homo? NOVO HOMINE
 What is the ablative of nemo? NELLO
 What is the dative of nemo? NEMINI
- VI. What identical nouns in Latin mean heel and pebble? CALX AND CALX
 What Latin word can mean either "sheep" or "may you rejoice"? OVES
 What participle means either "extended" or "having suffered"?
 PASSUS
- VII. By what other name is Damastes known? PROCRUSTES (or PROCOPTAS or
 POLYPEMON)
 What victim of Theseus was called the Pinebender? SINIS (Pityocampes)
 Which villain killed by Theseus compelled strangers to
 wrestle with him? CERCYON
- VIII. What military disaster befell the Romans in 321 BC? THE BATTLE
 OF THE CAUDINE FORKS
 What war was in progress? THE SECOND SAMNITE
 How many Samnite Wars were there? THREE
- IX. With what Greek comedy is the term "Cloudcuckooland" associated?
 THE BIRDS
 Who wrote it? ARISTOPHANES
 To what subdivision of Greek comedy does he belong? OLD COMEDY
- X. What rhetorical or prosodic device is the repetition of a noun
 in several different cases? POLYPTOTON
 What is the repetition of a word at the beginning of
 successive clauses? ANAPHORA
 What is exaggeration for effect? HYPERBOLE
- XI. What occupation was a carnifex? EXECUTIONER
 What occupation was a tibicen? A FLUTE-PLAYER
 What occupation was a caupo? AN INNKEEPER
- XII. Who was the father of Narcissus? CEPHISSUS
 Whom did Echo annoy with her chatter? HERA

Who acquired the power of understanding animals' speech when snakes licked his ears? MELAMPUS

- XIII. What Roman ceremony included a slave who had to repeat the phrase Hominem te memento? A TRIUMPHAL PROCESSION
What building was the destination of a triumphal parade? THE TEMPLE OF JUPITER CAPITOLINUS
What was the minimum number of enemy dead for a triumph? 5000
- XIV. What Greek author wrote works on hunting, estate management, cavalry command, and the philosophy of Socrates, but is best known for his Anabasis? XENOPHON
For ten points, what two titles did Xenophon and Plato both use? All four works are concerned with Socrates.
SYMPOSIUM AND APOLOGY.
- XV. What Latin noun meant "eyebrow" and by extension "Haughtiness?" SUPERCILIUM
Which of the following does not have its root in the noun facies: surface, superficial, artificial, façade? ARTIFICIAL
What is the meaning of the Latin noun pollex? THUMB (or BIG TOE)
- XVI. What is the perfect passive participle of sepelio? SEPULTUS
What is the perfect passive participle of saepio? SAEPTUS
What conjugation do they belong to? THE FOURTH
- XVII. What was the land Odysseus visited last? PHAEACIA (SCHERIA)
Who was the princess? NAUSICAA
Who was the bard who sang to Odysseus at the Phaeacian court about the Trojan War? DEMODOCUS
- XVIII. Who led the defense of the Capitoline after being awakened by the sacred geese? M. MANLIUS CAPITOLINUS
What bridge did Horatius Cocles defend so valiantly? PONS SUBLICIUS
Who was leading the attacking army? LARS PORSENA
- XIX. In a work by what author was an emperor upon his death turned not into a god but a pumpkin? SENECA THE YOUNGER
Who was the emperor? CLAUDIUS
By whom was Seneca ordered to take his own life? NERO
- XX. Although they both mean helmet, galea and cassis in strict terminology distinguish the materials they were made from.
What was a cassis made of? METAL (USUALLY BRONZE)
What was a galea made of? LEATHER
What was a soldier's sagum made of? CLOTH

- I. What is the perfect active indicative of sancio? SANXISSE
What is its third plural perfect passive subjunctive? SANCTI SINT
Change sancti sint to active. SANXERINT.
- II. Which of the following did not enter the Underworld while still living? Odysseus, Psyche, Perseus, Theseus. PERSEUS
WHO were the two immortal Gorgons? STHENO AND EURYALE
Which divinity punished Medusa with her unique appearance? ATHENA
- III. At the battle of Cannae, who were the volones? SLAVES WHO SERVED AS VOLUNTEERS (VOLONES) IN THE ROMAN ARMY.
Where was the army of Varus destroyed in 9 AD? TEUTOBERG FOREST
Three legions were destroyed in that battle, and their numbers were superstitiously never used again. What were those numbers? XVII, XVIII, AND XIX.
- IV. Who is the Aeneid says, "Nascetur pulchra Troianus origine Caesar, imperium Oceano, famam qui terminet astris?" JUPITER
Who says, "O fortunati, quorum iam moenia surgunt?" AENEAS
Who is the first Trojan to address Dido? ILIONEUS
- V. What is the perfect active infinitive of surgo? SURREXISSE
What is the genitive plural of its present participle? SURGENTIUM
~~What English noun, a derivative of surgor, means a small uprising or minor revolution?~~ INSURRECTION
- VI. What is the contracted form of atque? AC
Amabo and sodes are Latin ways to say what? PLEASE, IF YOU WOULD, ETC
Despite its appearance, what word is the conversational word cedo? IMPERATIVE (PLURAL: CETTE)
- VII. What goddesses are the doorkeepers of Olympus? THE HORAE
Who is the Muse of dance? TERPSICHORE
Who is the Muse of comedy? THALIA
- VIII. Who instructed Hercules on the lyre? LINUS
Who was Hercules' wife, the woman responsible for his death? DEIANIRA
Who was the centaur whose blood was the agent of Hercules' death? NESSUS
- IX. Who was the author of the Peloponnesian War? THUCYDIDES
What Greek poet wrote the Works and Days? HESIOD
Which Greek dramatist wrote the Bacchae? EURIPIDES
- X. What was the name of the spear a Roman soldier would use mainly for thrusting? HASTA
What was the spear he would throw? PILUM
What would be the weapon of troops called funditores? THE SLING
- XI. Express the phrase 300 soldiers in the dative. TRECENTIS MILITIBUS
What is the present infinitive of queo? QUIRE
What is the third plural present indicative? QUEUNT
- XII. Where in Colchis was the palace of Aeetes? AEA
Who had brought the Fleece to Colchis? PHRIXUS
Who was the father of Phrixus? ATHAMAS

- XIII. What was Alexander the Great's favorite book? THE ILIAD
 What was the name of Alexander's horse? BUCEPHALUS
 How old was Alexander at the time of his death? 32
- XIV. Who, in respect to his contemporary Vergil, wrote "nescio quid maius nascitur Iliade?" PROPERTIUS
 What was his name for his beloved? CYNTHIA
 Where was Propertius born? ASSISI
- XV. The Classical Latin word for head is of course caput. The French and Italian words for head, however, come from a word that was a slang term for the head. What is the meaning of that word, testa? JUG
 What far less dignified word than equus gave all the Romance languages their words for horse, and gave us cavalry. CABALLUS
 What Latin word does the English lb stand for? LIBRA
- XVI. What type of subordinate clause might follow a word like talis or tantus? RESULT ^{introduces}
 What is the negative of a result clause? UT NON
 What is the negative of a purpose clause? NE
- XVII. Which of the following was not a direct ancestor of Aeneas: Teucer, Assaracus, Ilus, Dardanus? ILUS (HIS GREAT-UNCLE)
 Who was the father of Anchises? CAPYS
 Besides being a distant cousin, what relation was Priam to Aeneas? FATHER-IN-LAW
- XVIII. Where was Julius Caesar's last battle? MUNDA, SPAIN
 What was the year? 45
 What battle was the subject of his famous boast, Veni vidi vici? Zela
- XIX. From what Greek orator did Cicero borrow the title Philippic Orations? DEMOSTHENES
 How many Philippics did Cicero write? FOURTEEN
 Over what period of time did he deliver these speeches? EIGHT MONTHS
- XX. What English noun comes from the Latin verb attero? ATTRITION
 What Latin noun with its roots in ager ultimately produced the English noun pilgrim? PEREGRINUS
 What Latin noun is hidden in the English noun parapet? PECTUS

- I. Translate into the nominative case the phrase "both poets."
POETAE AMBO
Put the phrase "both nights" into the genitive: AMBARUM NOCTIUM
Put the phrase "both daughters" into the ablative. AMBABUS FILIABUS
- II. What function of Mercury is indicated by his name Hermes Psychopompus? THE ESCORTING OF THE DEAD TO HADES.
What two animals were sacred to Aesculapius, were found in his temples, and were thought to have curative powers in their licks? THE SNAKE AND THE DOG
Who was the mother of Aesculapius? CORONIS
- III. As you may have guessed, the word "aedile" comes from the word aedes, "temple." The aedile's original function was the supervision of whose temple? CERES'
What festival did the Romans celebrate on February 15? LUPERCALIA
We still celebrate on March 17, but we call it St Patrick's Day.
What did the Romans celebrate on March 17? LIBERALIA
- IV. What Roman author gave us the phrase panem et circenses? JUVENAL
What Roman work describes the cena Trimalchionis? THE SATYRICON
What Roman work is the only classical recounting of the tale of Cupid and Psyche? THE GOLDEN ASS
- V. What English noun comes from the Latin verb scindo? SCISSORS
What is the perfect active infinitive of pendo? PEPENDISSE
What is the perfect active infinitive of pardo? PEPERCISSE
- VI. What was the livelihood of a latro? HE WAS A THIEF
What occupation was a pistor? A BAKER
What occupation was a lanius? A BUTCHER
- VII. At the home of what king did Demeter take refuge during her search for Persephone? CELEUS
Who was the queen? METANIRA
Who was the infant Demeter intended to make immortal? DEMOPHOON (or TRIPTOLEMUS)
- VIII. What was the old name of Constantinople? BYZANTIUM
In what year was Constantinople founded? 330 AD (OFFICIALLY INAUGURATED) or 324 AD (ACTUALLY FOUNDED)
What was the year of the battle of the Mulvian Bridge? 312
- IX. Which work of Cicero is also known as the Laelius? DE AMICITIA
Which one is also known as Cato Maior? DE SENECTUTE
What lost work was written out of grief over his daughter's death? THE CONSOLATIO
- X. In a regular third or fourth conjugation verb, what other form is identical in both voices to the first singular present subjunctive? THE FIRST SINGULAR FUTURE INDICATIVE
What is this form, passive, for capio? CAPIAR
What is the present imperative of reor? RERE
- XI. With your answer in Latin, what is ter quinque? QUINDECIM
What is the Latin noun for one half? DIMIDIUM
How would you say "three fifths" in Latin? TRES QUINTAE (PARTES)

- XII. Bellerophon's name means he once had certain dealings with a man named Bellerus. What was Bellerophon to Bellerus? HIS KILLER
 What was his name before he killed Bellerus and acquired his new name? HIPPOCLES
 Who falsely accused Bellerophon of trying to seduce her? ANTIA or STHENEBOEA
- XIII. What is the modern name of Nicaea? NICE
 What large city derives its name from its Latin one, Colonia Agrippina? COLOGNE
 What is the modern name for the ancient Tergeste? TRIESTE
- XIV. Who in the Aeneid speaks the line, "Equo ne credite, Teucri?" LAOCOON
 Whose death is described with this, one of the most metrically striking in the poem:
 Avulsumque umeris caput, et sine nomine corpus? PRIAM'S
 Who says, "Hoc opus, hic labor est?" THE SIBYL
- XV. What sort of words are Aeneadae, Heraclidae, and Atreidae? PATRONYMICS
 What sort of verbs are licet, oportet, and paenitet? IMPERSONAL
 What English word for prison is derived from paenitet? PENITENTIARY
- XVI. What is the nominative singular of the present active participle of eo? IENS
 What is the perfect active infinitive of uro? USSISSE
 What is the perfect active infinitive of coquo? COXISSE
- XVII. What god was called Ennosigaeus, the Earth Shaker? POSEIDON
 What island was devastated with a plague sent by a jealous Hera because it was named for one of Zeus' conquests? AEGINA
 What goddess was called Tritogeneia? ~~Athena~~ Athena
- XVIII. Where was an armistice, temporary as it turned out, between Octavian and Antony signed in 40 BC? BRUNDISIUM
 One of the negotiators was a man who helped Vergil recover his confiscated farm, and is mentioned gratefully in the Eclogues more than once. Who was he? GAIUS ASINIUS POLLIO
 Where was another treaty, also temporary, between Antony and Octavian signed in 37 BC? TARENTUM
- XIX. Aeneid VI.846, unus qui nobis cunctando restituis rem, refers to Fabius Cunctator; from what earlier epicist did Vergil borrow the line? ENNIUS
 What earlier writer did Horace call his "lantern," but still criticize for writing like a muddy river, dictating 200 verses an hour while standing on one foot? LUCILIUS
 From what early Roman dramatist did Caligula borrow his motto: oderint dum metuant - let them hate, as long as they fear? ACCIUS
- XX. In that quotation from Accius, what kind of subordinate clause is dum metuant? PROVISIO
 What compound of dum and another particle often introduces a proviso? DUMMODO
 Translate the following proviso of Martial:
 Sint Maecenates, non deerunt Marones.
 AS LONG AS THERE ARE MAECENASES, THERE WILL BE NO LACK OF VERGILS.

- I. What Latin noun is at the root of the English word inertia? ARS
Which of the following English nouns does not ultimately go back to the Latin word quattuor: quarantine, quarry (Meaning "that which is hunted"), quarry (meaning "a place to cut rock,"), squadron? QUARRY (THAT WHICH IS HUNDED)
What English adjective and noun derives through a series of meanings from the Latin noun ~~for~~ hinge? CARDINALS
- II. Who were the doctors of the Greek forces at Troy? MACHAON AND PODALIRIUS
Who was their father? AESCULAPIUS
Who was the Greek seer at Troy? CALCHAS
- III. Who were the first two consuls of the Roman Republic?
LUCIUS TARQUINIUS COLLATINUS AND LUCIUS JUNIUS BRUTUS
What was the year of their consulship? 509 BC
What was a consul suffectus? ONE APPOINTED TO FILL AN UNEXPIRED TERM
- IV. Although it is usually thought of as a Christian concept in an individual, the Golden Age Latin authors seemed to think that the gens togata suffered from an original sin as well. What was Rome's original sin? ROMULUS' MURDER OF REMUS
It was sometimes implied that Rome's original sin went back to the early days of Troy. What did some authors imply was Troy's original sin? THE FRAUD OF LAOMEDON
Since slander of Romulus was slander of Augustus, what variant story of the death of Remus was sometimes used? THAT CELER, ROMULUS' AIDE, KILLED REMUS
- V. What Latin adjective is a contraction of the present active participle of provideo? PRUDENS
By way of French, what Latin verb gives us our verb pursue? PROSEQUOR
Do survey and convey have the same root verb? NO
SURVEY=SUPER+VIDEO, CONVEY=CUM+VIARE
- VI. The following words all have the Greek word νησος in common: Indonesia, Micronesia, Polynesia, Peloponnesus. What does νησος mean? ISLAND
What does Micronesia mean? SMALL ISLANDS
What does Polynesia mean? MANY ISLANDS
- VII. Cleobis and Biton were the sons of a priestess of Hera; they once pulled their mother's chariot five miles to the Temple of Hera when no beasts of burden were available. Their mother prayed that they receive the greatest good men can have. What did Hera grant them a few hours later? PAINLESS DEATHS IN THEIR SLEEP
Once in a temple of Artemis, a young man named Acontius tricked a young woman into betrothing herself to him. What did he do? INSCRIBED "I SWEAR BY ARTEMIS TO MARRY ACONTIUS" ON A PIECE OF FRUIT AND THREW IT TO HER FEET. SHE PICKED IT UP, READ THE INSCRIPTION ALOUD, AND BY ARTEMIS' EXPRESS WILL HAD TO HONORIT.
What was her name? CYDIPPE
- VIII. What previously great power did the Romans defeat decisively at the battle of Pydna? MACEDONIA
What was the year? 168 BC
What son and namesake of a general was commander there? LUCIUS AEMILIUS PAULLUS

- IX. Only one Greek tragedy which survives has its basis in real history instead of myth or legend. Which one is it? THE PERSAE
Who wrote it? AESCHYLUS
Now, according to tradition, did Aeschylus die? A BIRD DROPPED A TURTLE ON HIS HEAD.
- X. Translate the phrase "amazing to say." MIRABILE DICTU
Translate these phrases:
Flowers are beautiful to see. FLORES SUNT BELLI VISU
Music is pleasing to hear. MUSICA EST GRATA AUDITU
- XI. Translate into English the motto of the National Lampoon:
ars gratia pecuniae. "ART FOR THE SAKE OF MONEY"
What is the comparative of diu? DIUTIUS
What is the superlative of vetus? VETERRIMUS
- XII. Who was the bronze guardian of Crete? TALUS
What siren, distressed at her failure to lure Odysseus and his men with her singing, threw herself into the sea? Her body washed ashore in Italy and the spot was named for her.
PARTHENOPE
What miracle did Zeus grant to the mother of Acarnan and Amphoterus? HE CAUSED THEM TO GROW TO MANHOOD IN A SINGLE DAY TO AVENGE THE MURDER OF THEIR FATHER.
- XIII. When Corinth was refounded in the 40s BC, what Latin name was given to it? LAUS IULII
What emperor began and abandoned the digging of a canal across the isthmus of Corinth? NERO
What century finally witnessed the completion of such a canal? THE NINETEENTH
- XIV. What character scornfully addresses the Trojans as Laomedontiadae? THE HARPY CELAENO
What prophecy does she give them? THAT THEY WON'T REACH THEIR DESTINATION UNTIL HUNGER HAS MADE THEM EAT THEIR TABLES.
Who in Book VII exclaims to Aeneas that the prophecy has been fulfilled? ASCANIUS
- XV. Of what rhetorical device is "not bad" an example? LITOTES
What is the inversion of the usual order of words? ANASTROPHE (HYPERBATON)
What device's name, in literal Greek, means "one thing through two?" HENDIADYS
- XVI. You should know by now that the perfect of tollo is sustuli.
What is the perfect of attollo? IT HAS NONE
What is the perfect active infinitive of crepo? CREPUISSE
What is the syncopated perfect active infinitive of nosco? NOSSE
- XVII. To whom did Priam send his son Polydorus, only for the host to turn on his guest and murder him? POLYMESTOR (or Polymnestor)
How did Hecuba avenge Polydorus? KILLED POLYMESTOR'S CHILDREN AND BLINDED HIM
Who was Polymestor's wife? ILIONE, A DAUGHTER OF PRIAM
- XVIII. To what office was Caesar elected in 63 BC? PONTIFEX MAXIMUS
What office was abolished after his death? DICTATOR
Which emperor refused to accept the title of Augustus? VITELLIUS

XIX. Several of Rome's literati have gotten together to drink themselves into oblivion. Vergil is knocking them back at a fast clip like the typical teenager he is. Cicero is trying to look dignified, as is fitting for a middle-aged gentleman in his fifties, and every few minutes he addresses himself to no one in particular and says, "Quo usque tandem abutemur nostris iecoribus?" Horace and Livy are underage, so they promised to stay away from the hard stuff, but they seem to be snitching swigs from the bottle of Falernian, which is a good vintage, 61. Caesar is oozing around the room with a bottle of Mareotic in his hand, saying, "Veni vidi bibi," and laughing at his own joke. Everyone is getting quite stiff, but no one is as stiff as Catullus, who has been dead for several days. What year is it?
54 BC

How many years later would these bozos have to have their party to include the newborn Ovid? ELEVEN
If the party had been held the previous year, to celebrate Vergil's donning the toga virilis, what event of the same day would they have been mourning? THE DEATH OF LUCRETIVS

XX. What is the tense of the subjunctive in a present contrary-to-fact clause? IMPERFECT

Translate into English: Nisi vidissem, non credidissem.
IF I HADN'T SEEN, I WOULDN'T HAVE BELIEVED.

Translate into Latin: If I were wise, I wouldn't be here.
SI SAPIENS ESSEM, NON HIC ESSEM

sapirem

non adessem
abessem