2014ACL/NJCL NATIONAL LATIN EXAMLATIN III-IV PROSEIII EXAM ECHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER FROM A, B, C, OR D. MARK ANSWERS ON ANSWER SHEET.IV EXAM G

- 1. Aenēās Carthāgine profectus ad Italiam nāvigābat. A) to Carthage B) at Carthage C) near Carthage D) from Carthage
- 2. Victoria ostendat uter exercitus bello sit melior. A) every army B) why the army C) any army D) which army
- 3. Erant plūrima cōnsilia <u>dē occupandō ponte</u>. A) from the seized bridge B) concerning seizing the bridge C) concerning the bridge which was seized D) for the purpose of seizing the bridge
- 4. Nūllus dux in illā urbe <u>fuit dignus laude</u>. A) had such great praise B) was praised because of dignity C) was worthy of praise D) praised the worthy
- 5. <u>Cum fulmen</u> mīlitēs <u>terruisset</u>, Periclēs eos sēdāvit. A) Because lightning might frighten
 B) When lightning had frightened C) Whenever lightning frightens D) Although lightning frightens
- 6. Necesse est nōbīs cognōscere _____ exercitus Caesaris maneat _____ proficīscātur. A) nec...nec B) sīve...sīve C) aliī...aliī D) tam...quam
- 7. "Hoc est <u>idem vīnum quod</u> heri bibimus," paterfamiliās dēclārāvit. A) the same wine that B) any other wine C) indeed another wine D) some kind of wine
- 8. Ducēs dīxērunt sēsē signum proelī datūrōs esse. A) has been given B) is given C) would give D) will be given
- 9. Trīstis <u>morte uxōris</u> Orpheus lacrimāvit. A) than his wife's death B) because of his wife's death C) after the death of his wife D) with his wife dead
- 10. Augustus et Agrippa nātī esse eodem anno putantur. A) to have been born B) to be born C) born D) will be born
- 11. <u>Nē</u> Cerberus <u>quidem</u> Herculem vī superāre poterat. A) Not even B) Let not a certain C) Why not D) No one indeed
- 12. Cum adulescens causam dīceret, amīcī <u>ad eum dēfendendum</u> convēnērunt. A) he must be defended B) to defend him C) at his defense D) defending against him
- 13. Līberī ē somnō <u>vōcibus īrātissimōrum</u> excitātī sunt. A) by very angry voices B) of the very angry voices C) by the voices of very angry men D) with very much anger in their voices
- 14. <u>Tam malae memoriae sum</u> ut frequenter nōmina amīcōrum oblīvīscar. A) There are so many bad memories B) I am mindful of such bad things C) I have such a bad memory D) I am remembered for such bad things
- 15. <u>Verbīs scrīptīs</u>, Antōnius ōrātiōnem in Forō dē Caesare mortuō habuit. A) After words had been written B) For words to be written C) While writing words D) Since words will be written
- Nisi memoriam tuam exerceās, ea dīminuātur. A) would be diminished B) is never diminished C) must be diminished
- 17. <u>Nē quid novī fīat</u> contrā exempla atque īnstitūta maiōrum. A) Let not anything new be done B) Let something new happen C) What new thing will be done D) Who would do anything new
- 18. Augustus plūs amābātur quam Tiberius. A) how B) which C) as D) than
- 19. Caesar <u>praesidiō equitibus</u> legiōnem V praemīsit. A) because of the cavalry's guardB) by means of the guard and cavalry C) as a guard for the cavalry D) having guarded the cavalry
- 20. Identify the figure of speech in the sentence, "*Tū quidem, Cicerō, ut homō vīxistī, ut ōrātor dīxistī, ut philosophus scrīpsistī.*" A) tricolon B) chiasmus C) litotes D) interlocking word order
- 21. A Roman would be given a *bulla* to hang around his neck to ward off evil spirits when he A) received his name B) entered adulthood C) joined the army D) married
- 22. Who wrote sixteen books of letters to his dear friend Atticus, whom he loved as much as he loved his brother Quintus? A) Caesar B) Cicero C) Pompey D) Octavian
- 23. <u>Valdē mē paenitet</u>. A) I am especially angry. B) I am very sorry. C) I am almost strong enough. D) I cry a lot.
- 24. What mythological women spun, measured, and cut the thread of life? A) Furies B) Graces C) Muses D) Fates
- 25. The *paucity* of evidence affected the outcome of the trial. A) abundance B) lack C) weight D) mediocrity
- 26. The impersonal verbs *ningit*, *tonat*, *grandinat* and *fulgurat* all relate to A) hostile conversation B) fierce competitions C) bad weather D) sordid business

- 27. To which location on the map would a Roman travel to seek divine prophecy from the Pythia at the famous oracle of Apollo? A) 1 B) 2 C) 3 D) 4
- 28. Who am I? My triumphal arch in the Roman Forum commemorates my sack of Jerusalem in AD 70. I also supervised the opening of the Colosseum in AD 80.A) Augustus B) Nero C) Titus D) Hadrian
- 29. The Latin inscription "*Quī legis hunc titulum, mortālem tē esse mementō*" would most likely be found on a A) mile marker B) military standard C) tombstone D) gold coin



30. What advice should be given to a person speaking disrespectfully of a deceased relative? A) *cedant arma togae* B) *nil nisi bonum de mortuis* C) *cum grano salis* D) *de gustibus non disputandum est*

READ THE PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

THREE FINAL WARNINGS Omens of Caesar's Death

Scrībitur in chronicīs quod anno XXII ab urbe conditā populus Romānus 1 quod = thatcolumnam marmoream in Forō Rōmānō statuit. Post multōs annōs **marmoream** = marble 2 ante columnam populus imāginem Iūliī Caesaris fēcit et super caput eius 3 nōmen Iūliī scrīpsit, quod in honōre ipsīus factum est. Posteā ipse Iūlius 4 Caesar tria signa de morte accepit; centesimo enim die ante mortem suam 5 **centēsimo** = hundredth fulmen cecidit ante imāginem in Forō et in nōmine superscrīptō litteram 6 prīmam dēlēvit. Nocte vērō praecēdente diem mortis suae, fenestrae cubiculī 7 cum tanto sonitu et impetu divino apertae sunt ut domum collapsuram 8 putāret. Eādem vērō diē mortis suae cum ad Capitōlium īret, data est eī epistula 9 dē morte suā imminentī, quam sī statim lēgisset, mortem ēvāsisset. 10 adapted from Gesta Romanorum: De Morte (97)

- 31. According to lines 1-2 (*Scrībitur...statuit*), in what year did the Roman people erect a column in the Roman Forum? A) 775 BC B) 732 BC C) 44 BC D) 22 BC
- 32. According to lines 2-4 (*Post...factum est*), how did the Romans honor Caesar? A) They built a triumphal arch for him.B) They buried him in the Forum. C) They erected a statue of him. D) They praised him with loud cheers.
- 33. In line 4, *ipsīus* refers to A) the Romans B) the column C) the city D) Julius Caesar
- 34. What was the **first** omen, which happened on the hundredth day before Caesar's death (lines 5-7)?A) Caesar himself was almost struck by lightning. B) The first letter of Caesar's name was removed by a lightning bolt.C) Lightning struck three times to symbolize applause for Caesar. D) The marble column was completely destroyed by lightning.
- 35. In lines 7-9, what was the **second** omen? A) Caesar's house loudly collapsed. B) Shouting from the streets woke Caesar. C) Caesar's statue fell out of a window and was destroyed. D) The windows of Caesar's house burst open with noise.
- 36. In lines 8-9, *ut...putāret* indicates A) the purpose of Caesar's action B) the result that Caesar expected C) Caesar's command to his attendants D) the time of the incident
- 37. What word should be understood with *collāpsūram* (line 8)? A) sunt B) est C) esse D) erat
- 38. What is the best translation of $e\overline{i}$ (line 9)? A) they B) his C) to him D) by them
- 39. According to the **third** omen of the passage in lines 9-10 (*Eādem…ēvāsisset*), we learn that Caesar might have lived if he had A) avoided the senate house B) carried a dagger with his letters C) read the letter warning him of his assassination D) condemned many senators to death in a letter
- 40. Based on their descriptions, which omens would a Roman most likely have thought to be from the gods? A) first and second B) second and third C) first and third D) only the third

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