2015 ACL/NJCL NATIONAL LATIN EXAM LATIN III-IV PROSE III EXAM E CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER FROM A, B, C, OR D. MARK ANSWERS ON ANSWER SHEET.

- 1. <u>Pompeiō victō</u>, Caesar ad Aegyptum profectus est. A) by defeating Pompey B) after Pompey had been defeated C) conquered by Pompey D) with Pompey as victor
- 2. Pater ab Hannibale petit <u>nē</u> in amīcitiā cum Rōmānīs <u>sit</u>. A) that he is B) that he not be C) that he would be D) that he had not been
- 3. <u>Hōc turpius nōbīs fuit nihil</u>. A) This was rather shameful to us. B) He was never more shameful to us than this. C) We had never seen anything more shameful. D) Nothing was more shameful to us than this.
- 4. Quattuor hōrās canis nōs secūtus erat. A) followed B) will follow C) had followed D) will have followed
- 5. Orpheus uxōrem tantum amābat ut sine eā <u>vīvere nōllet</u>. A) wanted to live B) was unwilling to live C) does not wish to live D) preferred to live
- 6. Poētae scrīpsērunt Herculem in Graeciā habitāvisse. A) lives B) used to live C) had lived D) would live
- 7. <u>Utinam istī lēgī paruissem!</u> A) I could obey that law! B) Would that I had obeyed that law! C) I hesitated to obey that law! D) I should never have obeyed that law!
- 8. Scimus <u>quid nōbīs faciendum sit</u>. A) what we could do B) what has been done to us C) what must be done by us D) what had been done with us
- 9. Ulixēs fortior cēterīs nautīs erat. A) than the rest of the sailors B) by the rest of the sailors C) with the rest of the sailors D) to the rest of the sailors
- 10. <u>Vigīlēs praesidiō oppidō missī sunt</u>. A) The watchmen were sent as a guard for the town. B) The town was guarded by the watchmen. C) The watchmen sent a guard for the town. D) The watchmen are sent from the town with a guard.
- 11. <u>Adulescentēs sē suaque dedidērunt</u>. A) They surrendered their possessions and young men. B) The young man surrendered himself and his home. C) The young men surrendered themselves and their possessions. D) He himself surrendered his young men.
- 12. Plīnius dīxit <u>sē domī mānsūrum esse</u>. A) that he had to stay at home B) that he wanted to stay at home C) that he would stay at home D) that they had stayed at home
- 13. <u>Num sunt Ūraniae septem sorōrēs</u>? A) Urania doesn't have seven sisters, does she? B) Urania has seven sisters, doesn't she? C) Does Urania have seven sisters? D) Who are the seven sisters of Urania?
- 14. Prīnceps lēgātum mittit <u>quī rēgīnam videat</u>. A) which queen is seen B) who has seen the queen C) whom the queen has seen D) to see the queen
- 15. Cincinnātus in agrīs quam _____ laborābat. A) dīligentissimē B) dīligentēs C) dīligentius D) dīligentia
- 16. Romam ventum est. A) Rome has arrived. B) They came to Rome. C) It is near Rome. D) They left Rome.
- 17. Nos autem satis facere reī pūblicae vidēmur sī <u>istīus</u> furōrem ac tēla vītāmus. A) of the same man B) of the man himself C) of someone D) of that one
- 18. Quā laetitiā hīc fruēris? A) What happiness will you enjoy here? B) Have you been happy here? C) Where have you found happiness? D) Are you enjoying this very happiness?
- 19. Sī quid novī erit, faciam tē certiōrem. A) I will help you. B) I will assure you. C) I will inform you. D) I will follow you.
- 20. Chiron, tutor of both Jason and Achilles, one of the _____, was wise, gentle, and skilled in the arts of medicine and music.

 A) Cyclopes B) Furies C) Centaurs D) Harpies
- 21. The Golden Age of Latin Literature included the authors Caesar and Cicero. The Silver Age included A) Martial and Pliny B) Plautus and Terence C) Vergil and Catullus D) Ovid and Horace
- 22. Reflecting the identity of those who colonized it, the southern part of Italy was known as A) Magna Graecia B) Etrūria C) Latium D) Gallia Cisalpīna
- 23. Pompey was defeated at the Battle of Pharsalus. Where is it on the map? A) 1 B) 2 C) 3 D) 4
- 24. *Prōnuba*, *cōnfarreātiō*, *flammeum*, and *tunica rēcta* are terms associated with Roman A) funerals B) weddings C) baths D) games
- 25. Which of the following words literally means "to unfold"?

 A) exonerate B) excoriate C) explicate D) exhilarate
- 26. During the summer, we had become accustomed to taking postprandial naps. The naps were taken after A) lunch B) work C) swimming D) reading



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- 27. When Cicero defended the poet Archias, his brother Quintus was the presiding judge or A) tribune B) praetor C) aedile D) consul
- 28. The Flavian Emperors who built the first permanent amphitheater in Rome, sacked Jerusalem and dealt with the eruption of Vesuvius were A) Augustus, Tiberius, Caligula B) Claudius, Nero, Galba C) Vespasian, Titus, Domitian D) Trajan, Hadrian, Marcus Aurelius
- 29. What Latin abbreviation found in reference books means see which? A) Q.E.D. B) i.e. C) vs. D) q.v.
- 30. Ovid's stories of Philemon, Baucis, and Daphne involve metamorphoses into A) birds B) trees C) streams D) rocks

READ THE PASSAGE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

FOR THE LOVE OF THE LIBERAL ARTS

Cicero defends the pursuit of literary studies.

Quod sī nōn hīs [virīs] tantus frūctus <u>ostenderētur</u>, et sī ex hīs studiīs <u>dēlectātiō</u> sōla peterētur, tamen, ut opīnor, hanc animī <u>adversiōnem</u> hūmānissimam ac līberālissimam iūdicārētis. Nam cēterae [animī adversiōnēs] neque temporum sunt neque aetātum omnium neque locōrum: haec studia adulēscentiam alunt, senectūtem <u>oblectant</u>, <u>secundās</u> rēs ōrnant, adversīs perfugium ac sōlācium <u>praebent</u>, dēlectant domī, nōn impediunt <u>forīs</u>, pernoctant nōbīscum, <u>peregrīnantur</u>, rūsticantur.

Quod sī ipsī haec neque attingere neque sēnsū nostrō <u>gustāre</u> possēmus, tamen ea mīrārī dēbērēmus, etiam cum in aliīs vidērēmus. Quis nostrum tam animō <u>agrestī</u> ac dūrō fuit, ut <u>Roscī</u> morte nūper nōn commovērētur? Quī cum senex mortuus esset, tamen propter excellentem artem ac <u>venustātem</u> vidēbātur <u>omnīnō</u> morī nōn dēbuisse.

Cicero, Pro Archia xvi-xvii

- Quod sī = But if; ostenderētur = were evident
 dēlectātiō = delight
 adversiōnem = distraction
 oblectant = delight; secundās = favorable
 praebent = offer; forīs = abroad
 peregrīnantur = travel abroad
 gustāre = to taste
 agrestī = unsophisticated; Roscī = of Roscius
 (a Roman actor)
 venustātem = charm; omnīnō = altogether
- 31. In line 1, *tantus frūctus* is best translated A) so great an advantage B) the only advantage C) so many advantages D) the same advantage
- 32. In lines 2-3, *peterētur...iūdicārētis* is best translated A) is sought...you may judge B) were sought...you would judge C) had been sought...you would have judged D) will be sought...you will judge

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- 33. According to lines 1-3, which word or words reveal that this is what Cicero believes? A) *hīs studiīs* (lines 1-2) B) *ut opīnor* (line 2) C) *animī* (line 2) D) *iūdicārētis* (line 3)
- 34. According to lines 3-5 (*Nam cēterae...locōrum*), mental relaxations apart from the liberal arts A) must be done at a certain time of day B) cannot be done apart from the proper setting C) are fitting for all stages of life D) are not for all times or places
- 35. According to lines 5-8, what do *haec studia* NOT do? A) heal our diseases B) nurture our youth C) please us at home D) spend the night with us
- 36. What rhetorical device has Cicero employed in lines 5-8 (*haec studia ... rūsticantur*)? A) simile B) polysyndeton C) personification D) apostrophe
- 37. The verb attingere (line 9) is formed from A) $ab + teg\bar{o}$ B) $ab + teg\bar{o}$ C) $ad + tace\bar{o}$ D) $ad + tang\bar{o}$
- 38. According to lines 9-10, Cicero indicates that we should A) employ all five senses B) despise the offenses of others C) admire artistic pursuits of others D) isolate ourselves from distractions
- 39. In lines 11-12, Cicero believes that A) one should be moved by the death of a great artist B) living in the country allows a life of leisure C) Roscius was punished justly by death D) one should be punished for harsh actions
- 40. According to the end of the passage, why does it seem that Roscius "should not have entirely died?"

 A) he died a tragic death B) he was only a poor man from the country C) he possessed incredible skill and charm D) he might return from the dead

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