2013 ACL/NJCL NATIONAL LATIN EXAM LATIN III-IV PROSE CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER FROM A, B, C, OR D. MARK ANSWER ON ANSWER SHEET.

- 1. Mīlitēs fortissimī in illō proeliō cecidērunt. A) rather brave B) more bravely C) bravely D) bravest
- Praetor togam magnī pretī gessit. A) the great price of a toga B) a toga of great price C) a large expensive toga
 D) the price of a large toga
- 3. Achillēs <u>odiō Hectōris</u> pugnāre compulsus est. A) because of a hatred of Hector B) to hate Hector C) hated by Hector D) hateful Hector
- 4. Custōdēs lēgātum litterās ad Catilīnam <u>portantem</u> cēpērunt. A) about to carry B) carrying C) having been carried D) must be carried
- 5. Fortūna Rōmānōrum templō deīs aedificandō aucta est. A) by building the temple to the gods
 B) with the gods building the temple C) to build a temple to the gods D) a temple of the gods had to be built
- 6. Multae lēgēs <u>senātuī</u> constituendae erant. A) of the senate B) by the senate C) in the senate D) from the senate
- Cum Caesar pervēnit, Pompeius iam <u>Brundisiō</u> discesserat. A) of Brundisium B) to Brundisium C) from Brundisium
- 8. Imperātōrēs exercitūs suōs hortātī sunt. A) must be encouraged B) are encouraging C) encouraged D) had encouraged
- 9. Patria Cicerōnī <u>vītā</u> cārior erat. A) than life B) of life C) for life D) from life
- 10. Cincinnātus <u>rūrī</u> manēre volēbat. A) to the country B) in the country C) from the country D) the country's
- 11. Cīvēs audīvērunt Brūtum Caesarem necāvisse. A) would kill B) was killing C) is killing D) had killed
- 12. Legiōnēs Scīpiōnis <u>multō ācrius</u> quam hostēs pugnāvērunt. A) many more fierce B) more fierce than many C) as fiercely as possible D) much more fiercely
- 13. Viātōrēs Rōmam īre volunt <u>ut</u> septem collēs <u>videant</u>. A) how they see B) as they saw C) so that they may seeD) where they may see
- 14. Triumvirī sē orbem terrārum rēctūrōs esse spērābant. A) they B) he C) that very D) those
- Graecī antīquī <u>honōris causā</u> morī volēbant. A) honoring the cause B) thankful for the cause C) for the sake of honor
 D) causing honor
- 16. Nihil erat tam dēsīderābile Crassō quam aurum. A) as long...as B) not only...but also C) both...and D) so...as
- Duo filii senātori sunt. A) They are the sons of two senators. B) The two sons are senators. C) The senator has two sons.
 D) The two senators have sons.
- 18. Multa dē cīvibus Rōmānīs doceāmus. A) We are teaching B) Let us teach C) We will teach D) We were teaching
- Consul dīxit, "Dare auxilium <u>istī hominī</u> recūso!" A) to that man B) to every man C) to a certain man D) to the same man
- 20. How do bats show that they are <u>lucifugous</u> creatures? A) They live in colonies. B) They avoid daylight C) They have wings. D) They eat insects.
- 21. The term *novus homo* was used to designate A) the first one in a family to be elected to high public office B) a newly elected consul C) a military commander given his first command D) the dictator on his first day in power
- 22. Tiberius and Gaius Gracchus were brothers who were killed because of their attempts to A) change religious practices B) re-organize the army C) institute social and land reform D) restore the monarchy
- 23. Where would the expression "Moritūrī tē salūtāmus" most likely be heard? A) at a gladiatorial contest B) in the Roman baths C) in Roman military camps D) at a meeting of the Roman Senate
- 24. The student looked forward to his summer job as <u>factotum</u> at the public library. A factotum is one who A) is not paid B) works part time C) is the last to leave in the evening D) does everything

- 25. *Latium, Etrūria*, and *Campānia* were A) famous Vestal Virgins B) hills in Rome C) wives of Roman kings D) regions of Italy
- 26. Who were the wild and capricious male mythological creatures who inhabited woods and hills? A) Furies B) Satyrs C) Fates D) Muses
- 27. Although he was Julius Caesar's former son-in-law, this military commander became Caesar's opponent in Rome's Civil War. A) Crassus B) Antony C) Pompey D) Cicero
- 28. *Optimātēs* and *Populārēs* were A) taxes on the rich and poor B) military ranks C) offices of the *Cursus Honōrum* D) political factions
- 29. Which former consul, known for his oratory, was named *Pater Patriae* but was later exiled? A) Cicero B) Caesar C) Brutus D) Octavian
- 30. What rhetorical device is used in *Castrōrum imperātōrem ducemque hostium in senātū vidēmus*? A) transferred epithet B) litotes C) simile D) chiastic word order

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The Samnites send a delegation to the Roman general Fabricius.

Lēgātī ā Samnītibus ad C. Fābricium, imperātōrem populī Rōmānī, vēnērunt.	1	
Memorātīs multīs et magnīs rēbus, quae post redditam pācem Samnītibus bene	2	
fēcerat, obtulērunt dono grandem pecūniam orāvēruntque ut acciperet. Samnītēs	3	
hoc fēcērunt quod vīdērunt multa ad splendorem eius domūs atque victūs dēfierī.	4	victūs = of his way of life; dēfierī =
Fābricium esse dignum meliōribus putāvērunt. Tum Fābricius manūs ab auribus	5	were lacking
ad oculos et ad nasum et ad os et ad gulam atque inde ad ventrem imum deduxit	6	gulam = throat; ventrem = stomach
et lēgātīs ita respondit: " <u>Donec</u> haec omnia membra quae <u>attigī</u> regere possum,	7	Donec = As long as; attigī =
numquam quicquam mihi dēerit. Ergō nōn possum accipere pecūniam quae	8	I have touched
nūllō modō ūsuī mihi est ab vōbīs quibus magnō ūsuī certē est.	9	
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- 31. According to lines 1-3 (*Lēgātī...fēcerat*), the Samnites sent envoys to Fabricius because they A) were ready to surrender B) feared that he would destroy them C) were pleased with his treatment of them D) wanted him to be their king
- 32. How is *Memorātīs multīs et magnīs rēbus* (line 2) best translated? A) after the great deeds of many had been mentioned B) you mention many great deeds C) when many great deeds had been mentioned D) great deeds too many to be mentioned
- 33. What did the Samnites offer Fabricius in line 3? A) their lasting devotion B) a great sum of money C) their military service D) a large number of slaves
- 34. In line 3, $d\bar{o}n\bar{o}$ is best translated A) as a gift B) to a gift C) of a gift D) in spite of a gift
- 35. How should *ut acciperet* (line 3) be translated? A) how to accept it B) that he accept it C) however he might accept it D) as he was accepting it
- 36. The Samnites made this offer (*Samnītēs…dēfierī* in lines 3-4) because they could see that Fabricius A) was a cruel commander B) was power-hungry C) did not have luxuries D) would be a just ruler
- 37. In lines 5-6 (*Tum...dēdūxit*), Fabricius A) points out various parts of his body B) shows his physical strength C) displays the wounds he has received D) complains about his weaknesses
- 38. In line 8, *numquam quicquam mihi dēerit* means A) I will never be away from anyone B) never will anything bother me C) he will never miss me D) never will I lack anything
- 39. In lines 7-8 (*Donec...deerit*), Fabricius is making a point about A) the pursuit of glory B) simplicity of needs C) control of others D) pain and suffering
- 40. Fabricius says in lines 8-9 (*Ergō...est*) that he will not accept the gift because
 A) he thinks that the Samnites can use it more than he can B) he will not accept a gift from an enemy
 C) the gift was not given with sincerity D) he does not want to be indebted to anyone