

2010 GJCL Roman Daily Life and Customs Exam

FILL IN the first four blocks of the SCANTRON SHEET with YOUR OWN four digit code and the next four blocks with the code for THIS EXAM: 1004. FILL IN COMPLETELY the space on the answer sheet corresponding to the correct answer for each question (do not write on the exam itself).

1. *Carceres* and *spina* were structures in a:
a. theater b. bath c. circus d. amphitheater
2. He built the first public library in Rome:
a. Augustus b. Asinius Pollio c. Trajan d. Pliny the Younger
3. Rome's first sewer was the:
a. *Clepsydra* b. *Cloaca Maxima* c. *Compluvium* d. *Crepundia*
4. *Ludi circenses* were public games featuring:
a. plays b. gladiators c. chariot races d. athletics
5. This emperor did **not** build *thermae* (public baths) in Rome:
a. Augustus b. Nero c. Titus d. Trajan
6. *Liberti* were:
a. librarians b. freed slaves c. freeborn citizens d. slaves
7. This building was built between the Palatine and the Aventine:
a. Theater of Pompey b. Circus Maximus c. Colosseum d. Theater of Marcellus
8. A Roman dining room was called:
a. *culina* b. *solarium* c. *triclinium* d. *ostium*
9. The members of the "Capitoline Triad" were:
a. Venus and Mars b. Jupiter, Neptune, Pluto c. Apollo, Diana, Latona d. Jupiter, Juno, Minerva
10. *Manes* were:
a. spirits of the dead b. husband's authority over wife c. tables d. turning posts in the circus
11. The name *Lucipor* designates the:
a. slave of Lucius b. son of Lucius c. father of Lucius d. freedman of Lucius
12. The goddess of the hearth was named:
a. Venus b. Verna c. Vesperna d. Vesta
13. The Kalends is this day of the month:
a. the last b. the mid-point c. the first d. day of the full moon
14. When the *plebs* secede from the state which of the seven hills do they occupy?
a. Esquiline b. Palatine c. Viminal d. Aventine
15. Clothing worn by those running for political office:
a. *toga praetexta* b. *toga candida* c. *palla* d. *toga libera*
16. Which law made plebiscites binding on the whole community?
a. *lex Caelia* b. *lex Sulpicia* c. *lex Hortensia* d. *lex Aelia*
17. Using the name Gaius Scipio Aemilianus Caecus, identify which word is the praenomen?
a. Scipio b. Caecus c. Aemilianus d. Gaius
18. What was **not** a qualification in order to receive a triumph during the Republican period:
a. Fight a foreign enemy b. Approval of Senate c. Bring army home d. Gain territory
19. Which power does a tribune of the plebs **not** possess?
a. veto b. person is sacrosanct c. military authority d. power to introduce legislation
20. What Roman Assembly, created by Servius Tullius, was organized by property qualifications?
a. *concilium plebis* b. *comitia centuriata* c. *equites* d. *comitia tributa*
21. This religious *collegium* consulted and protected the Sibylline Books:
a. *Augures* b. *Pontifices* c. *Quindecemviri* d. *Epulones*
22. What was the qualification for a Roman emperor to extend the *pomerium*?
a. Defeat a foreign enemy b. Approval of Senate c. Favorable *auspices* d. Gain territory
23. The Roman politician/general Gaius Marius introduced reforms to:
a. political campaigns b. extortion courts c. military d. religion
24. Both Cicero and Seneca were disciples of this philosophical school which stressed the development of self-control and fortitude to overcome destructive emotions:
a. Epicureanism b. Stoicism c. Platonism d. Cynicism

25. What name is given to the wax masks of a Roman family's ancestors that had held curule offices?
 a. *os* b. *vultus* c. *coma* d. *imagines*
26. The *flamen Martialis* was the priest to:
 a. Mars b. Jupiter c. Quirinus d. Diana
27. Catullus, Propertius, and Tibullus all wrote this type of poetry:
 a. elegiac b. didactic c. epic d. bucolic
28. This Roman condiment was created from fermented fish entrails:
 a. *salsa* b. *guacamola Romana* c. *garum* d. *farciimen*
29. *Mulsum* was a mixture of wine and:
 a. water b. honey c. beer d. olive oil
30. Which structure was **not** built by Augustus?
 a. Temple of Mars Ultor b. Theater of Marcellus c. Temple of Apollo Palatinus d. Temple of Diana
31. What was the title of the magistrate who was responsible for Rome's grain supply?
 a. *praefectus militaris* b. *praetor* c. *quaestor* d. *praefectus annonae*
32. What type of gladiator fought with an oblong shield, a stabbing sword, and high-crested helmet?
 a. *andabata* b. *murmillio* c. *retiarius* d. Thracian
33. A *haruspex* determined the will of the gods by:
 a. watching the flight of birds b. watching the sacred chickens eat
 c. examining the entrails of animals d. talking to trees
34. This Roman wine was famous for its exceptional flavor and price:
 a. Falernian b. Maeonian c. Andre d. Caelian
35. The toga was usually made of:
 a. wool b. linen c. cotton d. silk
36. Coastal town that was the principal port of Rome during the Republic.
 a. Puteoli b. Cosa c. Ostia d. Syracuse
37. What structure was the treasury for the Latin League?
 a. Temple of Jupiter Capitolinus b. Temple of Apollo Palatinus c. Temple of Diana Aventina
 d. *Cloaca Maxima*
38. Household gods that watched over the food store:
 a. Penates b. Lares c. Manes d. Ceres
39. Official responsible for the maintenance of public buildings and the regulation of public festivals.
 a. censor b. praetor c. aedile d. consul
40. What Roman king is considered to have established the auspices?
 a. Romulus b. Ancus Marcius c. Tarquin the Proud d. Servius Tullius
41. What was **not** a room in a Roman bath?
 a. *batharium* b. *tepidarium* c. *caldarium* d. *sudarium*
42. What was the preferred column used by Romans?
 a. Corinthian b. Doric c. Ionian d. Pillar
43. What was the standard punishment for traitors in the Roman Republic?
 a. crucifixion b. drawn and quartered c. thrown off the Tarpeian Rock d. strangled in the Carcer
44. Who built the roads during the Roman Republic?
 a. slaves b. *liberti* c. private contractors d. soldiers
45. _____ is the procedure of land division and street planning done before building a colony:
 a. Urbanization b. Centuriation c. Colonization d. Industrialization
46. The original *pomerium* of Rome was located on this hill:
 a. Aventine b. Capitoline c. Janiculum d. Palatine
47. Which of these was **not** a Roman province?
 a. *Hispania Citerior* b. *Gallia Transalpina* c. *Gallia Cisalpina* d. *Ultima Thule*
48. Which emperor did **not** build a forum?
 a. Septimius Severus b. Augustus c. Nerva d. Trajan
49. The *Ludi Megalenses* honored: a. Juno b. Jupiter c. Mercury d. Cybele
50. Gladiatorial games that included animal hunts were called:
 a. *venationes* b. *vestini* c. *vinalia* d. *vivaria*

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7. b	8. c	9. d	10. a	11. a	12. d
13. c	14. d	15. b	16. c	17. d	18. d
19. c	20. b	21. c	22. c	23. c	24. b
25. d	26. a	27. a	28. c	29. b	30. d
31. d	32. b	33. c	34. a	35. a	36. c
37. c	38. a	39. c	40. a	41. a	42. a
43. c	44. d	45. b	46. d	47. d	48. a
49. d	50. a				