

2013 GJCL Roman Daily Life Exam (1004)

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1. According to Martial, the average family had how many mouths to feed?
a. 3 b. 7 c. 5 d. 4
2. What is a *sistrum*?
a. type of musical instrument b. type of law c. type of food d. type of festival
3. Who was the mythological personification of the year's food supplies?
a. Amia b. Annona c. Cornucopia d. Acrissima
4. Which of the following refers to a fish sauce used as a condiment?
a. humus b. merum c. garum d. mulsum
5. Who of the following is NOT a source for population numbers in ancient Rome?
a. Saint Jerome b. Servius Tullius c. Cicero d. Caesar
6. Which three animals does a *suovetaurilia* sacrifice include?
a. bull, pig, turtle b. bull, pig, ram c. horse, pig, ram d. ox, piglet, horse
7. Who first built the Pantheon?
a. Augustus b. Agrippa c. Scipio Africanus d. Cicero
8. What was the ancient term for "the barber"?
a. *tonsor* b. *eques* c. *comabina* d. *corporalia*
9. The Kalends land on what day of the month?
a. the first b. twentieth c. fifth and seventh d. the last
10. Which cults were banished by Tiberius but publicly welcomed back by Caligula?
a. Greek b. Egyptian c. Persian d. Christian
11. An *insula* is comparable to a modern day:
a. mansion b. villa c. apartment d. ship
12. Saturnalia fell during which month?
a. January b. June c. March d. December
13. Who was a slave-turned-millionaire?
a. Horace b. Petronius c. Caligula d. Trimalchio
14. Which of the following is NOT a part of a Roman villa?
a. triclinium b. cubiculum c. atrium d. ignis
15. Who provided a first-hand account of the eruption of Vesuvius in his letters?
a. Trajan b. Tacitus c. Pliny the Younger d. Pliny the Elder
16. Early Christian meetings were referred to by which term?
a. agape b. villae c. paradus d. populae
17. Which of the following is NOT a street/walkway term?
a. itinera b. vallia c. actus d. viae
18. What is the term for instruction at the elementary school?
a. ludus litterarius b. stylus litterarius c. stylus secundus d. ludus secundus
19. When was the Campus Martius built?
a. 10 CE b. 10 BCE c. 20 CE d. 50 CE
20. Who killed the Calydonian Boar?
a. Diana b. Marcus c. Ammianus d. Meleager
21. What tree is sacred to Apollo?
a. Oak b. Laurel c. Pine d. Fir
22. Who was responsible for guiding souls to the Underworld?
a. Hermes Psychopompus b. Zeus Chthonios c. Hecate d. Hades
23. When did Julian reform the Roman Calendar?
a. 46 BCE b. 100 BCE c. 20 CE d. 42 CE
24. Romulus and Remus were nursed by what animal?
a. Cow b. Lion c. She-wolf d. Bear

25. During which month did the Ludi Romani take place?
a. August b. September c. October d. November
26. Days on which civil and judicial matters cannot be conducted are known as:
a. Dies Nefasti b. Dies Fasti c. Dies Feriae d. Dies Sacra
27. How were Seneca and Lucan related?
a. Father and son b. Uncle and nephew
c. Grandfather and grandson d. Great-uncle and Great-nephew
28. Which hero was not in the crew Argonauts?
a. Hercules b. Achilles c. Castor d. Jason
29. From where did Rome import its papyrus?
a. valley of the Nile b. Arabian Desert c. India d. Numidia
30. Who wrote the *Aeneid*?
a. Homer b. Unknown c. Vergil d. Livy
31. The Flavian Amphitheater is also known as the:
a. Circus Maximus b. Forum c. Colosseum d. Domus Aurea
32. Who was the son of Aeneas?
a. Asclepius b. Ascanius c. Anchises d. He did not have a son
33. How many years did a woman serve as a Vestal Virgin?
a. 5 b. 10 c. her entire life d. 30
34. The eruption of Vesuvius covered which town in south Italy?
a. Pompeii b. Pompey c. Etna d. Syracuse
35. Eurydice, wife of Orpheus, was said to be killed by which method?
a. snake bite b. lion bite c. drowning d. arrow wound
36. Arachne was turned into a spider after offending which Goddess?
a. Diana b. Minerva c. Rhea Silvia d. Venus
37. How many seats does the Circus Maximus hold?
a. 25,000 b. 200,000 c. 255,000 d. 100
38. Who was responsible for the destruction of the Temple of Jerusalem in 70 CE?
a. Domitian b. Vitellius c. Nero d. Titus
39. Who of the following wrote comedic plays in Latin?
a. Vergil b. Plautus c. Pliny the Younger d. Servius Martius
40. Which of the following does NOT refer to a type of Roman coin?
a. as b. sestertius c. denarius d. febalius
41. What political institution became the standard way of dating reigns of emperors?
a. tribunicia potestas b. consulships
c. maius imperium proconsulare d. triumphs
42. Which was NOT a type of normal footwear for Roman men?
a. leather slippers b. boots c. leather sandals d. leather clogs
43. With respect to social classes, the *ingenui* refer to:
a. free-born men b. slaves who became free c. men born as slaves d. slaves
44. Which deity had Actaeon's hunting dogs torn apart as punishment?
a. Diana b. Apollo c. Juppiter d. Juno
45. In Ovid's *Metamorphoses*, all but one of the following stories can be found. Which one is not?
a. Daphne and Apollo b. Daedalus and Icarus
c. Bacchus and Semele d. Orpheus and Eurydice
46. The Roman Empire beginning is dated at what year BCE?
a. 712 b. 753 c. 820 d. 770
47. Which of the following is a correct association?
a. Hestia, Artemis b. Persephone, Juno c. Ares, Mars d. Artemis, Minerva
48. Who was NOT related to Numitor?
a. Pompeius b. Aeneas c. Rhea Silvia d. Amulius
49. Which of the following was NOT written by Vergil?
a. *Aeneid* b. *Eclogues* c. *Georgics* d. *Fasti*
50. Vestal Virgins kept what object eternal?
a. Tree of Athena b. Flame of Rome c. Roman Emperor d. Sicilian Waterfall

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