# 2017 WJCL STATE CONVENTION NOVICE DIVISION Round III

1. What cruel son of Vespasian called himself "dominus et deus" but later suffered from damnatio memoriae?

DOMITIAN

B1: What dynasty did Vespasian, Titus, and Domitian comprise?

**FLAVIAN** 

B2: What famous Roman landmark was begun during the reign of Vespasian and

completed during the reign of Titus? THE COLOSSEUM

2. What maiden prayed to her father Peneus to save her from Apollo and was transformed into a laurel tree?

DAPHNE

B1: What love of Apollo was killed when the west wind became jealous and blew a discus off course to kill the boy?

HYACINTHUS

B2: What is the Greek name for the west wind?

ZEPHYRUS

3. What use of the dative case is found in the following sentence: parvus taurus Mariae erat?

POSSESSION

B1: Now translate that sentence.

MARY HAD A LITTLE BULL

B2: Now translate "Mary had a little bull" into Latin using the accusative case.

#### PARVUM TAURUM MARIA HABĒBAT/HABUIT

4. Give the Latin noun and its English meaning from which we derive divine.

DEUS, GOD

B1: Give the Latin noun and its English meaning from which we derive isolate.

**INSULA, ISLAND** 

B2: Give the Latin noun and its English meaning from which we derive casino.

CASA, HOUSE

5. Which sinner in the Underworld was condemned to rotate ceaselessly on a wheel of fire?

**IXION** 

B1: Which sinner in the Underworld suffered eternal hunger and thirst?

**TANTALUS** 

B2: Which sinner in the Underworld had a bird eat his liver daily?

**TITYUS** 

### [SCORE CHECK]

6. What pair of brothers, called "gems" by their mother, led a series of unsuccessful land reforms in the second century B.C.?

THE GRACCHI/TIBERIUS + GAIUS GRACCHUS

B1: Who was that mother, the daughter of Scipio Africanus? **CORNELIA** 

B2: What office did both hold, allowing them to propose their land reforms?

**TRIBUNE** 

7. Now listen carefully to the following passage, also about the Gracchi, which I will read twice, and answer in **LATIN** the question that follows:

Filiī Cornēliae erant Tiberius Gracchus et Gāius Gracchus. Iī puerī cum Cornēliā in urbe Rōmā, clārō Italiae oppidō, habitābant. Ibi eōs cūrabat Cornēlia et ibi magnā cum laetitiā eōs docēbat. Bona fēmina erat Cornēlia et bonam disciplīnam maximē amābat.

The Question: Quid Cornēlia amābat? DISCIPLĪNAM

(must be accusative)

B1: Ubi puerī cum Cornēliā habitābant? IN URBE RŌMĀ/ROMAE

(do not accept in Rōmā)

B2: Quōmodo eōs Cornēlia docēbat?

MAGNĀ CUM LAETITIĀ

8. We've had Cinema Romana, but now it's time to make a foray into a different genre: music! What Adele song would have been known to the Romans as "Salve"?

HELLO

B1: What Rihanna and Calvin Harris release would have been known as "Amorem Inveniebamus"?

WE FOUND LOVE

B2: What Pharrell Williams single could be translated as "Laetus"?

**HAPPY** 

9. What type of gladiator typically participated in "venationes," fighting wild beasts?

### **BESTIARIUS/BESTIARII**

B1: What type of gladiator usually fought against Myrmillones or Secutores and was armed with a net and trident?

RETIARIUS/RETIARII

B2: What type of gladiator was usually heavily armed, but couldn't see due to visored helmets?

ANDABATA/ANDABATAE

10. What mythological king, whose name means "ransomed one," fathered fifty sons by his wife Hecuba and led the defense of Troy against the Greeks?

PRIAM

B1: What son of Priam set off the Trojan War with his kidnap of Helen? PARIS

B2: Whose body does Priam ransom from Achilles in Book 24 of the Iliad?

**HECTOR** 

## [SCORE CHECK]

11. Translate the following sentence into Latin: Julia, don't run in the street!

IULIA, NOLĪ CURRERE IN VIĀ

B1: Now translate this sentence into Latin: You can run in the field!

### (TU) POTES IN AGRŌ CURRERE

B2: Now translate this sentence into Latin: I don't want to listen to you.

NON CUPIŌ (or NOLŌ) TĒ AUDĪRE

12. Differentiate in meaning between the nouns **lūdus** and **lupus**?

GAME/SCHOOL and (HE-)WOLF

B1: Differentiate in meaning between the nouns **leō** and **lēx**?

LION and LAW

B2: Differentiate in meaning between the nouns pāx and pēs?

PEACE and FOOT

- 13. What early Roman was known as "Lefty" because he thrust his right arm into the fire to prove his bravery?

  MUCIUS SCAEVOLA
  - B1: What king of Clusium did Mucius impress, earning his release?

LARS PORSENNA

- B2: What early Roman was known as "one-eyed" and fought the Etruscans off nearly singlehandedly at the Sublician bridge?

  HORATIUS COCLES
- 14. Supply the correct form of the relative pronoun needed to translate the following sentence: The girls, whose books were missing, were very worried.

**QUĀRUM** 

- B1: Supply the correct form of the relative pronoun needed to translate the following sentence: The lion, whom I gave meat, fell asleep.
- B2: Supply the correct form of the relative pronoun needed to translate the following sentence: He did not know the man who had stolen his sword.

  QUI
- 15. Who had to yoke fire-breathing bulls, sow a field with dragon's teeth, and kill the armed men that grew in order to secure the Golden Fleece?

  JASON
  - B1: What daughter of Aeetes helped Jason by giving him a potion to make him invulnerable to the bulls?

    MEDEA

B2: What creature guarded the Golden Fleece? SERPENT/SNAKE/DRAGON

## [SCORE CHECK]

16. When recognized by the spotter, please perform the following command: **Fac sōnum porcī.** 

#### STUDENT SHOULD MAKE THE SOUND OF A PIG/OINK

B1: When recognized by the spotter, please perform the following command: **Facite sōnum canis.** 

### STUDENTS SHOULD MAKE THE SOUND OF A DOG/BARK

B2: When recognized by the spotter, please perform the following command: **Facite sōnum leōnis.** 

### STUDENTS SHOULD MAKE THE SOUND OF A LION/ROAR

# [SCORE CHECK]