

2002 TEXAS STATE CERTAMEN -- ROUND ONE, NOVICE LEVEL

- TU: #1 Translate into Latin the prepositional phrase in the following sentence: ‘They walked into the field.’  
**IN AGRUM, IN CAMPUM**
- B1: Give in Latin the prepositional phrase in the sentence ‘ They are walking in the field.’  
**IN AGRŌ, IN CAMPŌ**
- B2: Give in Latin the word ‘horses’ in the sentence ‘He owned 2000 horses.’ **EQUŌRUM**
- TU: #2 What Olympian deity was often depicted as crippled and bald?  
**HEPHAESTUS / VULCAN(US) / MULCIBER**
- B1: Ironically, what beautiful Olympian deity was the wife of Hephaestus? **APHRODITE**
- B2: Who was the mother and, perhaps, the only parent of Hephaestus? **HERA**
- TU: #3 Give an antonym for **pāx**. **BELLUM, DISCORDIA, PUGNA**
- B1: Give an antonym for **celer**. **TARDUS, LENTUS**
- B2: Give an antonym for **parvus**. **MAGNUS, INGENS, IMMĀNIS, GRANDIS**
- TU: #4 What animal would one most likely see at a Roman *circus*? **HORSE**
- B1: What was the Latin name of the wall dividing the racetrack? **SPINA**
- B2: What was the Latin term for the starting gates? **CARCERES**
- TU: #5 Who was the god of wine? **DIONYSUS / BACCHUS / LIBER**
- B1: Who was the god of thieves? **HERMES / MERCURY**
- B2: Who was the god of medicine and music? **APOLLO**
- TU: #6 Translate the verb into Latin for the sentence ‘They were staying at night with my friends.’  
**MANĒBANT**
- B1: Translate ‘at night ‘ in that same sentence. **NOCTE / NOCTŪ**
- B2: Translate ‘with my friends’ in that same sentence. **CUM MEĪS AMĪCĪS / SOCIĪS**
- TU: #7 At what battle did the supporters of Caesar finally defeat his murderers in 42 B.C.? **PHILLIPPI**
- B1: What two men led these supporters of Caesar? **ANTONY AND OCTAVIAN**
- B2: What two men led the opposing forces?  
**(LUCIUS JUNIUS) BRUTUS AND (C). CASSIUS (LONGINUS)**
- TU: #8 **Quid Anglicē significat “lapis”?** **STONE / LANDMARK / TOMBSTONE**
- B1: **Quid Anglicē significat “virga”?** **TWIG / BRANCH / WAND**
- B2: **Quid Anglicē significat “mūrus”?** **WALL / PROTECTION**
- TU: #9 Who was the father of the Pleiades? **ATLAS**
- B1: Who was the mother of the Oceanids? **TETHYS**
- B2: Who was the mother of the Nereids? **DORIS**
- TU: #10 **Quot sunt quīnque et octō?** **TREDECIM**
- B1: **Quot sunt septem et ūndecim?** **DUODĒVIGINTĪ**
- B2: **Quot sunt sex et quattuordecim?** **VĪGINTĪ**
- TU: #11 For how long was a censor supposed to serve? **18 MONTHS**
- B1: How often were censors elected? **EVERY FIVE YEARS (OR FOUR IN EARLY ROME)**
- B2: How many *censores* were elected at a time? **2**

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- TU: #12 Give the Latin verb root and its English meaning from which we derive induction.  
**DŪCO, DŪCERE -- TO LEAD, DRAW**
- B1: Give the Latin root and its English meaning from which we derive convocation.  
**VOCŌ, VOCĀRE - TO CALL**
- B2: Give the Latin root and its English meaning from which we derive inspiration.  
**SPĪRŌ, SPĪRĀRE -- TO BREATHE**
- TU: #13 What Athenian hero killed the Minotaur? **THESEUS**  
 B1: What Cretan girl aided Theseus in killing the Minotaur? **ARIADNE**  
 B2: What other daughter of Minos also married Theseus, with disastrous consequences? **PHAEDRA**
- TU: #14 Listen carefully to the following passage, which I will read twice. Then answer in Latin the question that follows:  
**Quīntus amīcum suum Gāium vīsītābat. Gāius erat vir fortis et coquus quī in īnsulā habitābat. Quīntus in ātriō Gāi pictūrās coquōrum vidēbat. Tum Quīntus Gāiō dīxit, “Quī sunt hī hominēs?” Gāius Quīntō dīxit, “Sunt meī parentēs.”** (repeat)
- Q: **Ubi Gāius habitābat?** **IN ĪNSULĀ**  
 B1: **Quālis vir erat Gāius?** **FORTIS**  
 B2: **Quās rēs in ātriō Quīntus vīdit?**  
**PICTŪRĀS (PULCHRĀS) (COQUŌRUM) / PARENTĒS / COQUŌS**
- TU: #15 Which of the following is not derived from the same Latin root as the others:  
 Simultaneous, simile, simulate, assimilate? **SIMULTANEOUS**
- B1: From what Latin adverb with what meaning is simultaneous derived?  
**SIMUL - TOGETHER/AT THE SAME TIME**
- B2: From what Latin adjective with what meaning are simile, simulate, and assimilate derived?  
**SIMILIS - SIMILAR**
- TU: #16 What early Roman patriot showed his indifference to pain by burning off his right hand?  
**(C.) MUCIUS SCAEVOLA**
- B1: What Etruscan king had he tried to kill? **LARS PORSENA**  
 B2: Whom was Porsena trying to reinstate on the throne in Rome?  
**(LUCIUS) TARQUINIUS SUPERBUS OR TARQUIN THE PROUD**
- TU: #17 Who was the faithful wife of Odysseus? **PENELOPE**  
 B1: Who was Odysseus's son by Penelope? **TELEMACHUS**  
 B2: For whom was Penelope weaving the shroud to delay the suitors?  
**(ODYSSEUS' FATHER) LAERTES**
- TU: #18 Give the singular, present imperative of the verb **currō, currere**? **CURRE**  
 B1: Make **curre** plural. **CURRITE**  
 B2: Make **currite** a negative command. **NOLĪTE CURRERE**
- TU: #19 What Roman general refused to be a traitor in the First Punic War when he was asked to convince the Romans to make peace? **(M. ATILIUS) REGULUS**  
 B1: What Spartan mercenary had defeated Regulus for the Carthaginians? **XANTHIPPIUS**  
 B2: What battle had Regulus won to open Africa to invasion? **CAPE ECNOMUS**

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TU: #20

Translate the following sentence into English: **Mātrēs erant trīstissimae.**

THE MOTHERS WERE VERY SAD

B1: . . . **Puerī canem timuērunt.**

THE BOYS FEARED THE DOG

B2: . . . **Homō cibum leōnī fērōcī dabit.** THE MAN WILL GIVE FOOD TO THE FIERCE LION

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- TU: #1 What is the difference in meaning between the verbs **discēdō** and **dēscendō**?  
**DISCĒDŌ** - LEAVE, DEPART  
**DĒSCENDŌ** - CLIMB DOWN, DESCEND
- B1: What is the difference in meaning between the verbs **canō** and **cantō**?  
 PRACTICALLY NO DIFFERENCE (**CANO** - SING, **CANTO** - KEEP ON SINGING)
- B2: What is the difference in meaning between the nouns **collis** and **collum**?  
**COLLIS** - HILL  
**COLLUM** - NECK
- TU: #2 Translate the adverb in the sentence 'They were behaving badly.'  
**MALE**
- B1: Translate the adverb in the sentence 'You have played well.'  
**BENE**
- B2: Translate the adverb in the sentence 'I hope you can answer this easily.'  
**FACILE**
- TU: #3 Who was the ruler of the underworld? **HADES / PLUTO / DIS / DIS PATER / ORCUS**
- B1: What god, under his personality, Psychopompus, escorted the souls of the dead?  
**HERMES / MERCURY**
- B2: Who was the god of death?  
**THANATOS**
- TU: #4 Where did Hannibal defeat the Romans in 217 B.C.? **LAKE TRASIMENE**
- B1: Who was the 1st Roman general that Hannibal defeated?  
**AFRICANUS' FATHER (PUBLIUS CORNELIUS SCIPIO) OR THE ELDER SCIPIO**
- B2: What Roman leader was called 'sword of Rome' and conquered Syracuse in 212 B.C.?  
**M. MARCELLUS**
- TU: #5 Translate into Latin the prepositional phrase in the sentence 'I used to sail to the small island.'  
**AD PARVAM INSULAM**
- B1: Translate the prepositional phrase in 'I used to sail from the small island.'  
**A PARVĀ INSULĀ**
- B2: Translate 'I used to sail.'  
**NĀVIGĀBAM**
- TU: #6 What was the exercise area or wrestling pit called at a Roman Bath? **PALAESTRA**
- B1: What would you be doing if you gave a quadrans to the ostiarius? **PAYING ADMISSION FEE**
- B2: What was the main purpose for the room called the unctorium? **APPLYING OIL**
- TU: #7 Whose famous oracle was located on Mt. Parnassus near Delphi? **APOLLO**
- B1: What god had an oracle at Dodona? **ZEUS / JUPITER**
- B2: What god had an oracle at his birthplace on Delos? **APOLLO**
- TU: #8 Translate the following sentence into English: **Invēnitne puer pecūniam?**  
**DID THE BOY FIND THE MONEY?**  
 ... **Quō modō pecūniam inveniēmus?**  
**HOW / IN WHICH WAY WILL WE FIND THE MONEY**  
 ... **Numquam habēmus satis pecūniae.**  
**WE NEVER HAVE ENOUGH MONEY**
- TU: #9 Who sent Eilytheia to delay the birth of Heracles out of anger over Zeus's affairs? **HERA**
- B1: Who was Heracles' "stepfather", the husband of Alcmene? **AMPHITRYON**
- B2: What does Heracles's name ironically mean? **THE GLORY OF HERA**

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- TU: #10 Listen carefully to the following passage, which I will read twice. Then answer in Latin the question that follows:  
**Marcus primā lūce surrēxit et ad Forum festinavit. Multos amīcōs vīdit qui res emebant. Tum ad templum īvit, ubi precēs dīxit. Tum domum redīvit.** (repeat)
- Q: **Quō festinavit Marcus prima luce?** **AD FORUM**  
 B1: **Quōs vīdit in foro?** **(MULTOS) AMICOS**  
 B2: **Quās dīxit in templō?** **PRECĒS**
- TU: #11 Who escaped from Crete by flying on wings he had invented? **DAEDALUS**  
 B1: Who was the son of Daedalus, who perished when he flew too close to the sun, melting the wax on his wing? **ICARUS**  
 B2: After his escape, where did Daedalus find refuge with King Cocalus? **SICILY**
- TU: #12 Which of the following is not derived from the same Latin root as the others?  
 Inter, terrestrial, terrarium, deter, subterraneous **DETER**
- B1: From what Latin word with what meaning is deter derived? **(DĒ)TERREŌ - FRIGHTEN**  
 B2: From what Latin word with what meaning are inter, terrestrial, terrarium, and subterraneous derived? **TERRA- LAND**
- TU: #13 Who came to Rome in a carpentum and later became the 5th king of Rome?  
**(LUCIUS) TARQUINIUS PRISCUS**
- B1: Who was his wife? **TANAQUIL**  
 B2: From what city did Priscus come? **TARQUINII (CAERE)**
- TU: #14 Translate into Latin ‘with a pen’ for the sentence ‘He wrote a letter with a pen.’  
**STYLŌ / PENNĀ**
- B1: Say in Latin ‘with great care’ in the sentence ‘He wrote the letter with great care.’  
**MAGNĀ CUM CŪRĀ / MAGNĀ CŪRĀ / CUM MAGNĀ CŪRĀ**
- B2: What use of the Ablative case is **magnā cum cūrā**? **MANNER**
- TU: #15 What Argive hero killed the Gorgon Medusa? **PERSEUS**  
 B1: What daughter of Cepheus became Perseus's wife? **ANDROMEDA**  
 B2: What son of Perseus and Andromeda was left in Joppa to inherit the throne of Cepheus? **PERSES**
- TU: #16 What Roman commander deserted his fleet at Actium? **ANTONY**  
 B1: In what year was the battle of Actium? **31 B.C.**  
 B2: Who won this battle for Octavian? **(M. VIPSANIUS) AGRIPPA**
- TU: #17 What English word, derived from the Latin word **via**, means to turn aside from? **DEVIATE**  
 B1: What English word, derived from the Latin word **novus**, means to introduce something new?  
**INNOVATE**
- B2: What English word, derived from the Latin word **labor**, means to work together on a project?  
**COLLABORATE**
- TU: #18 Change **posse** to the same form as **ferēbam**. **POTERAM**  
 Change **velle** to the same form as **sumus**. **VOLUMUS**  
 Change **īre** to the same form as **potuit**. **IIT / ĪVIT**

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TU: #19	Differentiate in meaning between the adjectives <b>lātus</b> and <b>laetus</b> .	<b>LĀTUS</b> - WIDE <b>LAETUS</b> - HAPPY
B1:	Differentiate in meaning between <b>accidere</b> and <b>occidere</b> .	<b>ACCIDERE</b> -HAPPEN <b>OCCIDERE</b> -KILL
B2:	Differentiate in meaning between <b>deus</b> and <b>dies</b> .	<b>DEUS</b> - GOD <b>DIES</b> - DAY
TU: #20	In what four months did the Ides fall on the 15 <sup>th</sup> ?	<b>MARCH</b> , <b>MAY</b> , <b>JULY</b> , & <b>OCTOBER</b>
B1:	On what day did the Ides normally fall?	13 <sup>TH</sup>
B2:	On what day of the month did the Nones fall in March, May, July, & October?	7 <sup>th</sup>



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- TU: #10 Listen to the following and when recognized follow the given instructions.  
**Surge et dīc mihi Anglicē nōmen tuī magistrī.**  
 PLAYER SHOULD STAND AND TELL THE NAME OF HIS/HER TEACHER
- B1: **Tangite nasōs vestrōs dextrīs manibus.**  
 MORE THAN ONE STUDENT SHOULD TOUCH NOSES WITH THE RIGHT HAND
- B2: **Clamāte nōmen virī quī est Praesidens Ūnītōrum Statuum.**  
 MORE THAN ONE STUDENT SHOULD SHOUT OUT "BUSH"
- TU: #11 Give the Latin noun and its English meaning from which we derive coy, requiem, acquiesce, and quiescent.  
**QUIES- QUIET/REST**
- B1: Give the Latin noun and its English meaning from which we derive participate, partiality, and tripartite.  
**PARS - PART**
- B2: Besides **pars**, what other Latin word with what meaning lies at the root of participate?  
**CAPĪŌ - I TAKE, SEIZE**
- TU: #12 What son of Agamemnon punished Clytemnestra and Aegisthus for their crimes? **ORESTES**
- B1: In which city was Orestes later tried for this deed? **ATHENS**
- B2: What was the name of the site in Athens where this trial took place? **AREOPAGUS**
- TU: #13 What was the original purpose of the modern structure called the Pont du Gard? **AQUEDUCT**
- B1: Who is credited with building the first aqueduct in Italy? **APPIUS CLAUDIUS**
- B2: What was the first high level aqueduct? **AQUA MARCIA**
- TU: #14 What criminal was condemned to forever roll a rock up a hill in Hades? **SISYPHUS**
- B1: Who was strapped to a wheel in Hades? **IXION**
- B2: Who could not reach nearby food and water as his eternal punishment? **TANTALUS**
- TU: #15 Listen carefully to the following passage, which I will read twice. Then answer IN ENGLISH the question that follows:  
**Māne in ludō, magister discipulīs dīxit, "Hodiē linguam Graecam discēmus." Discipulus ignāvissimus clamāvit, "Euge!" Magister, ubi discipulum clamantem audīvit, rogāvit, "Cūr tam laetus es?" Discipulus respondit, "Mihi nōmen est Alexander, et omnia mihi sunt Graeca!"** (repeat)
- Q: What is the class studying today? **GREEK**
- B1: Which student is delighted by this news? **A (VERY) LAZY STUDENT/ALEXANDER**
- B2: Why is this student happy to hear that the class is studying Greek?  
**HE IS GREEK/IT'S ALL GREEK TO HIM/HE KNOWS GREEK ALREADY**
- TU: #16 Say in Latin "They cannot see."  
**VIDĒRE NŌN POSSUNT**
- B1: Say in Latin "Marcus can be seen."  
**MARCUS VIDĒRĪ / SPECTĀRĪ POTEST**
- B2: Say in Latin, "Marcus, I do not believe you"  
**MARCE, TIBI NŌN CRĒDŌ**
- TU: #17 Give the second person plural, perfect active indicative of **volō, velle**. **VOLUISTIS**
- B1: Change **voluistis** to the pluperfect. **VOLUERĀTIS**
- B2: Change **voluerātis** to the future perfect. **VOLUERITIS**

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TU: #18	What god, son of Iapetus, stole fire for man?	PROMETHEUS
B1:	Who finally released Prometheus from bondage?	HERACLES/HERCULES
B2:	Who was the wife of Prometheus' brother?	PANDORA
TU: #19	What <u>novus homo</u> defeated the Teutones and the Cimbri?	GAIUS MARIUS
B1:	Where did Marius defeat the Cimbri?	VERCELLAE
B2:	Where did Marius defeat the Teutones?	AQUAE SEPTIMAE
TU: #20	<b>Audite diligenter - Mercator, tuba, navis: Quae res est maxima?</b>	<b>NAVIS</b>
B1:	<b>... anulus, canis, domus: Quae res est minima?</b>	<b>ANULUS</b>
B2:	<b>... pes, mare, miles: Quae res est pars corporis?</b>	<b>PES</b>

2002 TEXAS STATE CERTAMEN -- EXTRA QUESTIONS, NOVICE LEVEL

LANGUAGE

- TU: Give the Latin root and its meaning for arboreal. **ARBOR - TREE**  
 B1: Give the Latin root and its meaning for collar. **COLLUM - NECK**  
 B2: Give the Latin root and its meaning for lunatic. **LŪNA - MOON**
- TU: Give the genitive plural of **miles**. **MILITUM**  
 B1: Give the genitive plural of **civis**. **CIVIUM**  
 B2: Give the genitive plural of **manus**. **MANUUM**
- TU: Say in Latin 'We were able'. **POTERAMUS**  
 B1: Say in Latin 'We had been able'. **POTUERAMUS**  
 B2: Say in Latin 'They will have been able'. **POTUERINT**
- TU: Say names in the sentence 'Do you know all his names'. **NOMINA**  
 B1: Say 'his' in that sentence. **EIUS, ILLIUS, HUIUS**  
 B2: Say 'all' in that sentence. **OMNIA**
- TU: Listen to the instructions and follow them when called upon.  
**Tolle sinistram manum.** THE PLAYER SHOULD RAISE HIS LEFT HAND  
 B1: **Capite vestras aures.** EACH PLAYER SHOULD GRAB THEIR EARS  
 B2: **Ambula tuam sellam.** ONE PLAYER SHOULD WALK AROUND THE CHAIR
- TU: Give the Latin root and its meaning for oppression. **PREMO - PRESS**  
 B1: Give the Latin root and its meaning for deficit. **FACIO - MAKE**  
 B2: Give the Latin root and its meaning for exposition. **PONO - PLACE**
- TU: Which word in the following list names something that is most likely to be heard:  
**cēra CLAMOR cibus cinis**
- B1: Define **cinis**. **ASH**  
 B2: Define **cēra**. **WAX**
- TU: Which of the following phrases best describes the usual location of an ancilla:  
**in barbā cum argentāriō sub iānuā IN CULINA**
- B1: Define **sub iānuā**. **UNDER THE DOOR**  
 B2: Define **cum argentāriō**. **WITH THE BANKER**
- TU: According to its Latin root, if you are pompous, in what event should you desire to participate?  
**A PARADE/PROCESSION**
- B1: According to its Latin root, if something is ridiculous, how should you react to it? **LAUGH**  
 B2: According to its Latin root, what does one do while riding on a recumbent bicycle?  
**LIE DOWN/RECLINE**

MYTHOLOGY

- TU: Who led the Argonauts on the quest for the Golden Fleece? **JASON**  
 B1: Who had ordered Jason to retrieve the Fleece? **PELIAS**  
 B2: What daughter of Aeetes fell in love with Jason at Colchis? **MEDEA**

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- TU: What god lost the contest for stewardship of Athens? POSEIDON / NEPTUNE  
B1: What gift had Athena given to the city? OLIVE TREE  
B2: What city chose Hera as their steward over Poseidon, resulting in a long drought? ARGOS

Extra Question for Novice Finals

- TU: Who was changed into a laurel tree while fleeing Apollo? DAPHNE  
B1: Who was changed into an owl while fleeing from her father? NYCTIMENE  
B2: Who was changed into a bed of reeds while fleeing Pan? SYRINX / NANCRAITIS

HISTORY/LIFE

- TU: What were the 15 priests of specific gods called? FLAMINES  
B1: What was the head priest of Jupiter called? FLAMEN DIALIS  
B2: Who was the second most important priest after the Pontifex Maximus? REX SACRORUM

- TU: What would you measure with a jugerum? LAND (AREA OF LAND)  
B1: What was overly fermented wine? ACETUM  
B2: What was grape juice or unfermented wine called? MUSTUM

- TU: Name a wife of Gaius Julius Caesar?  
B1: Name another.  
B2: Name another. CORNELIA, POMPEIA, CALPURNIA

- TU: What religious office did Julius Caesar hold? PONTIFEX MAXIMUS  
B1: Where was Caesar proprator? SPAIN  
B2: What German king did Caesar defeat in 58 B.C.? ARIOVISTUS

- TU: Name one of the sons of Hamilcar Barca, a member of the Loin's Brood?  
B1: Name another.  
B2: Name another. HANNIBAL, HASDRUBEL, MAGO