

32 Multiple choice questions

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1. a wealthy and important citizen who looked after the interests of poorer clients in return for their support
 - a. putti
 - b. stoa
 - c. **CORRECT: patron**
 - d. papyrus

2. the basic denomination of Roman currency
 - a. seismic
 - b. palisters
 - c. **CORRECT: sesterces**
 - d. rostrum

3. regular columns
 - a. **CORRECT: palisters**
 - b. peristyle
 - c. piety
 - d. pumice

4. a container in which relics are kept
 - a. palisters
 - b. vestibulum
 - c. **CORRECT: reliquary**
 - d. seismic

5. hot flows of gases and solid fragments caused when the column of a volcano collapses
 - a. pyroclastic
 - b. pugilistic pose
 - c. **CORRECT: pyroclastic flows**
 - d. portico

6. made of fire and burning material
 - a. pyroclastic flows
 - b. putti
 - c. portico
 - d. **CORRECT: pyroclastic**

7. a dining room
 - a. travertine
 - b. **CORRECT: triclinium**
 - c. tinker
 - d. tablinum

8. a Roman general who led his troops to victory over Marius in the civil war, becoming dictator of Rome
 - a. tufa
 - b. putti
 - c. **CORRECT: Sulla**
 - d. stoa

9. male head of the family household, including slaves
 - a. triclinium
 - b. peristyle
 - c. **CORRECT: paterfamilias**
 - d. papyrus

10. someone who studies human physical and biological variation
 - a. pyroclastic flows
 - b. pugilistic pose
 - c. social mobility
 - d. **CORRECT: physical anthropologist**

11. open courtyard surrounded by a portico
 - a. piety
 - b. **CORRECT: peristyle**
 - c. pumice
 - d. palisters

12. a bitter tasting herb
- CORRECT: rue**
 - pumice
 - tufa
 - piety
13. the drainage and disposal of sewerage
- utilitarian
 - CORRECT: sanitation**
 - palisters
 - patron
14. an area which led into an atrium
- CORRECT: vestibulum**
 - reliquary
 - rostrum
 - sesterces
15. a mender of objects such as pots and pans
- tufa
 - piety
 - rue
 - CORRECT: tinker**
16. a platform or stage for public speaking
- portico
 - rue
 - CORRECT: rostrum**
 - papyrus
17. writing material prepared from thin strips of the papyrus plant
- rue
 - rostrum
 - patron
 - CORRECT: papyrus**

18. a continuous colonnade, closed by a wall behind it, invented for the transaction of business or walking
- CORRECT: stoa**
 - Sulla
 - patron
 - tufa
19. pottery made by dipping partly dried objects into a water and clay mix called 'slip'; after firing the object would have a shiny red appearance
- reliquary
 - CORRECT: red slip pottery**
 - palisters
 - pugilistic pose
20. useful
- sanitation
 - CORRECT: utilitarian**
 - tabernae
 - patron
21. the observation and recording of the sequence of layers within an excavation
- sesterces
 - CORRECT: stratigraphy**
 - travertine
 - reliquary
22. shops
- tablinum
 - CORRECT: tabernae**
 - tufa
 - travertine

23. a sense of duty to the gods, one's parents and country
- tufa
 - putti
 - rue
 - CORRECT: piety**
24. a light grey stone formed when gas escapes from a volcano through molten rock
- rue
 - CORRECT: pumice**
 - putti
 - portico
25. a reception room
- tinker
 - triclinium
 - tabernae
 - CORRECT: tablinum**
26. a colonnade around a central area
- putti
 - CORRECT: portico**
 - pumice
 - patron
27. named after the pose of a boxer with extended spine and clenched fists
- pyroclastic flows
 - CORRECT: pugilistic pose**
 - portico
 - palisters
28. silver-grey limestone found in the hills near Pompeii
- tinker
 - portico
 - tabernae
 - CORRECT: travertine**

29. related to earthquakes or other vibrations of the earth
- Sulla
 - pumice
 - portico
 - CORRECT:** seismic
30. movement between social classes
- seismic
 - triclinium
 - paterfamilias
 - CORRECT:** social mobility
31. a hard rock formed from volcanic ash
- rue
 - CORRECT:** tufa
 - Sulla
 - stoa
32. cupids
- piety
 - CORRECT:** putti
 - pumice
 - Sulla