**ROME TEST**

**Directions:** Write the letter from the map in the blank next to the correct label.

1. ____ Italy  
2. ____ Britain  
3. ____ Spain  
4. ____ Gaul  
5. ____ Greece

**Directions:** Circle the letter next to the correct answer to each question.

6. All the following crops were grown in ancient Rome **EXCEPT:**
   A. Wheat  
   B. Olives  
   C. Grapes  
   D. Potatoes

7. Lower class Romans were called:
   A. Patricians  
   B. Plebians  
   C. Nobles  
   D. Gladiators

8. Upper class Romans were called:
   A. Patricians  
   B. Plebians  
   C. Nobles  
   D. Gladiators

9. Which of the following languages is related to Latin?
   A. German  
   B. English  
   C. French  
   D. Russian

10. Where would ancient Romans go to watch gladiators?
    A. The Forum  
    B. The Colosseum  
    C. The Circus Maximus  
    D. Temples

11. In the U.S. government, who makes up the Judicial Branch?
    A. Congress  
    B. The President and Vice President  
    C. The Cabinet  
    D. The Supreme Court
12. In the U.S. government, who makes up the Legislative Branch?
   A. Congress
   B. The President and Vice President
   C. The Cabinet
   D. The Supreme Court

13. In the U.S. government, which branch is in charge of defense?
   A. Executive Branch
   B. Legislative Branch
   C. Judicial Branch

14. Which part of the Roman Republic’s government was the Executive Branch?
   A. Assembly
   B. Senate
   C. Consuls
   D. Emperor

15. Which part of the Roman Republic’s government was the Legislative Branch?
   A. Assembly
   B. Senate
   C. Consuls
   D. Emperor

16. What were the 12 Tables?
   A. The location where the Roman Senate met.
   B. The written laws of Rome
   C. A list of the rulers of Rome
   D. Rules for gladiator fights

17. How many branches does the United States government have?
   A. One
   B. Two
   C. Three
   D. Four

18. How was Julius Caesar viewed by MOST Roman citizens?
   A. He was feared by nearly everyone
   B. He was extremely popular, especially with the lower classes
   C. He was despised as a ruthless dictator

19. What was the purpose of aqueducts?
   A. To bring fresh water to the cities
   B. To trade goods between cities
   C. To travel between cities
   D. To irrigate crops

20. All the following were Roman achievements EXCEPT:
   A. Democracy
   B. Written laws
   C. Aqueducts
   D. Republican government

21. In what region of the Roman Empire did Christianity begin?
   A. Egypt
   B. Judea
   C. Greece
   D. Britain
22. Why did the Roman authorities not like Jesus?
   A. They thought he was trying to start a revolt against Rome
   B. They thought he was trying to change Rome’s religion
   C. They thought he wanted to be emperor of Rome
   D. They thought he was a criminal

23. All the following are Christian traditions EXCEPT:
   A. Celebrating Christmas on December 25th
   B. Celebrating Easter in the spring
   C. Celebrating Passover
   D. Going to church on Sundays

24. What event in Jesus’ life do Christians celebrate on Easter
   A. Jesus’ birth
   B. Jesus’ baptism
   C. Jesus’ death on the cross
   D. Jesus’ resurrection from the dead

25. What are the rules called in Christianity?
   A. Dharma
   B. Torah
   C. Eightfold Path
   D. Ten Commandments

26. All of the following were caused the fall of Rome EXCEPT:
   A. Rome was invaded by barbarian tribes
   B. Taxes were increased and for some people one third of their wages went towards taxes
   C. Rome went to war with Persia, leading to shortages in the army
   D. Roman emperors were corrupt and would often kill one another to gain power