

Do Not Open Your Test Until You Are Told To Begin.

University Interscholastic League

Spelling and Vocabulary

Part I

REGIONAL Meet 2022-23

Directions:

Part I contains 15 Proofreading questions and 15 Vocabulary questions. The Proofreading questions are comprised of list words, forms of list words, and non-list (“outside”) words. The Vocabulary questions are based on the words indicated for vocabulary study in the current *Word Power*. You will have **15 minutes** to complete the 30 questions that comprise Part I.

Contestant number: _____

For Contest Director use:

Part I Score _____

+ **Part II Score** _____

(The Tie Breaker is not graded unless
one or more ties exist, and then only the
papers of the tied contestants are scored.)

= **TOTAL SCORE** _____

Tie Breaker Score _____

(Important: Two graders should check
the scores to ensure accuracy.)

Scratch Paper

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REGIONAL Meet
Part I

Questions 1-15 test your ability to recognize and correct misspelled words. From each of the 15 sets, select the one misspelled entry, then write it *correctly* spelled in the corresponding blank on your answer sheet. Questions 16-30 test your knowledge of the meanings and origins of words. For each sentence, select the **best** answer; then, using a **printed capital letter**, write it in the corresponding blank on your answer sheet. You will have 15 minutes to complete questions 1-30, which are worth 1 point each. **Credit will be given ONLY for answers placed on your answer sheet.**

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| 1. unanalyzable | photodegradable | irefragable | cogitable | satisfable |
| 2. béchamel sauce | crème de la crème | niçoise olive | jalapeño | fräulien |
| 3. Aristotelean | Bunyanesque | Iranian | Shoshonian | Croatian |
| 4. senescence | subsidence | inclemency | defervesence | ascendancy |
| 5. gennaker | baccarat | missilry | metalliferous | chapparal |
| 6. nexi | campanili | eidola | glabellae | anomy |
| 7. Duncan Phyfe | | Corona Australis | | North Saskatchewan |
| | Ottoman Empire | | Appian Way | |
| 8. geneses | reseaux | embargos | hajjes | jitneys |
| 9. whirligig | elegiacal | llano | jackanape | pensil |
| 10. writers' block | | Tourette's syndrome | | potter's wheel |
| | Job's comforter | | Hodgkin's lymphoma | |
| 11. urinanalysis | | diverticula | | cystic fibrosis |
| | phlebosclerosis | | trigeminal neuralgia | |
| 12. manumitted | untrammelled | acerbated | contravened | geometricized |
| 13. terratogen | guillemet | felucca | hyssop | moroccos |

14. symbology roentgenology cryptozoology
 agrostology zymnology
15. Cerberean Minneconjou Kilauea Orangeman Novocaine
16. A synonym for “_____” is naiveté.
A. callowness B. eclecticism C. malaise D. qiviut E. pugnacity
17. The presence of a given trait in twins is a(n)_____.
A. adjuration B. malocclusion C. concordance
D. fixity E. misanthropy
18. Something said to be dulcet or mellifluous could also be described as _____.
A. evanescent B. susurrant C. pulsatile D. aleatory E. euphonious
19. After examining the hysterical woman claiming to have a cancerous tumor, the doctor declared that she had nothing more than _____.
A. nephrosis B. neuropathy C. tarantella D. apparition E. mimesis
20. A large division of possibly genetically related families of languages is a(n)_____.
A. appurtenance B. cenacle C. monotreme D. refection E. phylum
21. One of the reasons *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* is a beloved novel is because of the main character’s bent for _____; Mark Twain clearly loved good jokes.
A. hoi polloi B. ballottement C. raillery D. praxis E. hubris
22. The use of “cuz” and “ma’am” are both examples of _____.
A. chador B. syncope C. altiplano D. glossolalia E. ipse dixit
23. The _____ typically follows the allemande in baroque music.
A. gisarme B. vox humana C. Rachmaninoff D. courante E. entrecôte
24. “Encircled as if by a girdle” is the archaic meaning of _____.
A. spatulate B. patroclinous C. couchant D. a priori E. succinct

25. The origin for _____ is “war dance.”
- A. pas de chat B. capriole C. bandolier D. pyrrhic E. mantelletta
26. Another name for _____ is kala-azar.
- A. hemiplegia B. cainotophobia C. leishmaniasis
D. amaurosis E. salmonellosis
27. “The worst power” is the Greek origin for _____.
- A. aberration B. kakistocracy C. collusion
D. transcendentalism E. ergonomics
28. An antonym for “_____” is clumsiness.
- A. ingenuity B. equipoise C. varicosity D. disorientation E. anaclisis
29. Another name for a _____ is narghile.
- A. thurible B. loup-garou C. supinator D. hookah E. calathus
30. A synonym for “_____” is matériel.
- A. bordure B. habiliments C. embrasure D. kedge E. conveyance

University Interscholastic League Spelling and Vocabulary 2022-23
Regional Meet Part I Key

*Capitalization required

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|------------------------------|-------|
| 1. irrefragable | 16. A |
| 2. fräulein | 17. C |
| 3. <u>Shoshonean</u> | 18. E |
| 4. defervescence | 19. E |
| 5. chaparral | 20. E |
| 6. nexus, nexuses | 21. C |
| 7. <u>North Saskatchewan</u> | 22. B |
| 8. embargoes | 23. D |
| 9. jackanapes | 24. E |
| 10. writer's block | 25. D |
| 11. urinalysis | 26. C |
| 12. untrammeled | 27. B |
| 13. teratogen | 28. A |
| 14. zymology | 29. D |
| 15. <u>Novocain</u> | 30. B |

University Interscholastic League Spelling 2022-2023 REGIONAL Meet Part II & III Key

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(Fold on lines between columns to facilitate scoring.)

*Outside Word **

Capitalization Required

1. maglev, <u>M</u>	26. zoot suit	51. vicissitude*	Part III Tiebreaker
2. gueridon	27. huipil	52. tatterdemalion	1. <u>Texas</u> hold'em
3. ophthalmoscope	28. cri de coeur*	53. retroussé	2. grisaille
4. hobbledehoy*	29. horripilation	54. eviscerate	3. champignon
5. raconteur	30. acetaminophen	55. baobab*	4. machinate*
6. truncheon	31. ruche	56. miscible	5. <u>Euonymus</u>
7. jicama	32. cytotoxin	57. hirsute	6. <u>Pelagianism</u>
8. lucubration	33. dissilient*	58. morpheme	7. decaffeinated
9. <u>Shavuot</u> , <u>Shabuoth</u> *	34. parkour	59. traduce	8. <u>Belgian Malinois</u>
10. impetigenous	35. imprimatur	60. vasoconstrictor	9. <u>Abyssinian</u> *
11. cappuccino	36. angelus, <u>A</u>	61. griseous	10. <u>Vienna</u> sausage
12. oocyte	37. <u>Heimlich</u> maneuver	62. unfeigned	11. crenation
13. treacly*	38. <u>Staubach</u>	63. revenant*	12. dysphonia
14. subterfuge	39. nonpareil*	64. montelukast	13. fartlek*
15. intriguingly	40. integument	65. extrajudicial	14. underprivileged
16. maculae luteae	41. halobiont	66. colloquy	15. ctenoid
17. cinephile	42. pavé	67. <u>Weimaraner</u>	16. antipodean
18. buboes*	43. colonelcy	68. codicil*	17. melioidosis*
19. <u>Azerbaijan</u>	44. insouciant*	69. <u>Anatolian</u>	18. ad infinitum
20. piragua	45. tortellini	70. landgravine	19. tomentose
21. esurient	46. isostasy		20. gasohol
22. multiethnic	47. cinnabar		
23. guanaco	48. wallaroo		
24. sine die*	49. <u>Sabbatarian</u>		
25. interstitial	50. caveat emptor*		

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Answer Sheet for Part I
 (30 questions, 15 minutes, 1 point each)

	3	2	1		3	2	1	
1								16
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TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS	30		
MINUS ERRORS			
PART I SCORE	Gr 3	Gr 2	Gr 1
GRADERS' INITIALS			

Score Part II _____
Score Part III _____

Contestant Number _____

University Interscholastic League Spelling and Vocabulary – Part II

Word

Graders

#		3	2	1	#
1					1
2					2
3					3
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25					25
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X	*****	*****	*****	*****	X

Contestant Number _____

University Interscholastic League Spelling and Vocabulary – Part II*Word**Graders*

#		3	2	1	#
26					26
27					27
28					28
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49					49
50					50
X	Total Errors This Page-----→				X
X	*****Grader's Initials				X

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Contestant Number _____

University Interscholastic League Spelling and Vocabulary – Part II

Word

Graders

#		3	2	1	#
51					51
52					52
53					53
54					54
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70					70
X	Total Errors This Page-----→				X
X	*****Grader's Initials				X

#3 #2 #1

Part II Spelling 70 Points

Total Errors in Part II - _____

Score for Part II _____

Contestant Number _____

University Interscholastic League Spelling and Vocabulary – Part III - Tiebreaker

Word

Graders

#		3	2	1	#
1					1
2					2
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20					20
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#3 #2 #1

Part III Spelling Tiebreaker 20 Points

Total Errors in Tiebreaker - _____

= Score for Tiebreaker _____