

CAV 2015 - CAESAR ANSWER KEY

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| 1. A | 26. B | 51. A |
| 2. B | 27. D | 52. B |
| 3. C | 28. C | 53. D |
| 4. C | 29. C | 54. D |
| 5. D | 30. D | 55. B |
| 6. A | 31. B | 56. D |
| 7. A | 32. D | 57. D |
| 8. C | 33. B | 58. B |
| 9. D | 34. A | 59. C |
| 10. C | 35. B | 60. C |
| 11. D | 36. C | 61. A |
| 12. A | 37. D | 62. C |
| 13. A | 38. B | 63. C |
| 14. A | 39. D | 64. C |
| 15. D | 40. C | 65. B |
| 16. A | 41. C | 66. B |
| 17. A | 42. A | 67. C |
| 18. B | 43. A | 68. B |
| 19. D | 44. C | 69. D |
| 20. C | 45. B | 70. D |
| 21. A | 46. D | 71. B |
| 22. B | 47. C | 72. A |
| 23. A | 48. D | 73. C |
| 24. A | 49. C | 74. B |
| 25. D | 50. C | 75. A |

CAV Latin Tournament 2015: Caesar

Caesar, *dē Bellō Gallicō* 5. 22 (selections)
[The British general Cassivellaunus is defeated]

Dum haec in hīs locīs geruntur, Cassivellaunus ad Cantium nūntiōs mittit atque eīs imperat utī coāctīs omnibus cōpiīs castra nāvālia dē imprōvisō adorianur atque oppugnent. Eī cum ad castra vēnissent, nostrī ēruptiōne factā, multīs eōrum interfectīs, captō etiam nōbilī duce Lugotorīge suōs incolumēs redūxērunt. Cassivellaunus, hōc proeliō nūntiātō, vāstātīs fīnibus, lēgātōs per Atrebatem Commiū dē deditiōne ad Caesarem mittit.

dē imprōvisō = “by surprise”

ēruptiō, -ōnis, f.: a sudden attack

Lugotorix, -īgis, m.: a British chieftain

5 **Commius, -ī, m.:** a British chieftain of the Atrebates

deditiō, -ōnis, f.: surrender

Full Translation

While these things were being done in these places, Cassivellaunus sent messengers to Kent/Cantium and ordered them to rise up and attack the naval camps by surprise with all their troops having been gathered together. When those ones had come to the camp, our troops led their men back unharmed after a sudden attack had been made, and when many of them had been killed, and when even the noble leader Lugotorix having been captured. Cassivellaunus, when this battle had been announced to him, and when the territory had been destroyed, sent legates to Caesar concerning surrender by way of Commius the Atrebatian.

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| 1. dum haec geruntur | While these things were being done / carried on |
| 2. in his locis | in these places |
| 3. Cassivellaunus mittit | Cassivellaunus sent* |
| 4. nuntios | messengers |
| 5. ad Cantium | to Kent/Cantium |
| 6. atque eis imperat | and ordered/commanded* them |
| 7. uti adorianur | to rise up / that they should rise up |
| 8. atque oppugnent | and (to) attack / and (that they should) attack |
| 9. castra navalia | the naval camps / the camps of ships |
| 10. coactis omnibus copiis | with (when) all the troops having (had) been gathered together |
| 11. de improviso | by surprise |
| 12. ei cum venisset | when those ones / they had come/arrived |
| 13. ad castra | at/to the camp |
| 14. nostri reduxerunt | our men/troops/people/leaders led back |
| 15. suos incolumes | their men, unharmed |
| 16. eruptione facta | with (when) a sudden attack having (had) been made |
| 17. multis eorum interfectis | with (when) many of them having (had) been killed |
| 18. capto etiam nobili duce Lugotorige | with (when) even the noble leader Lugotorix having (had) been captured |
| 19. Cassivellaunus mittit | Cassivellaunus sent* |
| 20. legatos | legates/envoys |
| 21. per Atrebatem Commium | through / by way of / via Commius of the Atrebates |
| 22. de deditione | concerning / about surrender |
| 23. ad Caesarem | to Caesar |
| 24. hoc proelio nuntiato | with (when) this battle having (had) been announced [i.e. to him] |
| 25. vastatis finibus | with (when) the territory/boundaries having (had) been ravaged/devastated |

* Present tense verbs may be treated EITHER as historical present OR as true present tense, provided that the translator remains consistent throughout the passage.