

VOCABULARY

- areol•a** –*ae f* garden plot, seed bed
caec•us –*a –um adj* blind, vague
callis callis *m* path
contorqu•eo –*ere contorsi contortum* to twist, stir up
demulc•eo –*ere demulsi demulctum* to lighten, soothe
deveh•o –*ere devexi devectum* to carry away, remove; convey
dulcison•us –*a –um adj* sweet-sounding
lemb•us –*i m* small, fast boat
pervigil pervigilis *adj* watchful
phasell•us –*i m* little boat
pubes pubis *f* youth, adult population, manpower
puppis puppis *f* stern of a ship
rem•ex –*igis m* oarsman
remug•io –*ire* — to reply, resound

GRAMMAR AND WORD USE QUESTIONS

1. In line 232, what three words comprise an example of *annominatio* (see Appendix 3)?
2. Explain the personification in line 235.
3. In the same line, what is the metaphor concerning flowers?
4. In line 236 *puppim* is used by means of *synecdoche* (see Appendix 3) for what object?
5. Discuss the epic simile beginning in line 246.
6. Name and explain the figure of speech in line 249.

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

1. In line 232, what three things did the young people enjoy?
2. In line 238, what classical creature is said to be here?
3. What athletic contest is going on?
4. What do they do after victory?
5. What kind of paths are there?