

## 2007 NJCL Mythology Test

1. She was the Roman goddess of the hearth and home  
A. Ceres                      B. Juno                      C. Minerva                      D. Vesta
2. The Greek god of war, he was more well liked by the Romans than the Greeks  
A. Ares                      B. Hermes                      C. Jupiter                      D. Poseidon
3. This winged horse sprang from the headless corpse of Medusa  
A. Arion                      B. Echidna                      C. Ladon                      D. Pegasus
4. He foolishly asked for the Golden Touch as his reward but soon regretted it  
A. Admetus                      B. Eurypylos                      C. Midas                      D. Telamon
5. The goddess of the dawn; each day, she precedes the chariot of the sun across the heavens  
A. Aurora                      B. Cybele                      C. Hera                      D. Themis
6. He lay in wait with a sickle for his father Uranus  
A. Cronus                      B. Helios                      C. Momus                      D. Pontus
7. This was the birthplace of Apollo  
A. Crete                      B. Delos                      C. Naxos                      D. Rhodes
8. The souls of the dead are ferried across this river into the Underworld  
A. Acheron                      B. Cocytus                      C. Phlegethon                      D. Styx
9. They were the personification of anger and revenge and punishment for crimes of impiety  
A. Camenae                      B. Furies                      C. Harpies                      D. Sirens
10. Beloved of Aphrodite, he was killed while hunting  
A. Adonis                      B. Endymion                      C. Narcissus                      D. Rhoecus
11. Unable to resist curiosity, she opened the box and released evil upon the world  
A. Alcyone                      B. Ismene                      C. Omphale                      D. Pandora
12. This sacred image fell from the heavens; as long as Troy kept it, the city was safe from attack  
A. Ancile                      B. Calydon                      C. Omphalos                      D. Palladium
13. Which of these is NOT a Muse  
A. Clio                      B. Euterpe                      C. Megara                      D. Thalia
14. He went to the Underworld to fetch his bride who had died from a snake-bite  
A. Ceyx                      B. Lycaon                      C. Orpheus                      D. Thoas
15. These half women, half birds sat by the shore and sang to sailors, luring them to shipwreck  
A. Arimaspi                      B. Eumenides                      C. Mammonides                      D. Sirens
16. He had stables that were so filthy that no one could clean them out, except Heracles  
A. Augeas                      B. Gordias                      C. Neleus                      D. Telamon
17. They were punished in the Underworld for killing their husbands on their wedding night  
A. Danaids                      B. Erinyes                      C. Minyades                      D. Propoetides
18. He is the wise and friendly centaur who taught many heroes  
A. Chiron                      B. Eurytion                      C. Leustratus                      D. Pholus
19. He saw the black sails on the returning ships and jumped off the cliffs into the sea  
A. Aegeus                      B. Evenus                      C. Nautes                      D. Protesilaus
20. This youth was accidentally killed by a discus thrown by Apollo  
A. Alpheus                      B. Hyacinthus                      C. Periphas                      D. Sithonius
21. The gods fight a major war with this race of beings, which sprang from the Earth  
A. Aethiopians                      B. Giants                      C. Hyperboreans                      D. Telchines
22. Crazy by Dionysus, she helped tear apart her brother when he denied the divinity of the god  
A. Autonoe                      B. Chloris                      C. Perimele                      D. Telephassa
23. He refused honorable burial for his nephew  
A. Amphiaras                      B. Creon                      C. Lysander                      D. Periclymenus
24. He was the husband of Alcmena  
A. Amphitryon                      B. Hippasus                      C. Procas                      D. Rhoecus

25. His step-mother desired him but he refused her; his father believed her and cursed him  
 A. Acarnan                      B. Hippolytus                      C. Oeax                      D. Thrasymedes
26. He was the father of Iole; he was killed by Heracles when he refused to give her to the hero  
 A. Arruns                      B. Eurytus                      C. Neleus                      D. Schoeneus
27. This epithet of Persephone means "Maid"  
 A. Aidonea                      B. Dictyanna                      C. Kore                      D. Pallas
28. He is punished on a Wheel of Fire in the Underworld for betraying Zeus's hospitality  
 A. Battus                      B. Ixion                      C. Sisyphus                      D. Tantalus
29. The father of Odysseus  
 A. Amphitryon                      B. Eurymedes                      C. Laertes                      D. Teucer
30. She persecuted Antiope and tried to have her killed by a wild bull  
 A. Aerope                      B. Dirce                      C. Nephele                      D. Themisto
31. He was given a bag of the winds so he could get home early; his men opened it while he slept  
 A. Aeneas                      B. Jason                      C. Menelaus                      D. Odysseus
32. He wooed and won Pomona while disguised, singing his own praises  
 A. Alcahous                      B. Hippocoon                      C. Rhoetus                      D. Vertumnus
33. He gained vengeance by seducing Clytemnestra and killing Agamemnon  
 A. Aegisthus                      B. Leucus                      C. Promulus                      D. Rhipheus
34. The Apple of Discord, "For the Fairest", was thrown into the middle of this wedding party  
 A. Cadmus & Harmonia                      B. Cupid & Psyche                      C. Hippomenes & Atalanta                      D. Peleus & Thetis
35. She was bribed so that she would send her husband to fight with the Seven Against Thebes  
 A. Argiea                      B. Eripyle                      C. Merope                      D. Telephassa
36. The Argonauts, upon the advice of Mopsus, became initiates in the rites and mysteries here  
 A. Delos                      B. Eleusis                      C. Paphos                      D. Samothrace
37. In the *Odyssey*, Odysseus crosses this river to reach the Underworld  
 A. Acheron                      B. Cocytus                      C. Ocean                      D. Phlegethon
38. Newly intoxicated shepherds killed him, thinking that he had poisoned them with wine  
 A. Cretheus                      B. Icarius                      C. Perieres                      D. Siculus
39. He releases Prometheus from his chains in the Caucasus Mountains  
 A. Apollo                      B. Heracles                      C. Mercury                      D. Perseus
40. Some say the infant Zeus was born on this mountain on Crete  
 A. Aetna                      B. Ida                      C. Pelion                      D. Vesuvius
41. He once pursued Athena, spilling his seed on the ground and producing Erichthonius  
 A. Apollo                      B. Hephaestus                      C. Mercury                      D. Poseidon
42. Hephaestus kills this Giant with pellets of red-hot metal during the War with the Giants  
 A. Arceisius                      B. Hippalcus                      C. Mimas                      D. Polyphorion
43. He was the herald of the Trojan forces during the War  
 A. Aphareus                      B. Idaeus                      C. Phoenix                      D. Sigeus
44. This infant was bitten by a snake while his nurse was attending to the Seven Against Thebes  
 A. Astyanax                      B. Hippodamas                      C. Opheltis                      D. Steropes
45. Cassandra given to him as a captive when Troy fell  
 A. Agamemnon                      B. Menelaus                      C. Neoptolemus                      D. Odysseus
46. She suspected her husband of infidelity; it led to her death  
 A. Callirhoe                      B. Halcyone                      C. Laodice                      D. Procris
47. Some say she and Thetis took care of Hephaestus when he was thrown from heaven  
 A. Aegle                      B. Eurynome                      C. Lampetie                      D. Polyxo
48. This Titan was the father of Prometheus and Epimetheus  
 A. Agrius                      B. Iapetus                      C. Polyphoides                      D. Telemus
49. He abducted the bastard son of Pelops, earning the wrath of the gods  
 A. Aegeus                      B. Dryops                      C. Laius                      D. Thyestes
50. He was not one of the Sown Men  
 A. Chthonius                      B. Echion                      C. Nausithous                      D. Pelorus
51. This outlaw son of Pelops robbed travelers, kicking them off the cliff  
 A. Antaeus                      B. Melanippus                      C. Phaea                      D. Sceiron

52. He drove a flying chariot around the world, teaching agriculture and the arts of Demeter  
 A. Aegialeus                      B. Damastes                      C. Pyrenneus                      D. Triptolemus
53. He leads the souls of the dead to the Underworld as Psychopompus  
 A. Charon                      B. Hermes                      C. Poseidon                      D. Vulcan
54. He was killed by his son-in-law accidentally while herding stolen cattle  
 A. Electryon                      B. Haemon                      C. Menestheus                      D. Tyrrheneus
55. He blinded the drunk Orion because of improper advances by the drunken giant hunter  
 A. Antiphus                      B. Iphitus                      C. Oenopion                      D. Schoeneus
56. He was the faithful companion and armor bearer of Aeneas  
 A. Achates                      B. Eurypylus                      C. Laodamas                      D. Thaemon
57. He was the friend and traveling companion of Orestes  
 A. Antiphates                      B. Iobates                      C. Pylades                      D. Schedius
58. She welcomed the shipwrecked Odysseus to her husband's court  
 A. Arete                      B. Eidothea                      C. Nyctimene                      D. Venillia
59. He was struck with insatiable hunger because he cut down a tree and killed a dryad  
 A. Amphinous                      B. Erysichthon                      C. Lityerses                      D. Volscens
60. He was the good friend of Euryalus; their story is told in the *Aeneid*  
 A. Acestes                      B. Cteatus                      C. Nisus                      D. Stheneus
61. She is sent to inflame the anger of Amata and Turnus against the Trojans  
 A. Alecto                      B. Deimos                      C. Juturna                      D. Syrtis
62. The mother of Theseus by Aegeus or Poseidon  
 A. Aethra                      B. Eurypyle                      C. Laothoe                      D. Pholoe
63. Even though his brother Prometheus had warned him, he accepted Pandora as his wife  
 A. Alpheus                      B. Epimetheus                      C. Menoetius                      D. Polydorus
64. His sons pursued their cousins in order to force them to marry  
 A. Aegyptus                      B. Danaus                      C. Proetus                      D. Teleboas
65. He killed Paris  
 A. Agamemnon                      B. Menelaus                      C. Odysseus                      D. Philoctetes
66. He was given two daughters of Catreus to sell into slavery, but married one of them instead  
 A. Achaeus                      B. Idmon                      C. Nauplius                      D. Polydamas
67. His starving men ate the Cattle of Helios, earning the wrath of the god and future shipwreck  
 A. Agamemnon                      B. Jason                      C. Odysseus                      D. Teucer
68. This thief was killed by Theseus, who let go of his pine tree first, sending the thief flying  
 A. Antaeus                      B. Hicetaeon                      C. Periphetes                      D. Sinis
69. He attempted to recapture the Cretan Bull and was killed, causing a war with Athens  
 A. Androgeus                      B. Hippomenes                      C. Menoecus                      D. Polyphontes
70. He stood on the walls of Thebes and proclaimed that no one could stop him  
 A. Capaneus                      B. Iapyx                      C. Lycaon                      D. Penthilus
71. He raped his own daughter in order to produce the instrument of his revenge  
 A. Aegimius                      B. Eumelus                      C. Menestheus                      D. Thyestes
72. This king of the Tauri was kind to Iphigenia, so she asks her brother to spare him  
 A. Aristaeus                      B. Hyettus                      C. Pittheus                      D. Thoas
73. He lay with Demeter in a thrice-plowed field and fathered Plutus  
 A. Arges                      B. Iasion                      C. Lausus                      D. Schedius
74. She became Achilles' lover and bore him a child while he hid at the court of Lycomedes  
 A. Euipe                      B. Laodameia                      C. Pyrrha                      D. Themiste
75. The *Iliad* ends with this event  
 A. Death of Achilles                      B. Fall of Troy                      C. Hector's Funeral Games                      D. Helen's Return to Sparta
76. This ally of Turnus was killed in battle by an arrow and avenged by order of Diana  
 A. Camilla                      B. Iapys                      C. Mezentius                      D. Venulus
77. This centaur tried to show hospitality to Heracles but a riot ensued  
 A. Bienor                      B. Eurytion                      C. Pholus                      D. Tanaus
78. He did not return in time to his lover Phyllis, so she hanged herself, becoming an almond tree  
 A. Acamas                      B. Dexamenus                      C. Melaneus                      D. Thalpius

79. He brought the robe of Nessus to Heracles and was killed for it  
 A. Cedalion                      B. Iphicles                      C. Lichas                      D. Phorbas
80. He supplants his half-brother from the throne of Iolcus and took his place  
 A. Althaemenes                      B. Catreus                      C. Pelias                      D. Sidorus
81. The gods gave him the immortal horses Balius and Xanthus as a present for a special occasion  
 A. Admetus                      B. Cadmus                      C. Peleus                      D. Priam
82. This king of Salamis has myths associated with a snake; he appeared to the Greek fleet there  
 A. Cychreus                      B. Erginus                      C. Oileus                      D. Temeneus
83. Son of Apollo and Psamathe, wild dogs killed him when he was exposed to die  
 A. Aristeeas                      B. Cerambus                      C. Linus                      D. Triops
84. This Danaid went searching for water; Poseidon rescued her from a lusty satyr  
 A. Amyone                      B. Ilione                      C. Neaera                      D. Praxithea
85. Punished in the Underworld, he sits eternally plaiting a rope of straw while his donkey eats it  
 A. Eurydamas                      B. Leodocus                      C. Ocnus                      D. Telemenus
86. He seduced the wife of Idomenus and assumed the rule of Crete  
 A. Aegisthus                      B. Iarbas                      C. Leucus                      D. Sychaeus
87. Pelops treacherously killed this king of Arcadia; his limbs scattered, he cursed the region  
 A. Amphidamas                      B. Iphitus                      C. Polypemon                      D. Stymphalus
88. He kills Sidero as she clung to the altar of Hera for sanctuary, thus earning the wrath of Hera  
 A. Ancaeus                      B. Ialmenus                      C. Pelias                      D. Teleboas
89. Concubine of Ajax, she bore a son named Eurysaces  
 A. Arisbe                      B. Chrysothemis                      C. Merope                      D. Tecmessa
90. This king of Elaeus sacrificed a girl yearly to avoid plague, but refused to offer his daughter  
 A. Agamedes                      B. Demophon                      C. Lycastus                      D. Periander
91. Son of Perseus and father of Eurystheus  
 A. Agathenes                      B. Codrus                      C. Leonteus                      D. Sthenelus
92. Herald of the Argonauts, he retained his memory in the Underworld  
 A. Aethalides                      B. Halistheres                      C. Pleithenes                      D. Sphaerus
93. These islands were called the Floating Islands, they moved around  
 A. Balearic                      B. Cyclades                      C. Planctae                      D. Telchines
94. She was the wife of Acastus; she falsely accused Peleus of improper advances  
 A. Astydameia                      B. Caliadne                      C. Merope                      D. Polymede
95. This nymph and daughter of Atlas temporarily became a doe  
 A. Aeolia                      B. Hypanis                      C. Melantho                      D. Taygete
96. He was a loyal servant to blind Phineus; he was grateful because the prophet had cured him  
 A. Aethon                      B. Cloanthus                      C. Paraebius                      D. Penelus
97. This Lydian outlaw made travelers till his vineyard until Heracles stopped him  
 A. Alcathous                      B. Glaucus                      C. Lityerses                      D. Syleus
98. This king of the Bebryces forced all strangers to box with him, until Pollux killed him  
 A. Amycus                      B. Corythus                      C. Mentis                      D. Telephus
99. This swift footed Argonaut could run on top the waves of the sea  
 A. Adberus                      B. Euphemus                      C. Leitus                      D. Proetus
100. Son of Hippothoe and Poseidon, he was the father of Pterelaus  
 A. Alcimedon                      B. Eurulus                      C. Mecisteus                      D. Taphius