

## 2012 TEXAS STATE JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE MYTHOLOGY TEST

**DIRECTIONS:** Please mark the letter of the correct answer on your scantron answer sheet.

1. The myrtle and the dove are her symbols  
(A) Amphitrite      (B) Aphrodite      (C) Artemis      (D) Athena
2. His wife left him and ran off to Troy with Paris; he was not happy about it and got some help  
(A) Agamemnon      (B) Diomedes      (C) Menelaus      (D) Odysseus
3. This deity was the only one who worked; god of the Forge and Blacksmiths  
(A) Apollo      (B) Hephaestus      (C) Mercury      (D) Neptune
4. He went searching for a bride and found Persephone  
(A) Aeacus      (B) Hades      (C) Poseidon      (D) Vulcan
5. Half man, half goat, he was the patron of shepherds  
(A) Aeolus      (B) Morpheus      (C) Pan      (D) Triton
6. He attempted to win the contest as Patron of Athens, but lost to Athena  
(A) Apollo      (B) Hephaestus      (C) Hermes      (D) Poseidon
7. He performs Twelve Labors for his cousin as penance for crimes committed while mad  
(A) Aegeus      (B) Heracles      (C) Jason      (D) Theseus
8. As punishment for opposing Zeus, he holds the Heavens on his shoulders  
(A) Atlas      (B) Epimetheus      (C) Oceanus      (D) Prometheus
9. Son of Zeus, king of Crete, he ordered the Labyrinth built to house the Minotaur  
(A) Alpheus      (B) Enipeus      (C) Minos      (D) Peleus
10. This wise centaur taught many heroes, including Achilles  
(A) Chiron      (B) Eurytion      (C) Nessus      (D) Pholus
11. She was the Muse of Comedy  
(A) Amphitrite      (B) Euphrosyne      (C) Macaria      (D) Thalia
12. She rode a white bull from her homeland to Crete and bore Zeus three sons  
(A) Danae      (B) Europa      (C) Leda      (D) Semele
13. Heracles captured a giant boar from this mountain  
(A) Cithaeron      (B) Erymanthus      (C) Latmos      (D) Pelion
14. She was turned into a heifer to hide her from Hera  
(A) Alcmena      (B) Io      (C) Merope      (D) Thetis

15. Theseus faced this murderer and defeated him, kicking him over the cliff  
(A) Cacus                      (B) Geryon                      (C) Ladon                      (D) Sceiron
16. This three headed dog guards the gates of the Underworld  
(A) Cerberus                      (B) Echidna                      (C) Hydra                      (D) Typhoeus
17. He was killed trying to recapture the Marathon Bull  
(A) Androgeus                      (B) Cepheus                      (C) Melanippus                      (D) Telamon
18. He was the good friend and constant companion of Achilles  
(A) Achates                      (B) Diomedes                      (C) Mimas                      (D) Patroclus
19. He is condemned to roll a stone up a hill, only to have it roll back, and then he starts over  
(A) Autolycus                      (B) Ixion                      (C) Orion                      (D) Sisyphus
20. These were the spirits of trees, their lives were tied to the trees  
(A) Dryads                      (B) Nereids                      (C) Oreads                      (D) Telchines
21. This river-god fought with Heracles for the hand of Deianira, losing a horn in the struggle  
(A) Achelous                      (B) Cayster                      (C) Peneus                      (D) Scamander
22. He was the leader of the Greek army at Troy  
(A) Achilles                      (B) Agamemnon                      (C) Menelaus                      (D) Odysseus
23. He killed the Calydonian Boar  
(A) Aeacus                      (B) Heracles                      (C) Meleager                      (D) Theseus
24. He built the Labyrinth for the king of Crete; eventually he was confined there himself  
(A) Daedalus                      (B) Iapix                      (C) Perdix                      (D) Talos
25. This is the River of Forgetfulness in the Underworld  
(A) Acheron                      (B) Cocytus                      (C) Lethe                      (D) Phlegethon
26. He loved Antigone and could not handle the unfair sentence carried out on her  
(A) Cleitus                      (B) Haemon                      (C) Mantius                      (D) Peneleus
27. Helios disguised himself as her mother to gain entrance to her bedroom; she became a shrub  
(A) Clytie                      (B) Leucothoe                      (C) Messene                      (D) Pancratis
28. When all the other men of Lemnos were killed, she protected her father; later exiled for this  
(A) Deidameia                      (B) Hypsipyle                      (C) Medea                      (D) Pasiphae
29. These thievish creatures attacked Heracles and were captured by him; later became monkeys  
(A) Abantes                      (B) Cercopes                      (C) Morlochs                      (D) Telchines
30. Heracles left the Expedition of the Argonauts in search of this youth  
(A) Cyathus                      (B) Eunomus                      (C) Hylas                      (D) Porthaon

31. He was wary of Perseus when he arrived seeking shelter; he was petrified by the son of Zeus  
(A) Atlas                      (B) Lynceus                      (C) Oenomaus                      (D) Stentor
32. After the fall of Troy, he founded the city of Buthrotum in Epeirus  
(A) Diomedes                      (B) Helenus                      (C) Meriones                      (D) Teucer
33. He carried Deianira across a swollen river, intending to abduct her, but Heracles shot him  
(A) Bienor                      (B) Eurytion                      (C) Nessus                      (D) Pholus
34. This Greek liar tricked the Trojans into taking the Horse into the city  
(A) Anthemion                      (B) Dolon                      (C) Sinon                      (D) Thersites
35. He accidentally killed his pet deer; he grieved so much that Apollo changed him into a tree  
(A) Cyparissus                      (B) Evenus                      (C) Lindus                      (D) Polydorus
36. The Greeks needed this warrior at Troy; when he arrived, Machaon healed his wound  
(A) Cebriones                      (B) Eurypylus                      (C) Philoctetes                      (D) Teucer
37. Cronus lay with her in the form of a stallion; that is why the union produced Cheiron  
(A) Argippe                      (B) Hynetho                      (C) Philyra                      (D) Phoebe
38. This daughter of Iobates married Bellerophon and gave him three sons  
(A) Alphaea                      (B) Lampetie                      (C) Philonoe                      (D) Teledice
39. He was a king of the Laestrygonians  
(A) Antiphates                      (B) Entellus                      (C) Lycodorus                      (D) Periphas
40. This brother of Plutus, the god of wealth, did alright for himself, inventing the wagon  
(A) Amphidamas                      (B) Eudorus                      (C) Maeon                      (D) Philomelus
41. She was the mother by Telamon of Ajax  
(A) Astypalea                      (B) Eriboea                      (C) Lysidice                      (D) Polydora
42. He killed Canthus, an Argonaut who stole some of his sheep; the Argonauts then killed him  
(A) Caphaurus                      (B) Halesus                      (C) Miletus                      (D) Pittheus
43. It was said that this god appeared to Phidipides running to Athens from Marathon  
(A) Apollo                      (B) Heracles                      (C) Hermes                      (D) Pan
44. Out of jealousy of Niobe, she plotted against her, but instead killed her own son Itylus  
(A) Aedon                      (B) Emathia                      (C) Idaea                      (D) Philonoe
45. This son of Atalanta was one of the Seven Against Thebes and died there  
(A) Asterius                      (B) Callistratus                      (C) Ibycus                      (D) Parthenopaeus
46. Daughter of Phoroneus, she was said to be the first mortal woman loved by Zeus  
(A) Canace                      (B) Niobe                      (C) Periclymene                      (D) Taygete

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47. Having displaced Augeias, king of Elis, Heracles placed this son of Augeias on the throne  
(A) Amphictyon (B) Cisseus (C) Licymnius (D) Phyleus
48. While still a bridegroom, he was killed for some mysterious reason by Apollo  
(A) Acastus (B) Dymas (C) Polyorthis (D) Rhexenor
49. This seer was father to the more well-known seer Mopsus  
(A) Ampycus (B) Hippocrates (C) Metion (D) Polypoetes
50. When Iphigenia was exiled to the land of the Tauri, this king was kind to her  
(A) Agrius (B) Lichas (C) Onchestus (D) Thoas
51. Who asked Zeus to allow the Trojans to win for a while in order to punish the Greeks  
(A) Artemis (B) Athena (C) Hera (D) Thetis
52. Agamemnon wields a scepter given by Hermes to this individual  
(A) Aegeus (B) Cadmus (C) Minos (D) Pelops
53. Who killed 49 ambushers, sparing only one to carry the news of their failure  
(A) Ajax Telamon (B) Diomedes (C) Odysseus (D) Teucer
54. Who wounded Diomedes  
(A) Aeneas (B) Hector (C) Pandarus (D) Paris
55. The river-god Scamander attacked Achilles; who stopped him and rescued Achilles  
(A) Apollo (B) Athena (C) Hephaestus (D) Poseidon
56. Athena assumed this shape to appear to Penelope in a dream, saying Telemachus was safe  
(A) Bateia (B) Iphthime (C) Menodice (D) Polymede
57. The disguised Odysseus warns him, the best of the suitors, to go home while he can  
(A) Amphinomus (B) Eurybates (C) Leonteus (D) Telebotes
58. By means of this special herb, Odysseus is able to withstand Circe's magic potions  
(A) aconite (B) dittany (C) moly (D) poppy
59. Odysseus received a quantity of wine from this priest at Ismarus, which later came in handy  
(A) Amarynceus (B) Diores (C) Maron (D) Polyphides
60. He was a faithful cattle herdsman of Odysseus  
(A) Acarnan (B) Deimachus (C) Melanthius (D) Philoetius
61. Father of Dido  
(A) Belus (B) Deiphontes (C) Lycus (D) Periphas
62. Who chased the Harpies as far as the Strophades Islands  
(A) Boreadae (B) Ephemus (C) Hermes (D) Perieres

63. Juno bribed Aeolus with this nymph so his winds would sink the Trojan refugee fleet  
(A) Deiopea (B) Helice (C) Manto (D) Polydora
64. Eldest daughter of Priam  
(A) Cretheus (B) Ilione (C) Mestra (D) Stilbe
65. He killed Priam, who was clinging to the altar of Zeus the night Troy fell  
(A) Agamemnon (B) Menelaus (C) Odysseus (D) Pyrrhus
66. He attempted to test his wife's fidelity in disguise, but greatly offended her instead  
(A) Antion (B) Cephalus (C) Lysimachus (D) Theiodamas
67. *Aeneid IX*: Iulus drew blood for the first time in combat when he killed this Rutulian  
(A) Aphareus (B) Eurysaces (C) Numanus (D) Ucalegon
68. *Iliad XVI*: This mortal horse of Achilles was killed by Sarpedon  
(A) Aethon (B) Balius (C) Lampus (D) Pedasus
69. *Odyssey II*: This son of Phronius provided the ship that Telemachus used to get to Pylos  
(A) Euphorbus (B) Noemon (C) Phrontis (D) Thrasytelus
70. *Metamorphoses XII*: This centaur was the beloved of Hylonome; they died together  
(A) Cyllarus (B) Eurytion (C) Lityerses (D) Staphylus

**TIE-BREAKERS:** These will be scored only to break ties. Please mark them as #96-#100.

96. King of Crete, he led troops to Troy and fought valiantly with the Greeks  
(A) Ancaeus (B) Idomeneus (C) Menoecus (D) Periphas
97. King of Athens, son of Erichthonius, and father of Procne  
(A) Aristomachus (B) Cretheus (C) Hyettus (D) Pandion
98. He emigrated in order to avoid killing his father as prophesied, to no avail, it occurred  
(A) Althaemenes (B) Isander (C) Lampus (D) Thaumias
99. Along with her sisters, she was driven mad by Dionysus, cured by Melampus  
(A) Arsinoe (B) Iphinoe (C) Nicippe (D) Phaedima
100. This king of Elis always excluded his daughter from the lottery for annual virgin sacrifice  
(A) Demophon (B) Iphidamas (C) Mastusius (D) Schoeneus