

2013 TEXAS STATE JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE MYTHOLOGY TEST

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

1. God of the sea, known as Earth-Shaker
(A) Apollo (B) Hermes (C) Poseidon (D) Zeus
2. She opened a box, releasing much evil upon the world
(A) Antigone (B) Leda (C) Pandora (D) Thisbe
3. On the day he was born, he stole his brother's cattle, and he invented many things
(A) Apollo (B) Dionysus (C) Hermes (D) Poseidon
4. Goddess of the Hunt and the Moon
(A) Artemis (B) Ceres (C) Eos (D) Gaia
5. He was destined for a short life and a glorious death at Troy
(A) Achilles (B) Agamemnon (C) Ajax Locris (D) Menelaus
6. Goddess of the dawn, she is called Rosy-fingered
(A) Aurora (B) Athena (C) Ceres (D) Hestia
7. He gave fire to mankind and was punished, chained to a rock in the Caucasus Mountains
(A) Acarnan (B) Epimetheus (C) Morpheus (D) Prometheus
8. She and her husband Philemon welcomed the disguised Zeus and Hermes to their home
(A) Baucis (B) Laodice (C) Oeonone (D) Semiramis
9. When her daughter was abducted, she wandered the earth and searched for her
(A) Artemis (B) Demeter (C) Hera (D) Hestia
10. He valiantly defended his home city of Troy, dying at the hands of Achilles
(A) Antilochus (B) Diomedes (C) Hector (D) Sarpedon
11. She faithfully waited for her husband to return from the Trojan War
(A) Clytemnestra (B) Hesione (C) Leuconoe (D) Penelope
12. He and his brother Pollux were the Gemini twins, loved by sailors
(A) Aloeus (B) Castor (C) Lynceus (D) Pelias
13. She was the Muse of the Dance
(A) Aglaea (B) Evadne (C) Megara (D) Terpsichore
14. He was the Pine-Bender; Theseus ended his evil deeds and killed him with his own methods
(A) Antaeus (B) Cacus (C) Lityrses (D) Sinis
15. When he was an infant, snakes were sent to his crib to kill him, but he killed them instead
(A) Achilles (B) Heracles (C) Meleager (D) Tantalus

16. Which of these is not a sea deity or an Old Man of the Sea
(A) Alcaeus (B) Nereus (C) Proteus (D) Triton
17. She gave Theseus a ball of twine, which he used to retrace his steps and escape the Labyrinth
(A) Ariadne (B) Jocasta (C) Merope (D) Phaedra
18. She had a fabulous jeweled girdle that was the object of a Labor of Heracles
(A) Arsinoe (B) Deidameia (C) Hippolyte (D) Pirene
19. She turned the crew of Odysseus into swine
(A) Arne (B) Circe (C) Medea (D) Pasiphae
20. He ignored his father's warnings and flew too close to the sun; his wings melted
(A) Athamas (B) Icarus (C) Lynceus (D) Tenes
21. An Underworld goddess; associated with Persephone and also Artemis as a moon goddess
(A) Calyпсо (B) Hecate (C) Maia (D) Themis
22. Apollo loved this youth, who was killed by a stray discus sent off course by a jealous wind
(A) Ascanius (B) Hyacinthus (C) Narcissus (D) Temenus
23. The queen of Lemnos, she welcomed Jason and the Argonauts to her island
(A) Arete (B) Hypsipyle (C) Lysippe (D) Themiste
24. Falsely accused of assaulting his stepmother; cursed by his father, his horses went wild, & he died
(A) Arbelus (B) Hippolytus (C) Melaneus (D) Sthenelus
25. He prayed to his father Zeus to populate his island; ants became men, hard workers and warriors
(A) Aeacus (B) Cadmus (C) Menoetius (D) Telamon
26. This Trojan spy was captured, interrogated by Odysseus & Diomedes, and executed by Diomedes
(A) Dolon (B) Iphitus (C) Oebalus (D) Sinon
27. He and his brother rescued their younger, kidnapped sister and took her home
(A) Celeus (B) Haemon (C) Lysander (D) Pollux
28. He kills Achilles with an arrow to his only vulnerable spot, his heel
(A) Aeneas (B) Deiphobus (C) Hector (D) Paris
29. To punish Minos, Poseidon cursed her and she developed an unnatural passion for a bull
(A) Alcyone (B) Iphinoe (C) Metaniera (D) Pasiphae
30. Angered at the unjust death of his son, he caused trouble among the Greeks at home
(A) Capharaus (B) Nauplius (C) Peleus (D) Telamon
31. He ruled Thebes as regent after the death of Eteocles and issued harsh orders
(A) Alcinous (B) Creon (C) Iobates (D) Pentheus
32. He used Demeter's winged dragon chariot to spread the gift of agriculture
(A) Evenus (B) Menippus (C) Pyreneus (D) Triptolemus

33. Achilles wept when he saw the body of this beautiful Amazon whom he had just killed
(A) Antiope (B) Camilla (C) Opis (D) Penthesilea
34. When Cadmus sowed dragon's teeth, these armed men grew from the ground & fought each other
(A) Bebryces (B) Eloi (C) Myrmidons (D) Spartoi
35. He betrayed the trust of Priam and killed his son to steal his treasure; Hecuba blinded him for it
(A) Antiphates (B) Dexamenus (C) Lycomedes (D) Polymnestor
36. This king of the Taurians was kind to Iphigenia; she asked her brother to spare him because of it
(A) Anthemium (B) Canthus (C) Lycomachus (D) Thoas
37. He and his brother tried to reach the gods on Olympus by piling Pelion on Ossa
(A) Alopeus (B) Encendalus (C) Otus (D) Typhoeus
38. Pelops killed this charioteer with whom he had an understanding that led to his victory
(A) Automedon (B) Cebriones (C) Myrtilus (D) Strophius
39. Sister to Agamemnon and Menelaus; she was the mother of Pylades
(A) Anaxibia (B) Eidothea (C) Liriope (D) Sterope
40. He killed his half-brother Mopsus in a duel, yet later they shared a reliable oracle
(A) Amphilochous (B) Hicateon (C) Phidias (D) Telemus
41. Wife of Protesilaus, she mourned him; he visited her for three hours, she kills herself afterwards
(A) Alcyone (B) Cyllene (C) Laodameia (D) Phylomache
42. This race of men nourished Hephaestus when he fell to Lemnos and was injured
(A) Doliones (B) Hyperboreans (C) Morlochs (D) Sintians
43. This usurper seduced the wife of Idomeneus, king of Crete, and seized power
(A) Amphion (B) Eumelus (C) Leucus (D) Porthaon
44. Pursued by Priapus, she became a tree; Dryope plucked flowers from it, injuring her as a result
(A) Amphithea (B) Eurynome (C) Lotis (D) Pholoe
45. Son of Apollo and Psamathe; he was exposed by Psamathe as a baby in fear of her father's anger
(A) Alcaeus (B) Eumolpus (C) Linus (D) Phegeus
46. A Giant invulnerable in his territory of the Pallene; Heracles dragged him elsewhere & killed him
(A) Alcyoneus (B) Hippostratus (C) Mimas (D) Tectamus
47. Son of Eteocles, he ruled after his father's death; he killed the leader of the Epigoni
(A) Deiphontes (B) Iphitus (C) Laodamas (D) Pronous
48. His grandfather hid his armor so he would not go to Troy to fight; he went wearing a bearskin
(A) Ancaeus (B) Eurypylos (C) Lycus (D) Polydorus
49. One of the Seven Against Thebes, he was killed while attacking the city
(A) Elatus (B) Hippomedon (C) Menoetius (D) Phylacus

50. He was killed for his sheep by hungry Argonauts
(A) Caphaurus (B) Euneus (C) Hylas (D) Teledamas
51. This deity thrashed Artemis at Troy, spilling her arrows in the dust
(A) Athena (B) Demeter (C) Hera (D) Thetis
52. Apollo assumes the guise of this Trojan warrior, who is chased by the deceived Achilles
(A) Agenor (B) Euphemus (C) Iphitus (D) Timeas
53. He suggested to Patroclus that he borrow the armor of Achilles to frighten the Trojans
(A) Ajax (B) Menelaus (C) Nestor (D) Odysseus
54. *Iliad* Bk XVI: Zeus sent a shower of tears of blood to mark the death of this man
(A) Achilles (B) Hector (C) Patroclus (D) Sarpedon
55. He tells Achilles about Meleager delaying to save his city of Calydon from attack to inspire him
(A) Nestor (B) Odysseus (C) Patroclus (D) Phoenix
56. Opening scene of the *Odyssey*, the gods discuss the death of this man (a richly deserved death)
(A) Aegisthus (B) Ixion (C) Locrian Ajax (D) Paris
57. Athena assumes the shape of this man, a leader of the Taphians, to advise Telemachus
(A) Antinous (B) Eupheithes (C) Mentis (D) Thestor
58. Odysseus spared the life of this minstrel, who had played for the suitors unwillingly
(A) Acastus (B) Icalymenus (C) Menoetes (D) Phemios
59. *Odyssey* BK II: He told the suitors & the Ithacan council that the omen of eagles was foreboding
(A) Broteas (B) Halitherses (C) Mopsus (D) Tiresias
60. He was the most pleasing and agreeable suitor; he was the second suitor killed by Odysseus
(A) Amphinous (B) Eurymachus (C) Metabus (D) Polyboetes
61. He escaped the destruction of Troy, sailed to Italy, and founded Padua
(A) Antenor (B) Deiphobus (C) Helenus (D) Troilus
62. This old boxer defeated young Dares at the funeral games of Anchises
(A) Amycus (B) Entellus (C) Nyctimus (D) Triopas
63. Who was not among the delegation of shipwrecked Trojans that greeted Dido at her court
(A) Antheus (B) Cloanthus (C) Mermerus (D) Sergestus
64. *Aeneid* BK VII: This son of Neptune was a “tamer of horses” and can’t be harmed by fire or steel
(A) Alcander (B) Halius (C) Messapus (D) Tarchon
65. Whose oracle foretold a prophecy, remembered by Latinus, of the marriage of Aeneas to Lavinia
(A) Apollo (B) Faunus (C) Themis (D) Zeus
66. Mercury tells Argus the story of this woman in order to lull him to sleep
(A) Danae (B) Io (C) Leda (D) Syrinx

67. She compared herself to Diana; the angry goddess shot her with an arrow through her tongue
(A) Chione (B) Evanippe (C) Menodice (D) Phylace
68. He would have called out to Helen if Odysseus hadn't covered his mouth in time inside the Horse
(A) Anticlus (B) Echion (C) Menestheus (D) Portheus
69. This follower of Diomedes insulted Venus and was changed into a bird
(A) Acmon (B) Iphiclus (C) Myagro (D) Phoroneus
70. He gave Odysseus arrow poison after Ilus had reused it to him
(A) Anchialus (B) Carpathus (C) Isander (D) Mecisteus

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

96. This stepmother of Tyro did not believe Poseidon had seduced her and mistreated her
(A) Dirce (B) Harpina (C) Oechalia (D) Sidero
97. He was a helmsman of the Argo
(A) Clymenus (B) Echemus (C) Maron (D) Tiphys
98. Like her sisters Clytemnestra and Helen, she deserted her husband and ran off with her lover
(A) Deipyle (B) Hilaeira (C) Lysimache (D) Timandra
99. The ignominious defeat of Calchas in prophecy by this seer caused his death by embarrassment
(A) Amphilocheus (B) Etarchus (C) Mopsus (D) Telemus
100. He and his brothers were shipwrecked on their way to Orchamenus, Jason rescued them
(A) Argus (B) Capys (C) Hippocoon (D) Pandion