

### 2010 GJCL MYTHOLOGY EXAM

FILL IN the first four blocks of the SCANTRON SHEET with YOUR OWN four-digit code and the next four blocks with the code for THIS EXAM –1006. FILL IN COMPLETELY the space on the answer sheet corresponding to the correct answer for each question. DO NOT WRITE ON THE EXAM ITSELF.

- Which of the following is **not** a child of Gaia and Uranus?  
a. Oceanus      b. Prometheus      c. Cronus      d. Hyperion
- Which of the following is **not** part of the Chimaera?  
a. A goat      b. A lion      c. A snake      d. An eagle
- Who had hundred heads?  
a. Typhoeus      b. The Cyclopes      c. The Hydra      d. The Hecatonchires
- Who assisted Zeus in the birth of Athena?  
a. Hera      b. Eileithyia      c. Artemis      d. Hephaestus
- All of the following are Zeus' children except \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. the Muses      b. the Graeae      c. the Horae      d. the Graces
- Who is the mother of the Muses?  
a. Mnemosyne      b. Metis      c. Themis      d. Tethys
- Poseidon is **not** associated with \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. earthquakes      b. bulls      c. horses      d. hurricanes
- \_\_\_\_\_ was the god of the blacksmiths.  
a. Poseidon      b. Hades      c. Hephaestus      d. Apollo
- The bird associated with Hera is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. the eagle      b. the peacock      c. the sparrow      d. the owl
- Demeter's Roman name is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Ceres      b. Vesta      c. Proserpina      d. Diana
- Pan's musical instrument was \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. the flute      b. the panpipe      c. the drum      d. the lyre
- Poseidon was married to \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Amphitrite      b. Pasiphae      c. Ariadne      d. Leto
- Which of the following is not associated with Apollo?  
a. Delos      b. Delphi      c. Cumae      d. Cythera
- Apollo loved all of the following except \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Callisto      b. Cassandra      c. Sibyl      d. Coronis
- Which of these gods is not usually represented with a bow?  
a. Eros      b. Artemis      c. Apollo      d. Hermes
- Hermes was the son of Zeus and \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Hera      b. Metis      c. Maia      d. Alcmena
- Dionysus is the only Olympian god who \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. has a human mother      b. is disabled      c. is half-man, half-animal      d. is ugly
- Pygmalion prayed to \_\_\_\_\_ to turn his statue into a human being.  
a. Proserpina      b. Diana      c. Minerva      d. Venus
- Niobe, after the death of all her children was turned into \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. a stone      b. a spring      c. a nightingale      d. a mulberry tree
- Actaeon was punished after seeing \_\_\_\_\_ naked.  
a. Minerva      b. his own sister      c. Diana      d. his own mother
- Arachne was proud for her ability as \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. a weaver      b. a hunter      c. a singer      d. a midwife
- Persephone was also known as \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Metaneira      b. Hecate      c. Hebe      d. Kore
- Pentheus was a cousin of \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Heracles      b. Dionysus      c. Asclepius      d. Pan
- \_\_\_\_\_, as leader of the souls into the Underworld, was called psychopompos.  
a. Thanatos      b. Hades      c. Hermes      d. Apollo
- Tityus \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. attempted to rape Leto      b. offered his son as a meal to the gods      c. deceived Death  
d. tried to rape Hera

26. Io was never \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. turned into a cow      b. persecuted by a gadfly      c. watched by Argus      d. freed by Heracles
27. Danae became pregnant through \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. a spring of water      b. a golden shower      c. a finger touch      d. a breath of air
28. What did Perseus **not** have?  
 a. An invisibility belt      b. A pouch      c. The cap of Hades      d. Winged sandals
29. Heracles' human father was \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Acrisius      b. Cadmus      c. Aegeus      d. Amphitryon
30. Alcestis agreed to \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. give up her children      b. die instead of her husband      c. become a slave of Heracles  
 d. offer her entire dowery to the gods
31. Heracles was killed by \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. a dead Centaur      b. a venomous scorpion      c. an angry slave      d. a poisoned sword
32. Theseus performed \_\_\_\_\_ labors.  
 a. three      b. six      c. nine      d. twelve
33. Aegeus died because of \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. his wife      b. his mother      c. his brother      d. his son
34. Theseus became king of \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Athens      b. Crete      c. Thebes      d. Mycenae
35. Which of the following associations is **not** correct?  
 a. Theseus/Perithous      b. Heracles/Sarpedon      c. Orestes/Pylades      d. Castor/ Polydeuces
36. Europa was kidnapped and taken to \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Thebes      b. Colchis      c. Crete      d. Delphi
37. Minos was punished for **not** sacrificing \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. a goat      b. a bull      c. a horse      d. a slave
38. Minos died \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. burned to death      b. slaughtered by his daughters      c. in his sleep      d. poisoned
39. Thebes was founded by \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. the Sphinx      b. Polybus      c. Cadmus      d. Laius
40. Oedipus died \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. at Delphi      b. at Colonus      c. at Sparta      d. at Mycenae
41. Who is Antigone trying to bury?  
 a. her father Oedipus      b. her mother Jocasta      c. her fiancé Haemon      d. her brother Polynices
42. The centaur Chiron was never the tutor of \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Jason      b. Asclepius      c. Heracles      d. Achilles
43. Medea did **not** cause the death of \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Jason's uncle      b. Her own brother      c. her own children      d. Jason himself
44. Ajax, son of Telamon, \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. committed suicide      b. died in battle      c. died of old age      d. died at sea
45. Orestes was chased by \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. the Moerae      b. the Gorgons      c. the Hesperides      d. the Erinyes
46. Hermes protects Odysseus against Circe by giving him \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. an invisibility cape      b. a sword      c. an herb      d. a potion
47. Who was the last person to recognize Odysseus?  
 a. His wife Penelope      b. His son Telemachus      c. His nurse Euryclea      d. His swineherd Eumaeus
48. Who is not one of Aeneas' women?  
 a. Creusa      b. Camilla      c. Dido      d. Lavinia
49. How does Turnus kill Pallas?  
 a. in battle      b. by accident      c. by mistake      d. in an ambush
50. Rome's first Etruscan king was \_\_\_\_\_  
 a. Numa Pompilius      b. Tarquin the Elder      c. Romulus      d. Tullus Hostilius

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1. B
2. D
3. A
4. D
5. B
6. A
7. D
8. C
9. B
10. A
11. B
12. A
13. D
14. A
15. D
16. C
17. A
18. D
19. A
20. C
21. A
22. D
23. B
24. C
25. A
26. D
27. B
28. D
29. D
30. B
31. A
32. B
33. D
34. A
35. B
36. C
37. B
38. A
39. C
40. B
41. D
42. C
43. D
44. A
45. D
46. C
47. A
48. B
49. A
50. B

