

2017 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 of 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.

1. What springs forth from Adonis' blood after he has been fatally wounded by a boar's tusk?
a. Coral b. An Anemone c. A Poppy d. A Fruit Tree
2. Who was the mother of Asclepius?
a. Metes b. Callithoë c. Dirce d. Coronis
3. Who are the Giants children of?
a. Rhea b. Athena c. Hera d. Gaia
4. On what part of his body did the Titan Atlas support the pillars that separate the Earth and the Heavens?
a. Shoulders b. Head c. Legs d. Knees
5. What animal did the goddess Artemis turn Actaeon into after he saw her naked?
a. Deer b. Fish c. Dog d. Cow
6. Who was the mother of the Minotaur?
a. Penelope b. Phaedra c. Pasiphae d. Ariadne
7. Arachne claimed to be better than Athena at what skill?
a. Singing b. Weaving c. Fighting d. Hunting
8. What was the name of the goat who nursed Zeus in his infancy, whose horn became the first cornucopia?
a. Clymene b. Amalthea c. Pyrra d. Eos
9. Which of these was not one of the Hecatonchires?
a. Cottus b. Briareus c. Typhoeus d. Gyes
10. What is the name of the Roman goddess Ceres in Greek mythology?
a. Demeter b. Hera c. Artemis d. Persephone
11. What goddess was married to the god Hephaestus?
a. Daphne b. Athena c. Hera d. Aphrodite
12. In Greek mythology, who is the personification of the sun?
a. Phaeton b. Hyperion c. Eros d. Helios
13. Who holds the caduceus?
a. Hercules b. Apollo c. Hermes d. Dionysus
14. Zeus appeared to _____ in his true form as fire and lightning, unintentionally killing her.
a. Leda b. Semele c. Io d. Themis
15. Who killed the Chimera?
a. Hercules b. Bellerophon c. Zeus d. Perseus
16. Who constructed the Labyrinth which housed the Minotaur?
a. Minos b. Icharus c. Daedalus d. Hephaestus
17. Dionysus granted Midas' wish that everything he touched be turned to _____.
a. Bronze b. Gold c. Silver d. Ivory
18. Who is not a judge in the Underworld?
a. Aeacus b. Minos c. Charon d. Radamanthus
19. Who ordered Hercules to clean the Augean Stables?
a. Eurystheus b. Augeas c. Helios d. Alcestis
20. Who guides Aeneas into the Underworld?
a. The Sibyl b. Tiresias c. Circe d. The Pythia
21. In the Underworld, which Greek hero, having been killed by his wife, warns Odysseus against women?
a. Aias b. Agamemnon c. Hercules d. Achilles
22. What is another name for Achilles' son Neoptolemus?
a. Pelion b. Astyanax c. Ajax d. Pyrrhus
23. _____ abandoned Ariadne on Naxos.
a. Theseus b. Jason c. Minos d. Dionysus
24. Euryclea, the nurse of Odysseus, recognized him by what?
a. A Birthmark b. A Scar c. His Sword d. His Dog
25. The Gorgons were the daughters of _____ and Ceto.
a. Paphos b. Oenopion c. Phorcys d. Eurytion

26. Who was the nephew and assistant of Daedalus who was turned into a partridge?
 a. Paphos b. Peneus c. Icharus d. Perdix
27. Who killed Procrustes "the stretcher"?
 a. Theseus b. Peleus c. Hercules d. Jason
28. Who was the wife of Cupid?
 a. Amor b. Venus c. Psyche d. Eros
29. Who was the mother of the Pegasus?
 a. Athena b. Aphrodite c. Medea d. Medusa
30. Who was tied to a revolving wheel as a punishment in Tartarus?
 a. Tantalus b. Sisyphus c. Ixion d. Prometheus
31. Oceanus and _____ bore the Oceanids.
 a. Thetis b. Rhea c. Gaia d. Tethys
32. Agamemnon, before departing for Troy, sacrifices his daughter _____.
 a. Iphigenia b. Antigone c. Electra d. Danae
33. Who turns into a dog following the events of the Trojan War?
 a. Andromache b. Hecuba c. Polyxena d. Helen
34. _____ is the name of the loyal servant whom Odysseus encounters on Ithaca.
 a. Alcinoos b. Medon c. Telemachus d. Eumaeus
35. This Titan was the brother of Prometheus.
 a. Epimetheus b. Atlas c. Hyperion d. Hercules
36. What is another name for Aeneas' son Ascanius?
 a. Julius b. Iulus c. Astyanax d. Julian
37. Who yields a trident?
 a. Zeus b. Hermes c. Poseidon d. Athena
38. What is the name of the Greek god Hephaestus in Roman mythology?
 a. Pluto b. Mercury c. Mars d. Vulcan
39. What does Sphinx mean?
 a. "Stranger" b. "Strangler" c. "Deceiver" d. "Riddler"
40. _____ was the leader of the Lapiths who defeated the Centaurs at his wedding to Deidamia.
 a. Pholus b. Theseus c. Pirithoüs d. Ixion
41. What does the name Pentheus mean?
 a. "Father" b. "Sorrow" c. "Defeat" d. "Happiness"
42. What is the name for the river of "Forgetfulness" in the underworld?
 a. Lethe b. Styx c. Charon d. Cocytus
43. In Hades Persephone ate a(n) _____, which required that she remain there for part of the year.
 a. Pomegranate b. Apple c. Grape d. Olive
44. Who was the Roman god of bridges, entrances, and archways?
 a. Vulcan b. Mars c. Jupiter d. Janus
45. Who is the cupbearer to the gods whose name means "youthful bloom"?
 a. Dirce b. Hebe c. Hecate d. Eurydice
46. _____ was the Trojan spy killed by Odysseus.
 a. Euryalus b. Patroclus c. Dolon d. Gorgythion
47. _____ was born from the thigh of Zeus.
 a. Dionysus b. Athena c. Hercules d. Apollo
48. Rejecting Apollo's advances, Daphne turned into what?
 a. A Meadow b. Ivory c. A Laurel Tree d. An Olive Tree
49. Hera turns Io into what animal?
 a. A Cow b. A Bull c. An Ox d. A Deer
50. Who was not a child of Helios?
 a. Phaethon b. Pasiphae c. Circe d. Eurydice

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32. A
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35. A
36. B
37. C
38. D
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41. B
42. A
43. A
44. D
45. B
46. C
47. A
48. C
49. A
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