

FJCL State Latin Forum 2002 Mythology

1. Who was the god of song and prophesy?
a. Zeus b. Hermes c. Apollo d. Ares
2. Who was the son of Zeus and Alcmene?
a. Iphicles b. Amphitryon c. Sthenelus d. Heracles
3. What daughter of Priam and Hecuba, was beloved of Apollo?
a. Laodamia b. Polyxena c. Ilione d. Cassandra
4. Where did Dido live before she founded Carthage?
a. Tyre b. Gaza c. Iolcos d. Joppa
5. Who was the son of Danae?
a. Perseus b. Pelops c. Pelorus d. Periphetes
6. Most myths say that Heracles killed the Thespian Lion. Who else is said to have killed it?
a. Admetus b. Theseus c. Alcaeus d. Nausithous
7. Odysseus and Agax the Greater fought over the armor of which hero?
a. Patroclus b. Achilles c. Hector d. Glaucus
8. What was Orion's occupation?
a. Hunter b. Bard c. Priest d. Herald
9. Who was the first person of the Greek fleet to touch Trojan soil?
a. Achilles b. Pyrrhus c. Protesilaus d. Procles
10. What was the occupation of Linus?
a. Musician b. Cowherd c. Ship Builder d. Charioteer
11. What daughter of Athamas and Nephele drowned?
a. Salmacis b. Helle c. Clytemnestra d. Clytie
12. Who was the husband of Procris?
a. Cephalus b. Troilus c. Priapus d. Pelias
13. What Roman god was associated with the Greek god Cronus?
a. Picus b. Mars c. Neptune d. Saturn
14. What sea deity did Ino's son, Melicertes, become?
a. Ceto b. Palaemon c. Pontus d. Zeus
15. Who was Oenomaus' charioteer?
a. Myrtilus b. Eniopeus c. Arceptolemus d. Cebriones
16. Who was Amulius' chief shepherd who found Romulus and Remus?
a. Eurytion b. Philoetius c. Faustulus d. Menoetes
17. In some myths, ____ is not considered a child of Zeus and Hera.
a. Eileithyia b. Ares c. Hephaestus d. Hebe

18. Theseus killed_____, also known as Pityocampes or the Pine-Bender.
a. Periphetes b. Sceiron c. Sinis d. Cercyon
19. This Argonaut heard the Sirens, but lived because Aphrodite rescued him
a. Jason b. Admetus c. Periclymenus d. Butes
20. Who was the king of the winds?
a. Zephyrus b. Aeolus c. Astraeus d. Boreas
21. What city did Antenor found?
a. Alba Long b. Padua c. Buthrotum d. Acesta
22. Which of the following was NOT a prophet?
a. Aesacus b. Tiresias c. Medus d. Calchas
23. What Amazon queen fought in the Trojan War?
a. Penthesilea b. Hippolyta c. Antiope d. Melaiippe
24. To what group did Hermes' mother belong?
a. Danaids b. Pleiades c. Oceanides d. Heliades
25. Who was the father of Hypsipyle, the queen of the Lemnians?
a. Teucer b. Thoas c. Theristes d. Thessalus
26. Eurystheus imposed a labor for Heracles to please his daughter Admete.
Which labor was it?
a. Retrieve the golden apples b. Clean the Augeian stables
c. Capture the Cerynitian Hind d. Fetch the girdle of Hippolyta
27. Who was the herdsman of Hades?
a. Eurytion b. Menoetes c. Melantheus d. Eumaus
28. What daughter of Agenor and Telephasa was loved by Zeus?
a. Europa b. Dione c. Alcmene d. Niobe
29. Which of these is not an epithet or name for Cybele?
a. Dindymene b. Agdistis c. Magna Mater d. Nana
30. What troublesome giants are the sons of Poseidon and Iphimedia?
a. Alcioneus and Porphyryion b. Otus and Ephialtes
c. Enceladus and Pallas d. Agrius and Thoas
31. What sea creature was the mother of the Gorgons, the Graeae, Echidna, and Ladon?
a. Chaos b. Tethys c. Eunomia d. Ceto
32. Which of these Cyclopes did NOT Make Zeus' thunderbolts?
a. Brontes b. Steropes c. Polyphemus d. Arges
33. Adrastus owned the swift horse_____, offspring of Demeter and Poseidon.
a. Pegasus b. Balius c. Caerus d. Arion
34. Who invented the flute (or the double flute)?
a. Marsyas b. Apollo c. Hermes d. Athena

35. Thetis was not the only female who was destined to bear a son greater than his father. What goddess was swallowed by Zeus because he heard a similar prophecy about her?
a. Metis b. Dione c. Leto d. Mnemosyne
36. Which of these men was not a member of the Seven Against Thebes?
a. Polyneices b. Tydeus c. Adrastus d. Diomedes
37. What seer cured King Phylacus' son Iphiclus of impotence?
a. Theoclymenus b. Melampus c. Calchas d. Teiresias
38. What nymph was abandoned by Paris after Aphrodite promised him Helen?
a. Oenone b. Clymene c. Nyctimene d. Asterope
39. What was Heracles original name?
a. Alcaeus b. Ampycus c. Actaeus d. Aegimius
40. Which of the following is not a cause of Juno's hatred for Troy:
a. The judgement of Paris
b. Jupiter's kidnap of Ganymede
c. Heracles saved the Trojan princess, Hesione
d. The prophecy that decedents of Troy would destroy Carthage
41. Who was Hypsipyle's divine, paternal grandfather?
a. Dionysius b. Zeus c. Poseidon d. Hephaestus
42. Complete this analogy: Hermes' scepter: Caduceus :: Demeter's sickle: ____.
a. Thyrsus b. Aegis c. Drepane d. Kykeon
43. To what group did the river Styx belong?
a. Nereids b. Oceanids c. Oreads d. Moirae
44. Whom did Helius seduce by disguising himself as the girl's mother?
a. Clytie b. Leucothoe c. Callisto d. Acacallis
45. Who was the steersman of Aenaes' flagship, who fell overboard?
a. Nauplius b. Ancaeus c. Palinurus d. Eurylochus
46. Which of these is not a son of Ares and Aphrodite?
a. Deimus b. Eros c. Cycnus d. Phobus
47. What relationship was Sisyphus to Athamas?
a. Father b. Uncle c. Brother d. Grandfather
48. Who was the herald of the Argonauts whose soul eventually inhabited the body of Pythagoras?
a. Admetus b. Aethalides c. Periclymenus d. Telamon
49. Who bought his way out of the Trojan War with a present of a mare to Agamemnon?
a. Gordias b. Oxylus c. Echepolus d. Cinyras
50. On which island did Helius pasture his cattle?
a. Thrinacia b. Erytheia c. Anthemoessa d. Aeaea