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2016 Academic Scholarship

Greek

Time Allowed: **1 hour and 30 minutes**
No dictionaries allowed

Instructions:

- Please answer the following questions on your answer paper:
  - How long have you been learning Greek?
  - How many lessons have you had per week?
  - Which text book have you been using?
  - What was the most recent grammatical point you have covered?
- Write your answers on **alternate** lines
- Answer as much of the paper as possible
- Vocabulary assistance is provided on a separate sheet

SECTION A

Translate the following sentences into English.

Remember to use the vocabulary sheet to help you.

1. τίς ἐθελει γαργαλιζειν δρακοντα;
2. παντες οἱ πολιται τα ζῳα τοις θεοις ἐθυον.
3. οἱ πλουσιοι τα χρηματα πολλακις κρυπτουσιν.
4. τους του βασιλεως φιλους θεραπευετε, ὠ ἰατροι.
5. οἱ᾽ Αθηναιοι μεν την σοφιαν ἐφιλουν, τον Σωκρατη δε ἀπεκτειναν.
6. δια τί τῳ κριῳ ἐλεγες;
7. μετα πολλα ἐτη οἱ πολιται την πολιν λαμβανειν οἱοι τ᾽ἠσαν.
8. οἱ μεν ᾽ Αθηναιοι κατα θαλασσαν, οἱ δε Λακαδαιμονιοι κατα γην μαχεσθαι ἠθελον.
9. πολλας ἐπιστολας τοις ἡμετεροις φιλοις γραψομεν.
10. τίς τους φυλακας φυλασσει;

Names

οἱ᾽ Αθηναιοι – The Athenians

Σωκρατης (accusative – Σωκρατη) - Socrates

οἱ Λακαδαιμονιοι – The Spartans

SECTION B

Translate the following passage into English.

Do not worry if you have not seen some endings before - do as much as you can, as credit is given for effort and intelligent guesswork. Remember to use the vocabulary sheet to guide you, but if you can think of a more appropriate English word than the one suggested do use it.

Phrixus and his sister Helle are in danger until a flying (and talking) golden ram saves them. Helle has a tragic accident during the escape, however. After Phrixus reaches safety the ram gives a very surprising speech.

ὁ οὐν κριος ‘Ελλην και Φριξον ἐφερεν. δια του οὐρανου ἐπετοντο. και γην και θαλασσαν ὑπερβησαν. ἡ ‘ Ελλη μεντοι ἀπο του κριου εἰς το ὑδωρ ἐπεσεν, και ἀπεθανεν. ὁ δε Φριξος προς την Κολχιδα ἠλθεν. ὁ της Κολχιδος βασιλευς, Αἰτης ὀνοματι, ἠν φιλιος. Φριξον φιλιως ἐδεξατο.

ἐπειτα δε ὁ κριος ἠρξατο λεγων. παντες οἱ ἀκουοντες ἐθαυμασαν. ‘νυν, ὠ Φριξε’ ἐφη, ‘δει σε θυειν με τῳ Διι.’ ὁ οὐν νεανιας, καιπερ οὐκ ἐθελων ἀποκτεινειν τον κριον, τουτο ἐπραξεν. το του κριου δερμα τῳ βασιλει ἐδωκε. ὁ βασιλευς το δερμα ἐν μεγαλῃ ὑλῃ ἐκρυπτεν. δρακων τις, ὅς οὐδεποτε καθηυδεν, το δερμα ἐφυλασσεν. χαλεποτατον οὐν ἠν το δερμα λαμβανειν.’ Ιασων μεντοι, ἀνηρ ἀνδρειος, τῃ ὠφελειᾳ Μηδειας, τουτο πρασσειν οἱος τ’ ἠν.

Names

῾Ελλη, −ης, ἡ − Helle Φριξος, −ου, ὁ − Phrixus Αἰτης, −ου, ὁ − Aeetes

Κολχις, −ιδος, ἡ − Colchis (a place) Διι – dative of the word for Zeus

᾽Ιασων, −ονος, ὁ − Jason Μηδεια, −ας, ἡ − Mede

SECTION C

Translate the following sentences into Greek. You will find that all of the vocabulary has occurred in the Greek of sections A and B.

1. The slave is writing a letter.
2. Carry the water, friends!
3. The guards were wanting to hide the animals.
4. The king of the Athenians will sacrifice to the god.
5. Who is able to kill the snakes?

SECTION D

Explain (or try to guess) the meaning of the following words, and explain how they are derived from Greek. All of the Greek words have occurred in this paper. Some of these words may contain more than one Greek word.

1. Zoo
2. Theomachy
3. Graphology
4. Thalassaphobia
5. Politics
6. Hydrotherapy
7. Dermatology
8. What does someone who is *pragmatic* focus on?
9. What form would an *epistolary* novel take?
10. If you called your son *Andrew*, how might you be hoping he turns out?

2016 Greek Scholarship – Vocabulary Help – to be printed on a separate sheet

ἀκουω – listen/hear	ἡμετερος, –α, –ον – our	οὐν – therefore
ἀνδρειος, –α, –ον – brave	θαλσσα, –ας, ἡ – sea	πας, πασα, παν – all/every
ἀνηρ, ἀνδρος ὁ – man	θαυμαζω – wonder at/admire	πιπτω (aorist – ἐπεσον) - fall
ἀπο (+gen.) – from	θεος, –ου, ὁ – god	πλουσιος, –α, –ον, – wealthy
ἀποθνησκω (aorist = ἀπεθανον) – die	θεραπευω – cure	πολις –εως, ἡ – city
ἀποκτεινω – kill	θυω – sacrifice	πολιτης, –ου, ὁ – citizen
ἀρχομαι (aorist = ἠρχομην) – begin	ἰατρος, –ου, ὁ - doctor	πολλακις – often
βασιλευς, –εως, ὁ – king	και – and και…και – both…and	πολλοι, –αι, –α – many
γαργαλιζω – tickle	καθευδω – sleep	πρασσω – do
γη, –ης, ἡ – land	καιπερ – despite	προς (+ acc.) – towards
γραφω – write	κατα (+ acc.) – by	πετομαι - fly
δει – it is necessary	κριος, –ου, ὁ – ram	σοφια, –ας, ἡ – wisdom
δερμα, δερματος το – skin/fleece	κρυπτω – hide	συ (acc. σε) – you
δεχομαι (aorist – ἐδεχομην) – welcome	λαμβανω – take/capture	τις, τινος – a certain
δια (+ gen.) – through	λεγω – say/speak	τίς, τίνος – who?
δια τί – why	μαχομαι – fight	τουτο – this (neuter)
διδομι (Aorist - ἐδοκα)– give	με (acc. of ἐγω) – me	ὑδωρ, –ατος, το – water
δρακων, δρακοντος, ὁ – snake/dragon	μεγας, μεγαλη, μεγα – big	ὑλη, –ης, ἡ – wood/forest
ἐθελω – want/be willing	μεν…δε – on the one hand… on the other hand	ὑπερβαινω (aorist – ὑπερβην) – go over
εἰμι (imperfect ἠν) – be	μεντοι – however	φερω – carry/bring
εἰς (+ acc.) – into	μετα (+acc.) – after	φιλεω – love
ἐν (+ dat.) – in	νεανιας, –ου, ὁ – young man	φιλιος, –α, –ον – friendly (adverb – φιλιως)
ἐπειτα – then	νυν – now	φιλος, –ου, ὁ – friend
ἐπιστολη, –ης, ἡ - letter	οἷος τ’ εἰμι – I am able	φυλασσω – guard
ἐρχομαι (aorist) ἠλθον – go	ὀνομα, –ατος, το – name	φυλαξ, –ακος, ὁ – guard
ἐτος, το (Plural ἐτη) – year	ὅς – who/which	χαλεπος, –η, –ον – difficult/dangerous
ἐφη – he/she said	οὐ, οὐκ, οὐχ – not	χρηματα, τα – money
ζῳον, –ου, το – animal	οὐδεποτε – never	ὠφελεια, –ας, ἡ – help