

Kamuzu Academy Lower School Certificate in Greek
Third Form – End-of-Year Test

NAME: _____

Answer all questions. 40 minutes.

FORM: _____

Part III (Prescribed Text) is worth half the available marks.

PART I Alphabet

Write in English letters:

Write in Greek letters:

e.g. *άκροπολις* _____

e.g. *Athene* _____

1 *'Ιρις* _____

6 Olympia _____

2 δραμα _____

7 Euripides _____

3 ίσοσκελης _____

8 Pythagoras _____

4 ύδρα _____

9 Hektor _____

5 το α και το ω _____

10 ng _____

PART II Grammar

a) The Definite Article

b) Use of Cases

Complete the following table:

Give two uses of the Genitive Case:

e.g. ó _____ το

e.g. _____

11 _____ την _____

14 _____

12 του _____

15 _____

13 _____ τω

c) Simple Verbs

λουω means “I wash”

Translate the following:

e.g. λουσω _____

16 λουει _____

17 λουειν _____

18 ἐλουσον _____

19 ἐλουσαν _____

20 λουσομεν _____

d) Strong Aorists

Complete the following table:

e.g. μανθανω _____ _____

21 λεγω _____ _____

22 _____ ἥλθον _____

23 _____ _____ I suffer

e) Prepositions

πολις means “city”

Translate the following:

e.g. ἀπο της πολεως

24 ἐις την πολιν

25 ἐν τῃ πολει

26 ἐκ της πολεως

f) Etymology

Write English words that derive from the Greek:

e.g. πολις “city”

27 βιος “life”

28 μανθανω “I learn”

[Clue: Think of academic subjects!]

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QUESTIONS FOR 3R AND 3S (RLH)

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Part III Prescribed Text

29 Translate the following into English:

δεύτερα δὲ τὸν χρυσὸν εἰρώτα τὸν στρεπτὸν τὸν περιαυχένιον καὶ τὰ ψέλια· ἔξηγεομένων δὲ τῶν Ἰχθυοφάγων τὸν κόσμον αὐτοῦ, γελάσας ὁ βασιλεὺς καὶ νομίσας εἶναι σφέα πέδας εἴπε ὡς παρ' ἐωսτοῖσι εἰσὶ ρωμαλεώτεραι τουτέων πέδαι.

30 Look at the following passage:

οἱ δὲ σιτέεσθαι μὲν τὸν ἄρτον εἶπον, ἔξηγησάμενοι τῶν πυρῶν τὴν φύσιν, ὄγδώκοντα δὲ ἔτεα ζόντα πλήρωμα ἀνδρὶ μακρότατον προκέεσθαι. πρὸς ταῦτα ὁ Αἰθίοψ ἔφη οὐδὲν θωμάζειν εἰ σιτεόμενοι κόπρον ἔτεα ὀλίγα ζώουσι.

Write down (in Greek) examples of the following:

- a) a word that means “bread” _____
- b) a word that means “Ethiopian” _____
- c) a word that means “eighty” _____
- d) a noun in the accusative case _____
- e) a verb in the infinitive _____
- f) a noun and a verb that have the same stem _____

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- 31 Why do you think the King of the long-lived Ethiopians says that the “bread” of the Persians is “dung”?

Give one reason.

- 32 Have you enjoyed reading the story of the Embassy of Cambyses to the King of the long-lived Ethiopians?

Write two sentences, giving two reasons, for your answer.
