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Additional materials: Answer Booklet (8 pages)



**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
- Answer Sections A and B and **either** Section C **or** Section D.
- Write your answers, in blue or black ink, in the answer booklet provided.
- Write translations on **alternate lines**.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks for each question is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total for this Paper is 100 marks.

This document consists of **8** printed pages.

Answer Section A and Section B and **either** Section C **or** Section D.

### Section A

Translate the following passage into English, writing on **alternate lines**.

*Proetus is given false information by his wife about his guest, Bellerophon, and sends him to his father-in-law, Iobates, who is to get rid of him. Iobates sets Bellerophon a seemingly impossible task, but is later won over by his courage.*

ὁ δὲ Προῖτος ἦν βασιλεὺς Τίρυνθος καὶ εἶχε γυναῖκα, Σθενέβοιαν. καὶ ποτε  
ἐξένιζε νεανίαν τινα, ὀνόματι Βελλεροφόντην. ἡ δὲ Σθενέβοια, μάλιστα φιλοῦσα  
Βελλεροφόντην, λόγους ἔπεμψε πρὸς αὐτὸν περὶ συνουσίας κρυπτήs.

ἐπεὶ δὲ Βελλεροφόντης οὐκ ἤθελε, Σθενέβοια εἶπε τῷ ἀνδρὶ ὅτι ὁ νεανίας  
ἠπέιλησε κακὰ ποιήσειν ἐαυτήν. καὶ Προῖτος, αὐτῇ πιστεύων, ἔδωκε Βελλεροφόντη  
ἐπιστολὴν φέρειν εἰς Ἰοβάτην, ἐν ἧ ἔγραψεν ὅτι δεῖ ἀποκτεῖναι αὐτόν.

καὶ Ἰοβάτης, ἀναγνοὺς ταύτην, προσέταξε Βελλεροφόντη φονεῦσαι τὴν Χίμαιραν.  
τοῦτο δὲ τὸ θηρίον, δεινότατον ὄν, πῦρ ἔπνει καὶ πάντα διέφθειρεν.

ἀλλὰ Βελλεροφόντης, ἀναβὰς ἐπὶ τὸν Πήγασον, ὃς ἦν πετηνὸς ἵππος, καὶ  
πτόμενος εἰς ὕψος κατετόξευσε τὴν Χίμαιραν. μετὰ δὲ ταῦτα ἐποίησε πολλὰ καὶ  
ἄλλα ἔργα ἀνδρειότατα.

Ἰοβάτης οὖν ἐθαύμαζε τὴν ἀρετὴν αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀποθνήσκων κατέλιπε τὴν βασιλείαν  
αὐτῷ.

based on APOLLODORUS The Library II, III.

## Names:

<i>Προΐτος, Προΐτου, ὁ</i>	Proetus
<i>Τίρυνς, Τίρυνθος, ἡ</i>	Tiryns
<i>Σθενέβοια, Σθενεβοίας, ἡ</i>	Stheneboea
<i>Βελλεροφόντης, Βελλεροφόντου, ὁ</i>	Bellerophon
<i>Ιοβάτης, Ιοβάτου, ὁ</i>	Iobates (king and father of Stheneboea)
<i>Χίμαιρα, Χιμαίρας, ἡ</i>	the Chimaera
<i>Πήγασος, Πηγάσου, ὁ</i>	Pegasus

## Vocabulary:

<i>ποτε</i>	once	<i>ἀναβαίνω</i>	I mount, get up on
<i>ξενίζω</i>	I entertain as a guest	<i>πετηνός, πετηνή, πετηνόν</i>	winged
<i>συνουσία, συνουσίας, ἡ</i>	a meeting	<i>πτόμενος</i>	having flown
<i>κρυπτός, κρυπτή, κρυπτόν</i>	secret	<i>εἰς ὕψος</i>	high up
<i>ἀπειλέω</i>	I threaten	<i>κατατοξεύω</i>	I shoot down, shoot dead
<i>ἀναγνούς (nom.)</i>	having read	<i>ἀρετή, ἀρετῆς, ἡ</i>	courage
<i>προστάσσω (+ dat.)</i>	order	<i>καταλείπω</i>	I leave (in a will), bequeath
<i>θηρίον, θηρίου, τό</i>	monster	<i>βασιλεία, βασιλείας, ἡ</i>	kingdom
<i>πνέω</i>	I breathe, breathe out		

[Total: 30]

## Section B

Read the following passage and answer the questions which follow.

*Themistocles is on a journey in Asia when he receives a divine warning about an ambush by some Pisidians. Since he and his followers are prepared and the Pisidians make a mistake, he escapes death.*

ἕως δ' ὁ Θεμιστοκλῆς ἐπορεύετο μετὰ τῶν στρατιωτῶν καὶ τῶν δούλων, ὁ 1  
σατράπης ἐκέλευσε Πισίδας τινὰς αὐτὸν λοχῶντας ἐν τῇ πόλει Λεοντοκεφάλῳ 3  
καλουμένη φονεῦσαι.

ἀλλ' ἢ τῶν θεῶν μήτηρ ἐφαίνετο τῷ Θεμιστοκλεῖ καθεύδοντι λέγουσα ταῦτα “ὦ 4  
Θεμιστόκλεις, μὴ εἰσελθῆς εἰς τὴν πόλιν ἵνα μὴ πίπτῃς εἰς τὰς τοῦ λέοντος γνάθους. 5  
ἐγὼ δ' ἀντὶ τούτου αἰτῶ τὴν θυγατέρα σοῦ.” Θεμιστοκλῆς οὖν, αἰσθόμενος τὸν 6  
κίνδυνον μέγιστον ὄντα, τὴν ὁδὸν λιπῶν κατηυλίσατο ἐν τοῖς ἀγροῖς. 7

τύχῃ δ' ὑποζύγιόν τι, τὴν σκηνήν αὐτοῦ φέρον, κατέπεσεν εἰς ποταμὸν ὥστε ἡ 8  
σκηνή διαβρόχος ἐγένετο. οἱ δὲ δούλοι αὐτὴν ἀνεκρέμασαν ἵνα ἀναψύχοιεν. 9

καὶ δι' ὀλίγου οἱ Πισίδαι ἀφίκοντο, πυθόμενοι ποῖ Θεμιστοκλῆς ἔβη. νυκτὸς δ' 10  
οὔσης, οὐ φανερῶς εἶδον καὶ τὰ ξίφη λαβόντες ἐπέδραμον ἐπὶ τὴν σκηνήν. ἐνόμιζον 12  
γὰρ αὐτὸν ἔνδον εὐρήσειν. ἀλλ' οἱ τοῦ Θεμιστοκλέους στρατιῶται προσβάλλοντες 13  
πάντας ἀπέκτειναν.

Θεμιστοκλῆς δέ, διότι ἐσώθη, πολλὰ θύσας τῇ θεᾷ ἔδωκε τὴν θυγατέρα ὡς ἱέρειαν. 14

based on PLUTARCH Themistocles XXX

Names:

Θεμιστοκλῆς, Θεμιστοκλέους, ὁ Themistocles

Πισίδαι, Πισιδῶν, οἱ Pisidians

Λεοντοκέφαλος, Λεοντοκεφάλου, ὁ Lion's Head

Vocabulary:

σατράπης, σατράπου, ὁ	satrap (governor of a Persian province)	σκηνή, σκηνής, ἡ	tent
λοχάω	I lie in wait for	διαβρόχος, διαβρόχος, διαβρόχον	very wet
λέων, λέοντος, ὁ	lion	ἀνεκρέμασα (aor.)	I hung up
γνάθος, γνάθου, ἡ	jaw	ἀναψύχω	I dry
ἀντί (+ gen.)	in return for	φανερὸς, φανερά, φανερόν	clear
τούτου (here)	this information	ἔνδον	inside
καταυλίζομαι	I set up camp	ἱέρεια, ἱερείας, ἡ	priestess
ὑποζύγιον, ὑποζυγίου, τό	pack animal		

- (a) *ἕως . . . δούλων* (line 1)  
Whom did Themistocles have with him on his journey? [2]
- (b) *ὁ σατράπης . . . φονεύσαι* (lines 1–3)  
What orders did the satrap give to the Pisidians? [2]
- (c) *ἀλλ' . . . ταῦτα* (line 4)  
Describe what happened here. [3]
- (d) *ὦ Θεμιστόκλεις . . . γνώθους* (lines 4–5)  
What advice was given to Themistocles **and** for what reason? [3]
- (e) *Θεμιστοκλῆς . . . ἀγροῖς* (lines 6–7)  
(i) What did Themistocles realise? [2]  
(ii) How did he try to prevent a disaster? [2]
- (f) *τύχη . . . ἀναψύχοιεν* (lines 8–9)  
(i) What was the pack animal's job? [1]  
(ii) What accident occurred **and** how was this dealt with? [3]
- (g) *νυκτὸς . . . εὐρήσειν* (lines 10–12)  
(i) What situation caused the Pisidians to make a mistake? [2]  
(ii) What actions did they take? [2]  
(iii) Why did they do this? [2]
- (h) *ἀλλ' οἱ . . . ἀπέκτειναν* (lines 12–13)  
What happened at this point? [2]
- (i) *Θεμιστοκλῆς . . . ἰέρειαν* (line 14)  
(i) Why was Themistocles grateful? [1]  
(ii) How did he show his gratitude? [3]

[Total: 30]

Answer **either** Section C or Section D but **not both**.

### Section C

Translate the following passage into English, writing on **alternate lines**.

*Darius, king of the Persians, on campaign in Scythia, has reached the river Ister. He leaves the Ionians (his unwilling subjects) in charge of the bridge of boats at the river crossing and goes further into Scythia. When he tries to leave, the Scythians cut off his retreat at the bridge and urge the Ionians to desert.*

ὁ δὲ Δαρείος, βουλόμενος κολάζειν τοὺς ἐνοίκους, εἰσέβαλεν εἰς τὴν Σκυθικὴν. καὶ τῆς στρατιᾶς αὐτοῦ τὸν Ἰστρον διαβάσης, ἐκέλευσε τοὺς Ἴωνας μένοντας φυλάσσειν τὰς ναῦς, ἀγγέλλων ὅτι, ἐὰν μὴ αὐτὸς ἐπανέλθῃ ἑξήκοντα ἡμερῶν, ἐξέσται αὐτοῖς ἀναχωρεῖν.

ὕστερον δέ, ἐπεὶ Δαρείος οὐκ ἐνίκησε τοὺς Σκύθας, ἔδοξεν αὐτῷ ἀπελθεῖν ἀπὸ τῆς χώρας· ἀλλ' οἱ Σκύθαι, μαθόντες τί πράσσοι καὶ τάχιστα πορευθέντες, πρῶτοι ἀφίκοντο εἰς τὴν σχεδίαν.

ἐκεῖ δ' ἐπειρῶντο πείθειν τοὺς Ἴωνας λύειν τὴν σχεδίαν· εἶπον γὰρ ὅτι αὐτοὺς οὐ χρὴ ἐνθάδε μένειν, ἀλλὰ, λύσαντας αὐτήν, οἴκαδε ἐπανελθεῖν. καὶ ἔμελλον χρήσεσθαι τῷ Δαρείῳ οὕτως κακῶς ὥστε αὐτὸν μὴ ἄλλον πόλεμον μηδέποτε ἀναιρήσεσθαι.

οἱ δ' Ἴωνες, καίπερ φοβούμενοι τὸν βασιλέα, ἤρξαντο κόπτειν τὸ τῆς σχεδίας πρῶτον μέρος, παραινοῦντες τοῖς Σκύθαις διῶξαι τοὺς πολεμίους.

ἐπεὶ δ' οἱ Πέρσαι εἰς τὸν Ἰστρον ἐπήλθον, τῶν Σκυθῶν οὐκέτι παρόντων, ἢ σχεδία αὐθις ἐξεύχθη ὑπὸ τῶν Ἴώνων. καὶ οὐδενὸς κωλύοντος, οἱ Πέρσαι ἀσφαλῶς διέβησαν. ἀλλ' εἰ οἱ Ἴωνες αὐτοῖς μὴ ἐβοήθησαν, οὐκ ἂν ἐξέφυγον.

based on HERODOTUS IV 89–142

#### Names:

<u>Δαρείος</u> , <u>Δαρείου</u> , ὁ	Darius	<u>Ἴωνες</u> , <u>Ἰώνων</u> , οἱ	the Ionians
<u>Σκυθική</u> , <u>Σκυθικῆς</u> , ἡ	Scythia	<u>Σκύθαι</u> , <u>Σκυθῶν</u> , οἱ	the Scythians
<u>Ἰστρος</u> , <u>Ἰστρου</u> , ὁ	the river Ister (Danube)	<u>Πέρσαι</u> , <u>Περσῶν</u> , οἱ	the Persians

#### Vocabulary:

ἐπανερχομαι	I return	μέρος, μέρους, τό	part
ἑξήκοντα	sixty	παραινεῶ + dat.	I advise
σχεδία, σχεδίας, ἡ	bridge of boats	οὐκέτι	no longer
οἴκαδε	home, to home	πάρειμι	I am present
χράομαι + dat.	I treat	ζεύγνυμι (aor. passive)	I join up,
ἀναιρέομαι	I start, undertake	ἐξεύχθη	reunite

[Total: 40]

## Section D

Translate the following sentences into Greek, writing on **alternate lines**.

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|---|--|------|
| 1 | The women were carrying the food from the harbour.                 | [13] |
| 2 | You persuaded the bad soldiers to <u>follow</u> the king.          | [12] |
| 3 | The leaders were so good that we trusted them.                     | [14] |
| 4 | When he had learnt this, he asked why the Athenians were fighting. | [16] |
| 5 | The men hoped they would obtain the gold in three days.            | [15] |
| 6 | If they had saved the master, they would have received many gifts. | [15] |

Vocabulary:

ἀκολουθέω + dat.

I follow

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