

2014 NJCL Greek Derivatives Test

Part 1: Identify the element from the Periodic Table.

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| 1. Cu | A. calcium | B. carbon | C. copper | D. cupidum |
| 2. He | A. helium | B. hydrogen | C. silver | D. tantalum |
| 3. Hg | A. antimony | B. gold | C. mercury | D. silver |
| 4. I | A. iatrium | B. iodine | C. iron | D. ivory |
| 5. Mg | A. magnesium | B. manganese | C. molybdenum | D. mercury |

Part 2: Which direction is indicated in the following words?

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| 6. Anatolia | A. east | B. north | C. south | D. west |
| 7. Arcturus | A. east | B. north | C. south | D. west |
| 8. Australia | A. east | B. north | C. south | D. west |
| 9. Boreas | A. east | B. north | C. south | D. west |
| 10. zephyr | A. east | B. north | C. south | D. west |

Part 3: What is studied?

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| 11. aetiology | A. agility | B. animals | C. bodies | D. causes |
| 12. cardiology | A. heart | B. liver | C. lung | D. stomach |
| 13. dermatology | A. hair | B. nails | C. skin | D. toes |
| 14. gerontology | A. fat | B. old | C. thin | D. young |
| 15. herpetology | A. birds | B. cats | C. humans | D. snakes |

Part 4: Who rules?

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| 16. androcracy | A. animal | B. female | C. human | D. male |
| 17. aristocracy | A. best | B. lazy | C. strong | D. weak |
| 18. oligarchy | A. all | B. best | C. few | D. none |
| 19. patriarchy | A. brother | B. father | C. mother | D. sister |
| 20. tetrarchy | A. one | B. two | C. three | D. four |

Part 5: Select the correct meaning of the suffix or prefix.

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| 21. -algia | A. division | B. inflammation | C. pain | D. trembling |
| 22. ana- | A. around | B. near | C. through | D. up |
| 23. apo- | A. away from | B. near | C. over | D. through |
| 24. -itis | A. split | B. inflammation | C. power | D. touching |
| 25. kata- | A. around | B. down | C. near | D. over |

Part 6: What animal is indicated?

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| 26. ailurophile | A. cat | B. dog | C. fox | D. wolf |
| 27. alopecia | A. cat | B. dog | C. fox | D. wolf |
| 28. cynic | A. dog | B. elephant | C. fox | D. wolf |
| 29. lycanthropy | A. cat | B. elephant | C. fox | D. wolf |
| 30. myiasis | A. ant | B. fly | C. mosquito | D. spider |

Part 7: What is the meaning of the root contained in the proper name?

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| 31. Agatha | A. bad | B. brave | C. cowardly | D. good |
| 32. Aphrodite | A. beauty | B. foam | C. love | D. sex |
| 33. Daphne | A. elm | B. laurel | C. maple | D. oak |

34. Eros	A. beauty	B. gift	C. love	D. strife
35. Felipe	A. horse	B. mouse	C. rainbow	D. tiger
36. Galanthis	A. badger	B. opossum	C. tiger	D. weasel
37. Galatea	A. breast	B. hand	C. milk	D. light
38. Heracles	A. famous	B. good	C. strong	D. tall
39. Irene	A. bravery	B. death	C. peace	D. war
40. Iris	A. cloud	B. eye	C. mouth	D. rainbow
41. Melissa	A. honey	B. green	C. sweet	D. tall
42. Morpheus	A. death	B. form	C. hate	D. love
43. Psyche	A. heart	B. love	C. soul	D. tall
44. Sophia	A. courage	B. fool	C. love	D. wisdom
45. Thanatos	A. death	B. form	C. hate	D. love

Part 8: What color is indicated in each word?

46. chlorophyll	A. black	B. green	C. red	D. yellow
47. glaucoma	A. black	B. gray	C. orange	D. red
48. leukemia	A. black	B. gray	C. green	D. white
49. melancholy	A. black	B. gray	C. green	D. red
50. porphyry	A. black	B. gray	C. purple	D. yellow

Part 9: Which body part is indicated within the following words?

51. bra	A. arm	B. breast	C. hand	D. eye
52. polyglot	A. eye	B. mouth	C. neck	D. tongue
53. cranium	A. heart	B. lung	C. skull	D. toe
54. dactylic	A. arm	B. finger	C. hand	D. heart
55. odontologist	A. ear	B. eye	C. nose	D. tooth
56. podiatrist	A. arm	B. foot	C. rib	D. stomach
57. rhinoceros	A. ear	B. eye	C. nose	D. throat
58. ophthalmology	A. eye	B. nose	C. stomach	D. throat
59. orchid	A. ear	B. face	C. nose	D. testicle
60. blepharitis	A. ear	B. eyelid	C. fingernail	D. toe

Part 10: What number is contained in the word?

61. chiliad	A. 10	B. 100	C. 1000	D. 1,000,000
62. dyad	A. 2	B. 3	C. 4	D. 5
63. henotheism	A. 1	B. 2	C. 3	D. 4
64. hexagon	A. 3	B. 4	C. 5	D. 6
65. tetrahedron	A. 2	B. 3	C. 4	D. 5

Part 11: Select the opposite. Hint: think of derivatives.

66. anthrop-	A. andr-	B. cardi-	C. gyn-	D. zoo-
67. gyn-	A. andr-	B. anthrop-	C. gym-	D. zoo-
68. homo-	A. cyn-	B. hetero-	C. taut-	D. uran-
69. macro-	A. hetero-	B. ithy-	C. micro-	D. orth-
70. uran-	A. copro-	B. ge-	C. gyn-	D. zoo-

Part 12: Select the closest synonym.

71. austere	A. brave	B. lazy	C. southern	D. strict
72. banausic	A. arcane	B. lesbian	C. mechanical	D. platonic
73. cataclysm	A. deluge	B. monster	C. native	D. sailor

74. catharsis	A. answer	B. cleansing	C. flood	D. morality
75. ephebe	A. baby	B. old man	C. soldier	D. youth
76. ephemeral	A. angry	B. fleeting	C. large	D. lasting
77. eulogy	A. death	B. family	C. praise	D. rejection
78. heretic	A. follower	B. leader	C. nonconformist	D. slave
79. homily	A. girl	B. man	C. same	D. sermon
80. icon	A. image	B. new	C. sad	D. yellow
81. idiosyncrasy	A. difference	B. fool	C. peculiarity	D. wisdom
82. panacea	A. cure all	B. insult	C. organ	D. yelling
83. pyromaniac	A. arsonist	B. firebrand	C. general	D. slave
84. threnody	A. answer	B. dirge	C. praise	D. warning
85. trichoid	A. flimsy	B. hairy	C. itchy	D. thick

Part 13: Select the meaning of the root contained in the word.

86. autopsy	A. hearing	B. paper	C. sight	D. smell
87. bacteria	A. disease	B. nail	C. rod	D. small
88. bathysphere	A. deep	B. heavy	C. run	D. wash
89. bigamy	A. game	B. marriage	C. vision	D. woman
90. carcinogen	A. crab	B. dark	C. death	D. disease
91. comrade	A. chamber	B. courage	C. shave	D. together
92. devil	A. bad	B. black	C. horn	D. throw
93. disaster	A. bad	B. black	C. star	D. tower
94. diabetes	A. sad	B. sail	C. throw	D. walk
95. encephalitis	A. face	B. head	C. nose	D. skull
96. liturgy	A. God	B. praise	C. sing	D. work
97. microbe	A. base	B. book	C. life	D. rod
98. pentathlon	A. fight	B. naked	C. prize	D. strong
99. strategy	A. fight	B. lead	C. plan	D. repeat
100. syzygy	A. business	B. hissing	C. voyage	D. yoke