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PHCL 313: Reading Greek 1

Instruction: Answer All Questions on the question paper.
Time Allowed: Two hours thirty minutes

CANDIDATE'S NUMBER:

1. Give the form of the article to be used with each noun.(8 marks)

- 1. ___ οικήτης 2. ___ ξύλου 3. ___ χρυσίον 4. ___ νεώς
- 5. ___ ποιητής 6. ___ ψευδοπροφήτης 7. ___ χρόνου 8. ___ δῶρα
- 9. ___ οἴνου, 10. ___ θεόν 11. ___ οίκιας 12. ___ ὁδῶν
- 13. ___ λίθω 14. ___ ψηφηγορίας 15. ___ παιδίον 16. ___ ψυχαί.

2. Write a complete declension of the following nouns in **singular** and **plural**. (8 marks)

a. ἡ τέχνη

nom.	.....	nom.	.....
gen.	.....	gen.	.....
dat.	.....	dat.	.....
acc.	.....	acc.	.....

b. ὁ πολίτης

nom.	.....	nom.	.....
gen.	.....	gen.	.....
dat.	.....	dat.	.....
acc.	.....	acc.	.....

c. ἡ ἡμέρα,

nom.	.....	nom.	.....
gen.	.....	gen.	.....
dat.	.....	dat.	.....
acc.	.....	acc.	.....

d. Το οἰκτρὸν

nom.	.....	nom.	.....
gen.	.....	gen.	.....
dat.	.....	dat.	.....
acc.	.....	acc.	.....

3. Conjugate the futures of the following verbs. (4 marks)

- a. ἄρχω _____
 b. πείθω _____
 c. λείπω _____
 d. πάσχω _____

4. Translate the following sentences into English. (10 marks)

i. ὁ δὲ χρόνος παιδεύει τὸ παιδίον

ii. εἰς ἀνθρώπους λέγει ὁ θεός. [εἰς here: *before*]

iii. τὸν πόνον λείπομεν.

iv. οἱ βοες οὐκετι ελκοθσιντο αροτρον

v. οἱ θεοὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἄρχουσιν.

5. Fill in the blanks (5 marks)

- a. ὁ ποιητ___ θεραπευοσι την Μοθσ___
 b. ὁ ἀγαθὸς ἄνθρωπ___ ἐν τῷ οἴκ___ πονει
 c. ἐβάλλετε τ___ ξένους τ___ λίθοις
 d. ὁ ἄνθρωπ___ οὐ σοφ___ ἐστι

6. Conjugate the following verbs in the **imperfect** active singular and plural. (5 marks)

1. ἄγω

2. ἔχω

3. παύω

4. γράφω

5. φέρω

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Put the following into singular and translate: (4 marks)

1) αι φιλαι μενουσι προς ταις κρηναις

2) οι ανθρωποι φερουσι τα αροτα εκ των αγρων

7. Translate the following into Greek. (10 marks)

a) He is a child.

b) You are not a servant

c) The slave is not working

d) I am not labouring

e) He/she is not writing

8. Read the following passage and answer the comprehension questions in **GREEK** or **ENGLISH** (14 marks)

ο ανθρωπος σπευδει εις τον αγρον και καλει τον δοθλον. ο δε δουλος ου παρεστιν. καθευδει γαρ υπο των δενδρων. ο ουν δεσποτης βαδιζει προς αυτον και λεγει. 'ελθε δευρων, ω δουθλε αργε, και πονει.' ο ουν δουλος βαδιζει προς αυτον και λεγει. 'μη χαλεπος ισθι, ω δεσποτα. Ηδη γαρ παρειμι εγω και φερω σοι το αροτρον'. ο ουν δεσποτης λεγει 'σπευδε, ω Ξανθια, μικρος μεν γαρ εστιν ο αγρος, μακρος δε ο πονος.'

I. What is the farmer doing?

II. What is the slave doing?

III. When told to come and help, what does the slave do?

IV. Why is the slave urged to hurry?

Vocabulary

ἄγω *lead, drive, bring* (paedagogue, παιδαγωγός)
 ἄρχω *begin; rule* (+ gen.) (archaeology; anarchy)
 γράφω *write* (epigraphy, palaeography)
 ἐθέλω *wish, be willing* (+ inf.) (not found in m.-p.)
 ἔχω *have, hold, keep*
 λέγω *say, speak, mean*
 λύω *free, loosen, release; destroy, break*
 παιδεύω *educate, train* (< παῖς, παιδός *child*)
 παύω *stop; mid. cease* (pause)
 πείθω *persuade*
 πέμπω *send* (pomp)
 πράττω *do, make;*
 φέρω *bring, carry, bear*
 ἄνθρωπος, ἀνθρώπου, ὁ/ἡ *person, human being, man, with article;*
humankind; of individuals and generically
 ἀρχή, ἀρχῆς, ἡ *beginning, origin; power, empire, office; first*
principle (cf. the meanings of ἄρχω)
 βίος, βίου, ὁ *life, livelihood* (macrobiotic)
 βουλή, βουλῆς, ἡ *will, determination; Council, Senate*
 γνώμη, γνώμης, ἡ *thought, opinion* (gnomic)
 δίκη, δίκης, ἡ *justice, order, right; lawsuit, trial*
 δῶρον, δώρου, τό *gift* (Pandora)
 εἰρήνη, εἰρήνης, ἡ *peace* (Irene)
 εἰρήνην ἄγειν *live in peace*
 ἔργον, ἔργου, τό *deed, work* (erg, energy)
 ἥλιος, ἡλίου, ὁ *sun* (helium; Helius, the sun god)
 θάνατος, θανάτου, ὁ *death* (euthanasia, thanatopsis)
 Nouns of the First (□η) and Second (□ο) Declensions; Article 33
 θεός, θεοῦ, ὁ/ἡ *god, goddess* (voc. sg., θεός)
 πρὸς θεῶν *good heavens!, in the name of the gods!*
 λίθος, λίθου, ὁ *stone*
 λόγος, λόγου, ὁ *reason, word; speech; account; principle*
 μέτρον, μέτρου, τό *measure, moderation* (meter)
 νῆσος, νήσου, ἡ *island* (Peloponnesian)
 νόμος, νόμου, ὁ *usage, custom, law* (cf. νομίζω)
 κατὰ νόμον *according to law*
 οἰκέτης, -ου, *a house-slave, servant; pl.: one's*
family
 παρὰ νόμον *contrary to law*
 νόμῳ *by custom, conventionally*
 ξένος, ξένου, ὁ *guest-friend, stranger, foreigner*
 ὁδός, ὁδοῦ, ἡ *road, street, way*
 οὐρανός, οὐρανοῦ, ὁ *heaven, sky*

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παιδίον, παιδίου, τό *little child, young slave*
πλοῦτος, πλούτου, ὁ *wealth, riches*
πόλεμος, πολέμου, ὁ *war*
πόνος, πόνου, ὁ *toil, labor*
σπεύδω *hasten, seek eagerly, strive after*
φίλη, φίλης, ἡ *friend, loved one* (includes family)
φίλος, φίλου, ὁ *friend, loved one* (includes family)
φίλος, -η, -ον *adj. [II] dear, loved*
χρόνος, χρόνου, ὁ *time*
ψυχή, ψυχῆς, ἡ *life, soul*