

Name _____

Greece: Engineering an Empire

1. At stake is nothing less than the future of Greece, a country of islands and _____ - _____ which lie just outside of the reach of the greatest empire of the known world: _____.
2. Persia was the world's _____ of its day.
3. Who was Themistocles?
4. The city-states had no sense of a national _____.
5. Describe 3 interesting facts about the Greek Trireme:
6. Themistocles lured the Persian fleet into the Straits of _____.
7. Who won the battle of Salamis?
8. By 1300 BC, a people speaking an early form of the Greek language had inhabited large portions of mainland Greece. They were known as the _____.
Minoans Phoencians Mycenaeans Romans
9. According to myth, it was from this city that the Mycenaeans were lead by a king named _____, whose epic struggles were written down by the 8th century BC poet, _____ in two of history's most famous tales: The Illiad and the Odyssey.
10. According to the Greeks, Homer was a _____.
11. The Mycenaeans were the first to build the Corbelled _____.
12. The Corbelled Dome was only used in one kind of construction, _____.
13. With the fall of Mycenae, Greece entered a dark age. Over _____ centuries, its culture fell into a deep slumber. Then in the _____ century BC, individual _____ - _____ began to develop and flourish.
14. Before the advent of _____ in Greece, many of these city-states were led by a single ruler called a _____.
15. Polycrates was ruler of island _____.
16. How did Polycrates and his engineers bring water to the island?
17. How would Athens change the course of world history?
18. Athens was rich in _____, treasure, technology, and _____. She was poised for her golden age and one man would take her there. His name was _____.
19. By 450 BC, Athens has become the undisputed leader of the D _____ league. This is compared to modern day _____.

20. What building did Pericles give the world?

-In our money, how much did it cost?

-What was the building made out of?

21. A single column of the Parthenon could weigh between _____ and _____ tons.

22. Inside the Parthenon was a monumental statue of _____.

23. TRUE or FALSE All Athenians loved the Parthenon.

24. Athens longtime enemy, _____, was on the rise. In 431 BC, _____ moved on _____.

25. What was the name of the war between these two cities? (spell it as best you can)

26. What year did Athens fall?

27. What two men would be synonymous with Hellenism, the spreading of culture?