



A MAP SKILLS QUIZ ON  
ANCIENT GREECE

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**DIRECTIONS:** This is a test of some basic map skills. Just answer the questions that follow.

**Part 1.** Fill in the blanks.

- The locations shown on the provided map are all above the equator so they are in the \_\_\_\_\_ hemisphere.
- The latitude number of the equator is \_\_\_\_°.
- The locations on the map are all east of the \_\_\_\_\_ so they are in the eastern hemisphere.
- The longitude number of the prime meridian is \_\_\_\_°.
- When giving coordinates for an absolute location, which should you mention first, latitude or longitude?  
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**Part 2.** To the nearest whole degree, fill in the coordinates for these spots on the map.

- (A) \_\_\_\_\_
- (B) \_\_\_\_\_
- (C) \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3.** Write on directly on the map to show these things.

- Use letters on the compass rose to show the 4 cardinal and 4 intermediate points.
- Write a small, circled letter at each of these coordinates:  
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**Part 4.** To the nearest whole degree, write the approximate absolute location for each place below.

- the island of Rhodes (bottom, right) \_\_\_\_\_
- Mount Athos (top, middle) \_\_\_\_\_
- Arginusae (top, right) \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 5.** Write in the name of the place closest to each of these coordinates.

- 40° north latitude, 24° east longitude \_\_\_\_\_
- 39° north latitude, 21° east longitude \_\_\_\_\_
- 37° north latitude, 22° east longitude \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 6.** Estimate the following distances.

- This line, end to end, in km \_\_\_\_\_ km
- The line below, end to end, in miles \_\_\_\_\_ miles
- Below, draw a straight line that represents 90 miles.

**Part 7.** Name the location described.

- city-state 50 km west of Sparta \_\_\_\_\_
- island about 115 miles south of Thasos island \_\_\_\_\_
- mountain 110 miles east of Mt. Olympus \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 8.** How far between these pairs of locations?

- between Argos and Corinth \_\_\_\_\_ miles
- between Mount Athos and Mt. Ida (Crete) \_\_\_\_\_ km
- between Delphi and Mount Olympus \_\_\_\_\_ miles

**Assorted Extra Credit.** Try some, all, or none.

- Write in the name of the place closest to each of these coordinates.  
38½° north latitude, 28° east longitude \_\_\_\_\_
- How many mountain peak symbols ( ) are within 175 miles from Delphi? \_\_\_\_\_
- east to west length of the island of Crete \_\_\_\_\_ km, or \_\_\_\_\_ miles
- Ancient Troy, immortalized by Homer in the Iliad is not labeled on \_\_\_\_\_