



## LORD OF THE FLIES TEST

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **MULTIPLE CHOICE**

- Ralph uses this to call the other boys at meeting times.  
A. a conch                      B. his fingers                      C. a whistle                      D. a foghorn
- Which boy fell asleep and let the signal fire go out when fighters were overhead?  
A. Simon                      B. Eric                      C. Piggy                      D. Ralph
- The boys are rescued by the:  
A. Army                      B. Air Force                      C. Marines                      D. Navy
- Who did Piggy live with before the plane crash?  
A. his mum                      B. his dad                      C. his uncle                      D. his aunt
- The dead parachutist becomes trapped here.  
A. in a cave                      B. on the edge of the rocks  
C. in some trees                      D. in the glade
- Who destroys the sandcastle the littleuns build?  
A. Sam and Eric                      B. Ralph and Piggy                      C. Jack and Roger                      D. Maurice and Roger
- How does Simon die?  
A. he is shot                      B. speared to death                      C. they rip/bite him apart                      D. knifed to death

8. Who kills Piggy?

- A. Jack                      B. Maurice                      C. Sam                      D. Roger

9. What do the hunters use to kill pigs?

- A. spears                      B. bows and arrows                      C. knives                      D. rocks

10. This is where they put the Lord of the Flies.

- A. the mountain top                      B. Simon's glade  
C. The beach                      D. in the cave

11. Who is the first to discover what the beast really is?

- A. Ralph                      B. Simon                      C. Piggy                      D. Jack

12. What do the boys use to light the fire?

- A. matches                      B. wood rubbed together  
C. Piggy's glasses                      D. they don't ever light it

13. How does Piggy die?

- A. he is shot                      B. he is knifed  
C. he is speared                      D. he is knocked over the cliff by a boulder

14. The boys find this and it makes them want to go hunting.

- A. pig hair                      B. pig droppings                      C. hoof marks                      D. a piece of ham

15. Who is the only person who helps Ralph build the huts?

- A. Piggy                      B. Jack                      C. Simon                      D. Sam



16. Simon imagines the Lord of the Flies doing what?
- A. dancing                      B. eating him                      C. talking/tormenting him                      D. nothing
17. What does Piggy say the shadows over the water are at night?
- A. the beast                      B. mirages                      C. fish                      D. the reflection of the cliffs
18. Where does Ralph hide when Jack's tribe is hunting him?
- A. the cave                      B. behind rocks                      C. in the brush                      D. in a thicket
19. What is one reason Jack **DOES NOT** give for why he should be in charge?
- A. he's chapter chorister                      B. he's older than Ralph  
C. he's head boy                      D. he can sing C-sharp
20. What does Piggy believe happened to Simon?
- A. it was an accident                      B. suicide                      C. it was murder                      D. none of the above
21. During Ralph's first attempt at hunting, he hits the pig where?
- A. on the snout                      B. on the rump                      C. in the ribs                      D. in the eye
22. Who is tortured by Jack and his tribe for remaining with Ralph's group?
- A. Simon                      B. Piggy                      C. Sam                      D. Jeffrey
23. What is Jack's last name?
- A. Merridew                      B. Sparrow                      C. Boleyn                      D. Pettigrew



24. This falls out of the sky and onto the island.  
A. a helicopter      B. a bird      C. supplies      D. the dead parachutist
25. The littleuns are afraid of this.  
A. the dead parachutist      B. the beastie  
C. Jack      D. the Lord of the Flies

**SHORT ANSWER**

26. Who saves Ralph from impending death? \_\_\_\_\_
27. Ralph and Jack do this to make up after fighting. \_\_\_\_\_
28. Who blows (not so well) into the conch to call a meeting? \_\_\_\_\_
29. As the boys sleep, what is happening overhead one night?  
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30. What made those on the ship descend upon the island?  
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31. Who do the boys elect chief? \_\_\_\_\_
32. How does Jack's arm become bloody?  
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33. In the middle of the night, where do many of the boys sneak off to?

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34. What condition does Piggy say he has? \_\_\_\_\_

35. What does Jack say he and the hunters will do to ease the littleuns' fears?

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36. What do Sam & Eric give Ralph when they are guarding the Castle Rock? \_\_\_\_\_

37. What is the name of the boy who plays the boar the first time they re-enact the hunt?

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38. Besides killing Piggy, what else does the boulder destroy? \_\_\_\_\_

39. What do the fathers of Ralph and Piggy do for a living?

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40. What do Jack and Ralph demand of one another when they fight?

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41. What does Simon find in the beautiful glade?

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42. What's the name of the fair boy? \_\_\_\_\_



43. What two boys agree with Ralph when he says there is no beast on the island?

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44. Who reassures Ralph that they will get home? \_\_\_\_\_

45. What does Piggy say happened to the plane and who knows where they are?

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46. What are the other boys doing while Ralph is trying to build huts?

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47. At the beginning of Chapter 7, Ralph is frustrated because he feels the boys have become what?

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48. Describe the type of ruler Jack is and what he tells his tribe about Ralph and his camp.

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49. What do Simon and Piggy persuade Ralph not to do?

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50. Who wrote Lord of the Flies? \_\_\_\_\_

## ANSWERS

1. A
2. B
3. D
4. D
5. C
6. D
7. C
8. D
9. A
10. B
11. B
12. A
13. D
14. B
15. C
16. C
17. B
18. D
19. B
20. A
21. A
22. C
23. A
24. D
25. B
26. a naval officer
27. they go swimming in the lagoon
28. Jack
29. military planes are fighting; explosions are occurring
30. the smoke from the jungle fire
31. Ralph
32. Jack says the boar grazed it with his tusks
33. Jack's camp; to join Jack's tribe
34. asthma
35. hunt down the beast and kill it
36. Food
37. Robert
38. the conch
39. Ralph's dad is a Navy Commander and Piggy's dad is dead
40. Jack demands that Ralph leave his camp; Ralph demands Piggy's glasses back



41. the sow's head impaled on the stake
42. Ralph
43. Jack and Piggy
44. Simon
45. He says the plane was shot down in flames and no one knows where they are so they may be on the island a long time
46. splashing around and playing in the lagoon
47. undisciplined and slovenly
48. Jack rules with absolute power; he is a dictator who punishes boys because he feels like it; he makes the other boys wait on him hand and foot and expects total obedience from all of them; he tells them Ralph and his camp are a great threat to the tribe
49. step down as leader
50. William Golding