

## TRANSLATION #3: Hercules' Labors (due: October 11)

**Things to Review:** demonstrative pronouns; ablative of agent; prepositions

*Translate the passage, and answer the questions that follow. All vocabulary and bolded constructions can be found either below or in the [master vocabulary list](#).*

cum Herculēs infans erat, dracōnēs duōs in praesepiō eius necāvit. deinde Leōnem Nemaëum necāvit. eius pellem **prō tegumentō** habuit. postea Hydra Lernaëa, Typhōnis fīlia, ab eō interfecta est; illud monstrum **novem** capita habēbat et **afflatū** hominēs necābat. **eius felle** sagittās **suās** tinxit et **quicquid is sagittīs figēbat** mortem nōn fūgit. Aper Erymanthius ab eō occīsus est et quoque cervum ferōcem ad Eurystheum regem adducere poterat.

### Vocabulary and Notes (in order of appearance)

1. cum = “when”
2. infans, infantis, m./f. - infant
3. necō, necāre, necāvī, necātus - to kill
4. Leō Nemaëus = the Nemean Lion
5. pellis, pellis, f. - skin, hide
6. **prō tegumentō** = “as armor”
7. Hydra Lernaëa = the Lernaean Hydra
8. Typhōn, Typhōnis, m. - Typhon
9. novem - nine (indeclinable adjective agreeing with capita)
10. caput, capitis, n. - head
11. **afflatū** = “with her breath”
12. **eius felle** = “with her bile”
13. sagitta, sagittae, f. - arrow
14. **suās** = translate as “his own”
15. tingō, tingere, tinxī, tinctus - to wet, moisten, dye, tinge
16. **quicquid is sagittīs figēbat** = “whatever he was piercing with his arrows” (take as the subject of fūgit)
17. mors, mortis, f. - death
18. Aper Erymanthius = the Erymanthian Boar
19. occīdō, occīdere, occīdī, occīsus - to kill
20. cervus, cervī, m. - deer
21. ferox, ferocis - fierce
22. Eurystheum = King Eurystheus”
23. addūcō, addūcere, addūxī, adductus - to lead, bring

## A. Grammatical Questions

1. Underline all the subjects, circle all the verbs, and put a box around all the direct objects.
2. What do we call in praesipiō (line 1) and what meaning does it express?
3. What case is eius (line 2)?
4. What is the grammatical function of Typhōnis filia (line 3)?
5. What case is eō (line 3) and why?
6. What case and number is capita (line 4)? What function does it play in the sentence?
7. Parse tinxit (line 4). To what conjugation does it belong?
8. Change the voice of occisus est (line 6) from passive to active, keeping all other verbal characteristics the same.
9. What word does ferōcem (line 6) agree with?
10. What verb does poterat (line 7) come from and what word works in conjunction with it?

## **B. Translation**