



4. Socrates and Anytus discussed how something is teachable only if someone is a teacher of it.

(i) According to Anytus, who can teach someone the art of medicine?

(ii) According to Anytus, who can teach someone the art of shoemaking?

(iii) According to Anytus, who can teach someone the art of flute-playing?

(iv) According to Anytus, who could teach Meno prudence and virtue that Meno sought?

5. On what Anytus thought about *how* good Athenians are good, fill in the blanks for the following polysyllogism.

LINE 1	Either every good Athenian is good by <i>nature</i> , or every good Athenian is good by <i>nurture</i> .	assumption
LINE 2	If <i>every</i> good Athenian is good by nature, then <i>some</i> good Athenian is good by nature.	assumption
LINE 3	If <i>every</i> good Athenian is good by nurture, then <i>some</i> good Athenian is good by nurture.	assumption
LINE 4	_____.	Anytus' opinion about whether or not a good Athenian is good by nature.
LINE 5	_____.	By <i>modus ponens</i> , this follows from Line 2 & Line 4.
LINE 6	_____.	By disjunctive syllogism, this follows from Line 1 & Line 5.

6. According to Anytus, if a good Athenian was taught to be good, then who'd've taught the good Athenian how to be good?

7. On how Pericles was different from his own sons, Anytus said what Socrates had said in Plato's *Protagoras* dialogue. (See page 42 in Unit 11.)

(i) According to Anytus, how was Pericles different from his sons Paralus and Xanthippus?

(ii) In Plato's *Protagoras* dialogue, how did Protagoras try to explain to Socrates why Pericles was so different than his sons? (See pages 41–42 in Unit 11.)

8. According to Anytus and Socrates, did Pericles want his sons to be bad? Why or why not? Explain.

9. According to Socrates, if he and Anytus had *accurately* evaluated Pericles, then is virtue teachable? Why or why not? Explain.  
(Hint: In rare agreement with each other, Socrates and Anytus thought, “Pericles was good, and he wanted his sons to be good. For that reason, he gave his sons what he thought was the best education. Yet even so, his sons turned out to be bad.”)

10. According to Socrates, if Anytus knows what badmouthing is, then Anytus doesn't think that Socrates is badmouthing Pericles. Accordingly, if Anytus thought that Socrates *is* badmouthing Pericles, then *what* did Anytus *think*?