

Ariadne: Resources for Athenaze

Oral Script for Chapter 21a-b

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ἔλαυνε τὸν αἶγα.

δίωκε τὸν αἶγα.

ἔπου τὸν αἶγα.

ἄμελγε τὸν αἶγα.

θύε τὸν αἶγα.

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αἶρε τὴν ὑδρίαν.

κατατίθει τὴν ὑδρίαν.

δίδου μοι τὴν ὑδρίαν.

πλήρου τὴν ὑδρίαν.

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σπεῦδε πρὸς τὴν θύραν.

κόπτε τὴν θύραν.

ἀνοίγνυ τὴν θύραν.

δέχου τὸν ξένον.

κλειῖσε τὴν θύραν.

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στῆθι. (2nd aorist of ἵστημι)

κάθιζε.

κεῖσο. (from κεῖμαι; subjunctive stem = κε-)

κάθευδε.

ἐγείρου. (from ἐγείρομαι, middle of ἐγείρω, wake up)