

Mythology Unit Review 2017

Directions: Look over your power point notes and your mythology chart to answer the following questions.

1. How and why were myths originally shared?
2. Who had myths first, the Greeks or the Romans?
3. How were myths changed by the conquering people?
4. Where did Greek gods live?

Directions: Answer the following questions on loose-leaf paper in complete sentences using a pencil, a blue pen, or a black pen. Make sure you are rewording the question into your answer in order to earn full credit.

IN THE BEGINNING: *The Creation; The Golden Age; The War in Heaven*

1. What did Uranus do when his children were born?
2. Which child of Gaia's "severed the embrace of Earth and Sky"?
3. Why did Cronus eat his newly born children?
4. How did Rhea trick Cronus and save Zeus?
5. Who helped Zeus defeat Cronus?
6. What are the four ages? List key details from each age.

Ceres and Proserpine

1. Why did Pluto fall in love with Proserpine?
2. How did Ceres react when she could not have her daughter with her?
3. Why did Proserpine have to stay in the underworld for part of each year?
4. What does this myth explain?

The Story of Hercules

1. Who was Hercules?
2. What was he ordered to do and why?
3. How many tasks did he have total?
4. List 4 of his tasks.
5. With which tasks did he succeed?

AFTER THE EARTH APPEARED: Prometheus

1. List two of the three reasons Zeus was mad at Prometheus.
2. How did Zeus punish Prometheus?

AFTER THE EARTH APPEARED: Pandora's Box

1. Why did Zeus have Pandora created?
2. Who accepted Pandora as a gift?
3. What was in the box/jar Pandora was not supposed to open?
4. What does this myth explain?

The Story of Narcissus and Echo

1. Who turned the talkative Echo into someone who could only repeat what others said?
2. Who did Echo love?
3. How did Narcissus feel about Echo?
4. Who turned Narcissus into a flower?
5. What does this myth explain?

Identity Crisis-- Athena

1. What skill was Arachne especially good at?
2. Who challenged Arachne to a contest?
3. Who won the contest?
4. What happened to Arachne?
5. How did Athena try to "make things right?"

*****The Mythology Unit Test will include the following:**

- "Mythology Introduction" notes
 - True/False
 - Multiple choice
- Various myths from class readings
 - Multiple choice
- New myth will be on test
 - Read and answer multiple choice questions