

# WHAT ARE THE FEATURES OF A GREEK MYTH?

Key Vocabulary		
mythic language	problem solving	Zeus
Athens	quest	Athena
myth	questioning	Mount Olympus
annotate	adventure	travel
beast	demi-god	epic
hero	problem	decades
villain	reasoning	past tense
God	characteristics	fortune
Goddess	Sparta	features
logic	warrior	reward
<b>Disciplinary - English words</b>	<b>Substantive - subject specific words</b>	<b>Bigger Picture - lesson support words</b>

## National Curriculum

### Objectives

Partake in class discussion.

Listen to others ideas and opinions.

Read aloud and understand the meaning of new words.

Maintain positive attitudes to reading and understanding of what he/she reads by identifying and discussing themes and conventions in writing.

Understand what he/she reads by asking questions to improve his/her understanding of complex texts.

Use a wide range of clause structures, sometimes varying their position within the sentence.

Use commas to clarify meaning or avoid ambiguity.

Link ideas across paragraphs using adverbials of time e.g. later, place e.g. nearby, and number e.g. secondly, or tense choices e.g. he had seen the beast before.

Ensure the consistent and correct use of tense throughout a piece of writing

To organise paragraphs around a theme



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Questions to develop knowledge and understanding.	Pupil	Teacher
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What are the writing features of an epic Greek myth?		
Do I know the characteristics of a hero, beast and villain in a Greek myth?		
Can I plan an original Greek adventure for my own character?		
Can I write an original Greek myth showing creativity, imagination and using appropriate grammar and vocabulary?		
Can I predict the end of the Gorgon's Head saga and write it in heroic style?		