

Geeking out on Greek Mythology

Grades:	4th – 7th
Day of Week:	Thursday
Time of Class:	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm ET
Length of Class:	10 weeks
Semester:	Spring 2024
Tuition:	\$250.00

Class Dates:

Week 1: Week of March 25

Week 2: Week of April 1

Week of April 8: No Classes due to Eid (Muslim) Holiday – Eid Mubarak to our Muslim families!

Week 3: Week of April 15

Weeks of April 22 and April 29: No Classes – Spring Break – Happy Passover to our Jewish families!

Week 4: Week of May 6

Week 5: Week of May 13

Week 6: Week of May 20

Week 7: Week of May 27

Week 8: Week of June 3

Week 9: Week of June 10

Week 10: Week of June 17

Make-Up Days: Week of June 24

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Description of Class:

Using D'Aulaires' Book of Greek Myths, together we will explore various myths together.

In this class, we will cover both major and minor Greek gods and goddesses. Students will learn about their origin stories, characteristics, and adventures. Students will also learn about how the Romans absorbed the Greek pantheon and then made it their own.

Class Approach:

The class will be a combination of reading comprehension, discussion, lecture and a final project.

Textbook:

D'Aulaires Book of Greek Myths

https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B01GEXOZQG?pf_rd_r=NZ4MBZSDGJHTJ8T98DXM&pf_rd_p=5ae2c7f8-e0c6-4f35-9071-dc3240e894a8

Additional Supplies/Resources Needed:

Microphone / Headset for Class Discussions
Colored Pencils / Markers / Crayons
Basic Art Supplies

Weekly Homework:

Approximately 1 hour weekly.

Homework Policy:

It is expected that students will keep up with the reading to be able to fully participate in class.

Grading Scale:

Exceeds Expectations
Meets Expectations
Not Yet
Incomplete

If parents would like a traditional letter grade, please notify the teacher by week two of the class.

Week	Topic
Week 1	Introduction to Greek Mythology
Week 2	In Olden Times, Gaea and the Titans
Week 3	Zeus and his Family and Twelve Golden Thrones - The Twelve Olympians
Week 4	Hera, Hephaestus, Aphrodite, Ares, Athens, Poseidon, Apollo, Artemis - Mythology and Astronomy
Week 5	Hermes, Hades, Persephone, Dionysus, Pandora, Deucalion - The Original Olympics
Week 6	Eros, Helios, Selene, Pan, Echo, Syrinx, Centaurs, Asclepius, Muses, Europa, Cadmus, Tantalus, Pelops - Prometheus & What do YOU Value?
Week 7	Danaus, Perseus, Gorgon, Sisyphus, Bellerophon, Melampus - Where do words come from?
Week 8	Hercules - The 12 Labors
Week 9	Theseus, Jason, Calydonian Boar Hunt - Jeopardy
Week 10	Sharing Projects - Mythical Math