

The 10 Greatest Heroes of Greek Mythology



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Students' ages: 15-17

Students' level: Upper Intermediate

Assumptions: Students are supposed to have already studied Simple Past and Present Participle.

Stage	Time	Objective(s): Ss are supposed to	Material	Description
Pre-reading activity	10min	- Activate previous knowledge by listing heroes and stories.	- Whiteboard; - Marker.	- Teacher (T) asks students (Ss) if they have already studied Greek mythology, what they remember, and what they like about this subject.
While-reading activity	20min	- Identify detailed information.	- Article " The 10 greatest heroes of Greek mythology "; - Worksheet.	- Ss are organized into groups of 5 participants. - Each member of the group reads about 2 heroes (the group is supposed to read about all the heroes mentioned in the text) and completes a Table (see the worksheet). - T checks the answers to the worksheets group by group.
Post-reading activity	15min	- Identify main ideas in the text.		- Ss talk about the heroes they read within the groups. - T draws lots to pick one hero and one student from each group to tell that heroes' story (the other members may help).

Worksheet



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Complete the Table below according to the heroes you read about (in case your text mentions it):

1)

Hero:				
Heroic actions:	Special ability:	Gods that are mentioned in this hero's story:	"Nemeses"/ Enemies:	Death:

2)

Hero:				
Heroic actions:	Special ability:	Gods that are mentioned in this hero's story:	"Nemeses"/ Enemies:	Death: