

Department: English

Course Title: Mythology
Mrs. Martino

Course #: 121

DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: By reading and hearing a variety of myths which originated in the communities that comprised ancient Greece, students will learn what a myth teaches or explains. Whenever possible, comparisons will be drawn with other mythologies. Individually or in small groups, students will demonstrate their achievement by analyzing the ways in which their attitudes and values are influenced by or differ from those of the ancient Greeks. In addition to regular tests, the students may present an oral report, do formal and informal writing, and do various projects such as writing an original myth, creating a mythology newspaper or advertising campaign, or designing a game.

REQUIRED TOPICS OF STUDY	SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONAL TIME	STANDARDS/ ASSESSMENT ANCHORS
<i>Unit 1-Creation of Myths and Folklore</i>	<i>7 classes</i>	<i>8.1.4A, 8.1.12A, 8.1.12B, CC.1.3.11-12A, CC.1.2.11-12J, CC.1.2.11-12G</i>
<i>Unit 2-Greeks and Romans</i>	<i>8-10 classes</i>	<i>CC.1.3.11-12A, CC.1.2.11-12J, CC.1.2.11-12G, CC.1.2.11-12C</i>
<i>Unit 3-Greek Heroes</i>	<i>12-14 classes</i>	<i>CC.1.3.11-12A, CC.1.2.11-12J, CC.1.2.11-12G, CC.1.2.11-12C</i>
<i>Greek Drama (Oedipus Rex)</i>	<i>7 classes</i>	<i>CC.1.4.11-12B, CC.1.4.11-12C, CC.1.4.11-12E, CC.1.4.11-12F, CC.1.4.11-12M, CC.1.4.11-12O</i>
<i>Epics of the Trojan War</i>	<i>12-14 classes</i>	<i>CC.1.2.11-12E/D, 1.2.5J, 1.2.6E, 1.3.5J, 1.3.6J, 1.3.7K</i>
<i>Intro to Norse Mythology (when time permits)</i>	<i>10 -12 classes</i>	<i>1.5.11A-H, 1.8.11A-C</i>

INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES:

Myths and Folklore

Mythology and You: Classical Mythology and Its Relevance to Today's World

World Mythology (supplement)

Course Handouts, Films, and Film Clips

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Rosenberg and Baker

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Course Title/ct
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Class Attendance Policy (as per school policy)

Lates (per semester)

1st late = warning

2nd late = warning

3rd late = detention

4th = two detentions

5th and subsequent = ISS and loss of parking privileges for balance of semester