

# Greek Mythology Unit

## Chapter 1 (I.i)

Mt. Olympus (oh-LIM-puhs)  
nectar and ambrosia  
(NEK-ter and am-BROH-zhuh)  
Oracle at Delphi  
(ORE-ik-kuhl at DELL-fye)

## **Twelve Great Olympians**

Zeus (ZOOSS)  
Poseidon (poh-SYE-duhn)  
Hades (HAY-deez)  
Hestia (HESS-tee-uh)  
Hera (HEH-ruh)  
Ares (AIR-eez)  
Athena (uh-THEE-nuh)  
Phoebus Apollo  
(FEE-bus uh-PAHL-oh)  
Aphrodite (aff-roh-DYE-tee)  
Hermes (HER-meez)  
Artemis (AR-tuh-miss)  
Hephaestus (hih-FESS-tuhs)

## **Lesser Gods of Olympus**

The Graces (GRAY-sehz)  
The Muses (MYOO-zehz)

## **The Underworld**

Erebus (AIR-uh-buhs)  
Tartarus (TAR-ter-uhs)  
Charon (KAIR-on)  
Cerberus (SUR-ber-uhs)  
Elysian Fields (ih-LEE-zhuhn)  
Styx (STICKS)  
The Erinyes (ih-RIN-is)  
The Furies (FYOOR-eez)

## **Lesser Gods of Earth**

Pan (PAN)  
The Satyrs (SAY-terz)  
Aeolus (EE-oh-luss)  
Centaur (SEN-tars)  
Gorgons (GORE-guhns)  
Graiae (GRAY-ee)  
Sirens (SYE-renz)  
Fates (FAYTS)

## Chapter 2 (I.ii)

**Demeter (Ceres)**  
Persephone (per-SEF-uh-nee)  
pomegranate seed

## **Dionysus (Bacchus)**

Semele (SIM-eh-lee)  
Maenads (MAY-nads)

## Chapter 3 (I.iii)

### **Creation of the Universe**

Chaos (KAY-ahss)  
Night (Nyx) (NICKS)  
Erebus (AIR-uh-buhs)  
Love  
Gaea (Earth) (JEE-uh)  
also Gaia (GUY-uh)  
Ouranos (Heaven)  
(YUR-uh-nus)  
Cyclops (SYE klahps)  
pl. Cyclopes (SYE kloh peez)  
Titans (TIE-tuhns)  
Cronus (KROH-nuhs)  
Rhea (REE-uh)  
The Giants  
Erinyes (The Furies)  
(ih-RIN-is and FYOOR-eez)  
Atlas (AT-luhs)  
Hyperboreans  
(hie-per-BORE-ee-uhnz)  
Prometheus  
(pro-MEE-thee-uhs)  
Epimetheus  
(ep-i-MEE-thee-uhs)  
Pandora (pan-DOR-uh)  
The Deluge (DELL-yooj)  
Deucalion (doo-KAY-lee-uhn)  
Pyrrha (PEER-a)

## Chapter 4 (I.iv)

### **The Earliest Heroes**

Io (EYE-oh)  
Europa (yoo-ROH-pa)  
Polyphemus (pol-i-FEE-mus)  
Narcissus (nar-SIS-us)  
Echo (EH-koh)

## Chapters 5-6 (II.i-ii)

### **Love Stories**

Cupid (KYOO-pid)  
Psyche (SYE-kee)  
Pyramus (PEER-a-mis)  
Thisbe (THIZ-bee)  
Orpheus (OR-fee-us)  
Eurydice (yoo-RID-ih-see)  
Pygmalion (pig-MAY-lee-on)  
Galatea (gal-uh-TEE-uh)  
Baucis (BAH-sis)  
Philemon (fih-LEE-mon)  
Endymion (en-DIM-ee-uhn)  
Selene (sih-LEE-nee)  
Daphne (DAFF-nee)

## Chapter 7 (II.iii)

### **Quest of the Golden Fleece**

The *Argo* (AHR-goh)  
Phrixus (FRICK-sus)  
Helle (HELL-ee)  
Pelias (PEE-li-as)  
Jason (JAY-son)  
Harpies (HAHR-peeze)  
Amazons (AM-uh-zahnz)  
Symplegades (sim-PLÉG-uh-deez)  
Medea (mih-DEE-uh)  
King Æetes (ee-EE-teez)  
Scylla (SILL-uh)  
Charybdis (kuh-RIB-dis)

## Chapter 8 (II.iv)

### **Four Great Adventures**

Phaethon (FAY-uh-thuhn)  
Helios (HEE-lee-os)  
Pegasus (PEG-uh-suhs)  
Bellerophon (buh-LAIR-uh-fon)  
Chimaera (kye-MEER-uh)  
Daedalus (DEE-duh-luhs)  
Icarus (ICK-er-uhs)  
King Minos (MYE-nos)

### **Chapter 9 (III.i)**

#### **Perseus**

Danaë (DAN-uh-ee)  
Polydectes (pahl-uh-DEK-teez)  
Gorgons (GORE-guhns)  
Medusa (muh-DOO-suh)  
Graiae (GRAY-ee)  
Hyperboreans  
(hie-per-BORE-ee-uhnz)  
Andromeda (an-DRUM-ih-duh)  
Cassiopeia (kas-ee-uh-PEE-uh)

### **Chapter 10 (III.ii)**

#### **Theseus**

Aegeus (ih-JEE-uhs)  
Athens (ATH-inz)  
Medea (mih-DEE-uh)  
Minos (MYE-nos)  
Crete (KREET)  
Minotaur (MIN-uh-tawr)  
Daedalus (DEE-duh-luhs)  
Labyrinth (LAB-uh-rinth)  
Ariadne (air-ee-ADD-nee)  
Hercules (HER-kyoo-leez)  
Chair of Forgetfulness  
Amazons (AM-uh-zahnz)

### **Chapter 11 (III.iii)**

#### **Hercules**

Theseus (THEE-see-uhs)  
Eurystheus (yoo-RIS-thee-uhs)  
The Twelve Labors  
Hydra  
Augean stables  
Amazons  
Golden Apples of the Hesperides  
Atlas  
Cerberus

### **Chapter 12 (III.iv)**

#### **Atalanta**

Calydonian boar hunt  
Golden Apples of the Hesperides

### **Chapters 13-14 (IV.i-ii)**

#### **The Trojan War and The Fall of Troy**

the *Iliad*  
Eris  
Paris  
Helen  
Menelaus  
Agamemnon  
Odysseus  
Achilles  
King Priam  
Queen Hecuba  
Hector  
Thetis  
Ajax  
Diomedes  
Aeneas  
Patroclus

### **Chapters 17-19 (V.i-iii)**

#### **The House of Atreus**

Tantalus  
Niobe  
Atreus  
Agamemnon  
Menelaus  
Clytemnestra  
Aegisthus  
Iphigenia  
Electra  
Orestes  
Furies  
Euminides

#### **The House of Thebes**

Cadmus  
Harmonia  
King Laius  
Oedipus  
The Sphinx  
Teiresias  
Jacosta  
Creon  
Antigone

#### **The House of Athens**

Cecrops  
Procne  
Philomela  
Porcris  
Cephalus  
Creüsa  
Ion

### **Chapters 20-21 (VI. I-ii)**

#### **Other Stories and Creatures**

Midas  
Aesculapius  
Scylla  
Pomona  
Vertumnus  
Amalthea  
Cornucopia  
Amazons  
Arachne  
Hero  
Leander  
Leto  
Orion  
the Pleiades  
Sisyphus