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GREEK MYTHOLOGY If you want to enter the world of Greek mythology and to learn about its heroes and villains, this book has all of it in store for you! This book covers a wide variety of the famous mythological tales of Greek origin. Whether you want to know about the birth of the Titans or how Medusa became a monster, you will find it all here. If monstrous perils, heart-stirring adventures, and vengeful and scheming gods are something you are interested in, then this book will definitely appeal to your taste. Included inside are a variety of stories detailing acts of real bravery and also cowardice, Gods making selfless sacrifices and, on the other hand, committing brutal murders. All of this and more exists in the fascinating world of Greek Mythology! Here Is A Preview Of What You'll Learn About Inside... The Greek Mythology Creation Myth Life In Ancient Greece The Gods And Goddesses Demi-Gods Heroes In Greek Mythology Monsters In Greek Mythology The Most Famous Stories Of Greek Mythology Much, Much More! Get your copy today!

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Elaborate facsimile journal of a Greek mythology primer from the early nineteenth century.

Before science, there were myths. Today we see them as fiction, but in the past myths were a way to explain all the natural phenomena that surrounded mankind. Every myth present in the book is supported by additional material regarding ancient Greeks' history and culture to help our readers understand the cultural background of the time. The book also includes a genealogical tree to clarify the relationships between the different characters. "Greek Mythology" is a modern collection of ancient Greek myths gathered by History Academy to let the new generations enjoy these ancient immortal tales. Every myth is full of adventures that will amaze both experienced readers and occasional ones. This book is perfect for anyone who's passionate about mythology and art and wishes to know more about myths like Pandora's box or Prometheus' theft of fire. Greek myth has become a part of us in ways that we do not fully appreciate. In fact, heroes like Achilles, Heracles, and Perseus have helped to form the image that we have today of the hero. The basis for much of the philosophy and dramatic arts that characterize Western society today has its root in Ancient Greek culture, which was closely tied to and spurred on by Greek myth and legend. The Ancient Greeks used the tales of their gods and heroes to help understand their world and their own place in it. In Greek Mythology:

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This Book Is An In-Depth Study Of The People Of Nomadic Groups Of Central Asia Notably, The Greeks, The Ancient Iranians And Indo-Aryans Of The Indian Subcontinent From About 6000 Bce To The Last Millennium Bce. It Deals With The Evolution Of Cultures, Migrations And Settlements, Myths And Legends Gods And Heroes Of The Ancient Cultures.

Discover the exciting and fascinating world of Greek and Roman gods, goddesses, monsters, and heroes, from Zeus and Athena to Hercules, Medusa, and more! Take a journey

through Mount Olympus, Ancient Greece, and Ancient Rome with this collection of the greatest tales found in Greek and Roman mythology. From origin stories to family drama, you'll learn about the most powerful Olympic gods including Zeus, Hera, Poseidon, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Aphrodite, Hades, and more. But this book has more than just gods and goddesses! You'll also discover the dangerous and intriguing world of ancient monsters, fantastical creatures, and mortal heroes that populate some of the most awesome stories from the time, including: Atlas, who carries the weight of the world on his shoulders Kronos, a Titan who swallows his newborn children Persephone, a kidnapped goddess who becomes queen of the Underworld Minotaur, a half-bull, half-man imprisoned in a labyrinth Hydra, a poisonous serpent who grows two heads when one is severed Sirens, sea nymphs whose irresistible singing lures sailors to their doom All of these tales and more are written in a fun, kid-friendly manner, perfect for children interested in history or for fans of the Percy Jackson series.

Noted French scholar and linguist discusses gods of the continental Celts, beginnings of mythology in Ireland, Irish mother-goddesses and chieftain-gods, and heroes. Finally sort out who's who in Greek mythology—from gods, goddesses, heroes, monsters, and everyone in between! Greek mythology continues to appear in popular movies and books today but have you ever wondered about where these characters started out? Discover the origins of your favorite characters from Greek mythology with this collection of profiles to tell you who's who in classical lore! In Greek Mythology, you will discover the backstories of the heroes, villains, gods, and goddesses that enjoy popularity in today's shows and films. With comprehensive entries that outline each character's name, roles, related symbols, and foundational myths, you can get to know the roots of these personas and better understand the stories they inspire today. With this character-focused, handy reference, you will never be confused about Ancient Greece!

Journey into a world of gods and goddesses, heroes and heroines, extraordinary creatures and fantastic monsters with this beautifully illustrated introduction to Ancient Greek mythology. Perfect for children aged 7 to 9, this collection contains more than 30 enthralling new retellings of favourite myths as well as some you might not have heard before. Including Theseus and the Minotaur, The 12 labours of Herakles, and the escapades of Jason and the Argonauts, each myth is told in engaging modern language, which is easy for children to understand yet still retains the humour and intrigue of the original tales. Stunning illustrations by multi-award winning artist Katie Ponder breathe new life into each classic story. Additional feature pages delve deeper into the mythical world, providing profiles of the gods and a map detailing Odysseus' long voyage home from the Trojan War. The reference section provides key background information, such as Ancient Greek storytelling and the incredible beasts of the myths, and a pronunciation guide. Greek Myths is the perfect gift, featuring foil on the cover and beautiful illustrations throughout. Children will love exploring the tales by themselves or as bedtime stories. It will be treasured forever.

Discover the world of Greek mythology This illustrated book (in color) will immerse you in the world of the Gods of Olympus, the titans, the heroes and the mythical creatures. Learn a lot of things with the "Did you know?" anecdotes: Did you know that it is because of Artemis that the constellation of the Great Bear was born, and that the mint appeared in the Underworld? Did you know where the expression "having an Achilles heel" comes from, and what is the link between Heracles and the Milky Way? Greek Mythology for Kids - Introduction to Greek Mythology and Ancient Greece for Kids - Gods, Heroes and Monsters of Greek Myths for Children

Greek Mythology is an enormous field of study and a brief guide is a daunting task for any writer. The myths have a way of entwining one with another, and it is difficult to present a coherent story line without feeling one has omitted the best part of the story. Inside you will read about... - What Is A Myth? - The Sources Of Greek Mythology - The Creation Of The Universe And The Gods - What Of Man? What Of Woman? - The Greek Pantheon - The Trojan War - The Influence Of Greek Drama - Two Greek Mortal Heroes In Mythological Tales This guide succeeds in presenting an overall sketch of the creation of the world and the battles that follow, resulting in Zeus taking his place as the supreme god and ruling the earth from Mount Olympus. It covers the creation of man, it seems, as a bit of an afterthought for the amusement of the Olympians and some of the most famous stories that have come down to us via the writings of the great dramatists of the Classical Age. There are concise biographies of the twelve gods that make up the Olympians as well as of the heroes of the Trojan War.

Schwab's retellings of stories about Prometheus, Zeus, Heracles, Odysseus, and other ancient Greek gods and heroes are based on close adherence to the original sources.

Written for the average reader, this is a retelling of the legends of classical antiquity.

You're about to discover how the Ancient Greek Gods used their powers to manipulate those around them with both cruelty and kindness. How the depths of the maternal love the Goddesses felt for their offspring drove them to extreme vengeance, how fathers turned on their sons in fits of jealousy and hatred and how siblings united in marriage. The Gods had no moral code and found sexual gratification wherever they chose. Mothers and sons, fathers and daughters, brothers and sisters chose incestuous relationships from the day of their creation. These unions produced both human and monster offspring that either plagued the world or enhanced it. Mortals were not immune to their advances and many had affairs with the Gods creating mortal children with godly powers Learn the history of the famous battle between the Titans and the Olympians. How, for two generations history repeated itself as sons defeated fathers to become the supreme ruler over mankind. Read about the grandmother who sacrificed some of her children by turning them against her grandson and causing war and how a simple beauty contest triggered a 9 year war between the Spartans and the Trojans. All this and more is contained within these pages. Read, Learn and Enjoy. Here Is A Preview Of What You'll Learn... The Primordial Gods The Titans The Olympians Biography of Primordial Gods Greek Heroes Monsters of Ancient Greece Much, much more!

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The world-renowned classic that has enthralled and delighted millions of readers with its timeless tales of gods and heroes. Edith Hamilton's mythology succeeds like no other book in bringing to life for the modern reader the Greek, Roman and Norse myths that are the keystone of Western culture-the stories of gods and heroes that have inspired human creativity from antiquity to the present. We follow the drama of the Trojan War and the wanderings of Odysseus. We hear the tales of Jason and the Golden Fleece, Cupid and Psyche, and mighty King Midas. We discover the origins of the names of the constellations. And we recognize reference points for countless works for art, literature and culture inquiry-from Freud's Oedipus complex to Wagner's Ring Cycle of operas to Eugene O'Neill's *Mourning Becomes Electra* Both a reference text for scholars of all ages and a book to simply enjoy, *Mythology* is a classic not to be missed.

Aphrodite explores the many myths and meanings of the Greek goddess of love, sex and beauty. One of the most widely worshipped and popular deities in Greek antiquity, Aphrodite emerges from the imaginations of the ancient Greek writers and artists as a multifaceted, powerful and charismatic figure. This volume explores the importance of Aphrodite for the ancient Greeks, as well as her enduring influence as a symbol of beauty, adornment, love and sexuality in contemporary culture. In a wide-ranging investigation of the universality of Aphrodite's power and significance, this volume illuminates the numerous intricate levels of divinity embodied by the alluring figure of Aphrodite. Aphrodite offers new insights into the ancient texts and artistic representations of the goddess, as well as a comprehensive survey of the current scholarship about the origins and interpretations of Aphrodite, whilst also highlighting her eternal popular appeal across cultures and generations. A goddess of love who is not afraid to enter the battlefield; a goddess of bodily adornment who is the first to appear totally nude; a goddess born of the sea who emerges into the open sky: Aphrodite is a polyvalent deity, plural in nature, function and significance.

The subject of Greek mythology conjures up mythical stories of glorious and wonderful Greek gods, goddesses and heroes with tales of war, love and betrayal. Since ancient Greece was the birth place of philosophy, theater and politics it is understandable that such a great civilization would be capable of creating an elaborate belief system in which to help understand the world around them. Natural phenomena such as the sun, lightening and earthquakes were explained in intriguing, engaging tales that formed the structure of ancient Greek understanding. It was this belief system that has been the fascination of many the world over. Through the stories of the most prominent gods and goddesses, this book provides an insight into how Greek mythology was formed, why the Greek gods and goddesses were conceived and explores the fantastically woven stories that link these gods and goddesses together. Learn about Titans and the Olympians, the stories of their existence and why they represented elements of the natural world Discover the most prominent Greek gods, why they were either titans or Olympians and who the demigods and heroes really were. Read enthralling stories of prominent gods are such as: Cronus Atlas Prometheus Zeus Aphrodite Hermes and more... How are all these Greek mythology stories connected? The study of these gods are both interesting and complex. In order to understand them its necessary to understand how each story relates and the events that gave birth to further gods and their tales. This book delves a little deeper, highlighting the reason for the battles of the gods, the stories of their existence and their relationship to natural phenomena. Learn the answers to some of the most interesting questions Why did Uranus banish his children? How did a group of gods earn the name 'Titans'? What plan was in place to overthrow the Titans? Why did Cronus eat his own offspring? Why was Atlas punished for the war between the Titans and the Olympians? How does ancient Greece influence us today and what relevance does this civilization have to our society? Understand how ancient Greek mythology gave birth to everyday terms used in modern day language. It is surprising just how many terms are attributed to the ancient Greeks. Immerse yourself with in this wonderful ancient world with this informative Greek mythology book and educate yourself with stories that will transport you into the mindset of this fascinating civilization.

All the wonder, terror and delight of Greek mythology springs forth from the pages of this unique and much-needed anthology. Rhonda Hendricks has not only selected from the works of the ancient authors the best -- and often earliest -- versions of these tales; she has also arranged them so as to give a cumulative view of classical mythology beginning with *The Creation and The Birth of Zeus*. Of particular interest are: *The Ages of Mankind*, *The Birth of Athena*, *Oedipus the King*, *Heracles*, *Theseus*, *Jason and Medea*, *The Judgement of Paris*, *The Trojan Horse*, *Pygmalion*, and *Cupid and Psyche*. These texts offer a new perspective on classical mythology and, by so doing, cast a new light on this cornerstone of Western culture.

In this definitive assessment of the various representations and approaches to Athena, Susan Deacy does what no other has done before and brings all the aspects of this legendary figure into one, outstanding study. A survey of one of the most enduringly popular of ancient deities, the book introduces Athena's myth, cult and reception, while directing the reader to detailed discussion as and when it is appropriate. Students will find it a great help in their studies, and for the general reader with an interest in the ancient world and for those from related disciplines such as literature, art history and religion, it provides a mine of information and insight into this fascinating classical figure.

This beautifully illustrated wallchart (48' x 36') is a comprehensive family tree of the Greek gods, goddesses, heroes, and heroines from the time of Creation through the generation of the

Trojan War. In addition to complete genealogical information, the chart provides brief synopses of the myths attached to each figure and the circumstances that brought the heroes of different houses together in companionship or enmity: the Trojan War, the expedition of the Argonauts, the War of the Seven against Thebes and the Epigoni, the Calydonian Boar Hunt, and the exploits of Hercules. Twenty-seven color illustrations from classical vase paintings complement the chart's text.

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This action-packed guide includes character profiles, lavish CGI artworks of dramatic scenes from famous Greek myths, and images of artifacts from the ancient Greek period. From fates and furies to the Minotaur and Medusa, it's the perfect way to introduce (or rediscover) Ancient Greek mythology!

A wallchart describing the Gods and Heroes of Greek mythology, set out in the style of a genealogical table, with concise descriptions and illustrations taken from scenes on vases. Printed in red, black and gold; packed flat, unfolds to 48 by 35 inches.

A retelling of the greatest myths and legends of the ancient Greek gods and heroes for readers of all ages by a celebrated historical novelist. In the ancient past, the Gods and Goddesses of ancient Greece lived on Mount Olympus and ruled the world of mortals. Famous heroes shaped the course of history, beautiful women drew the gazes of gods and men alike, and the gods were both fickle in their favors and breathtakingly generous to those they smiled upon. From Midas' tragic gift to the exploits of Hercules and the curse of Pandora, renowned classicist and historical novelist Robert Graves brings the legends of ancient Greece to life in a lively, accessible way that's sure to appeal to everyone; from children to adults, and from casual readers to serious scholars.

Gods and Heroes of Ancient Greece Pantheon

The Greeks sure had many gods and heroes too! They like to look up to powerful figures and thank them for specific aspects of their lives. This devotion has created a strong culture with belief systems. The Greeks dared to imagine and it they became famous for being a great civilization. Learn about some of the gods and heroes the Greeks believed in. Buy this book today!

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