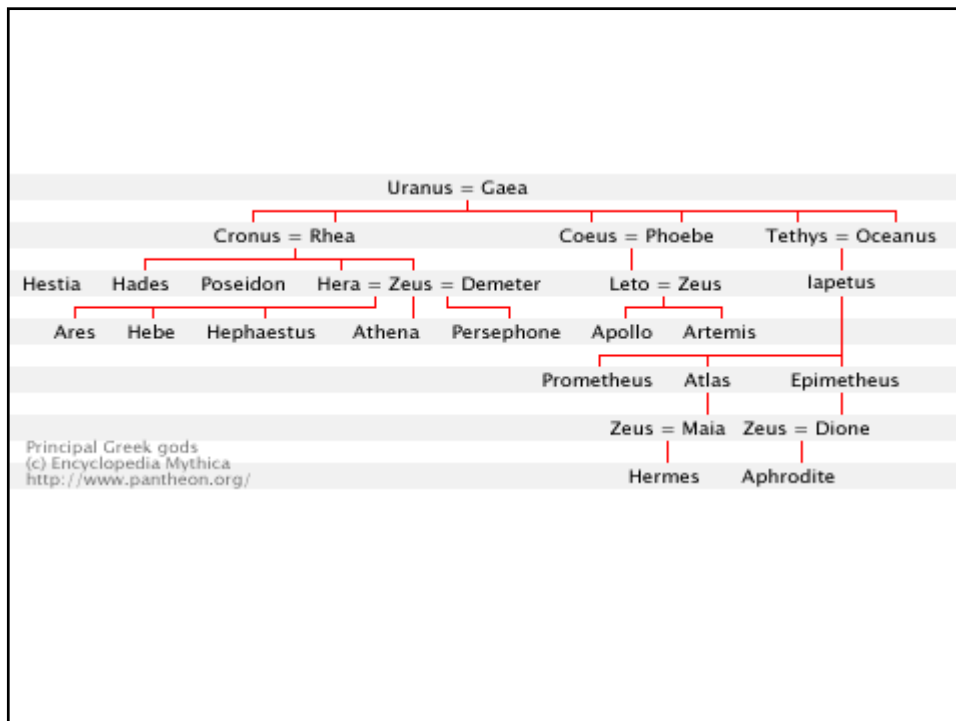


# The Cast

- Titans
  - Prometheus
  - Cronos



## The Cast

- Zeus
  - Supreme ruler – gods & men
  - Lord of the skies
  - Lightning bolts
- Hera
  - Zeus' sister & wife
  - Protector of marriage
  - Inspiration for heroes
  - Jealous

## The Cast

- Poseidon
  - God of sea
  - God of horses
  - trident
- Hades
  - God of the Underworld
  - God of wealth
  - Cerberus

## The Cast

- Athena
  - Favorite daughter of Zeus
  - Protector of civilization
  - Owl, serpent
  - Goddess of strategy
- Apollo
  - God of music, poet, truth, light, healer
  - Pretty boy

## The Cast

- Diana
  - Goddess of nature/ huntress
  - Moon goddess
  - Apollo's twin sister
  - Triple goddess – sky, earth, darkness
- Aphrodite - *Venus*
  - Goddess of love & beauty
  - Wife of Hephaestus
  - Dove

## The Cast

- Hermes – *Mercury*
  - Messenger, commerce, thieves, guide to afterlife
  - Winged hat & sandals
- Ares - *Mars*
  - God of war
  - Bloodbath – trouble!

## The Cast

- Hephaestus – *Vulcan*
  - God of fire & forge
  - Blacksmith
  - Ugly, lame
  - Married to Aphrodite
- Hestia
  - Goddess of Hearth & home
  - Served by vestal virgins



# Zeus


King of the gods  
Ruler of Olympus



# Hera


Queen of the gods  
Wife of Zeus  
Protector of home and family

This slide features two classical Greek statues. On the left is a seated statue of Zeus, depicted with a long beard and hair, wearing a draped garment, and holding a lightning bolt. On the right is a standing statue of Hera, wearing a long, intricately draped gown and holding a long scepter.



# Hades

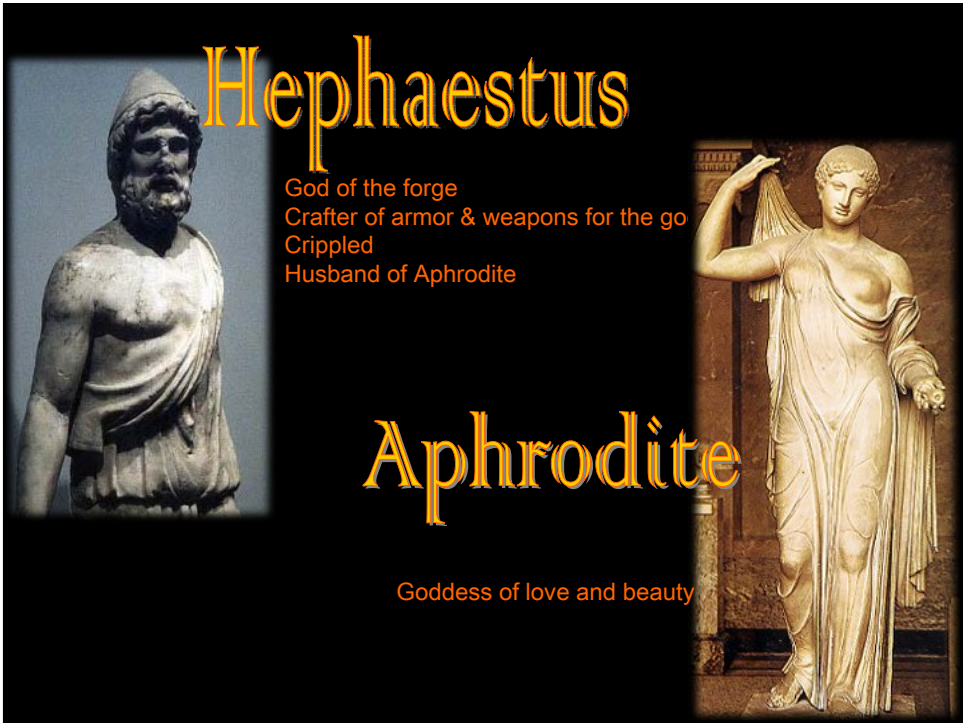
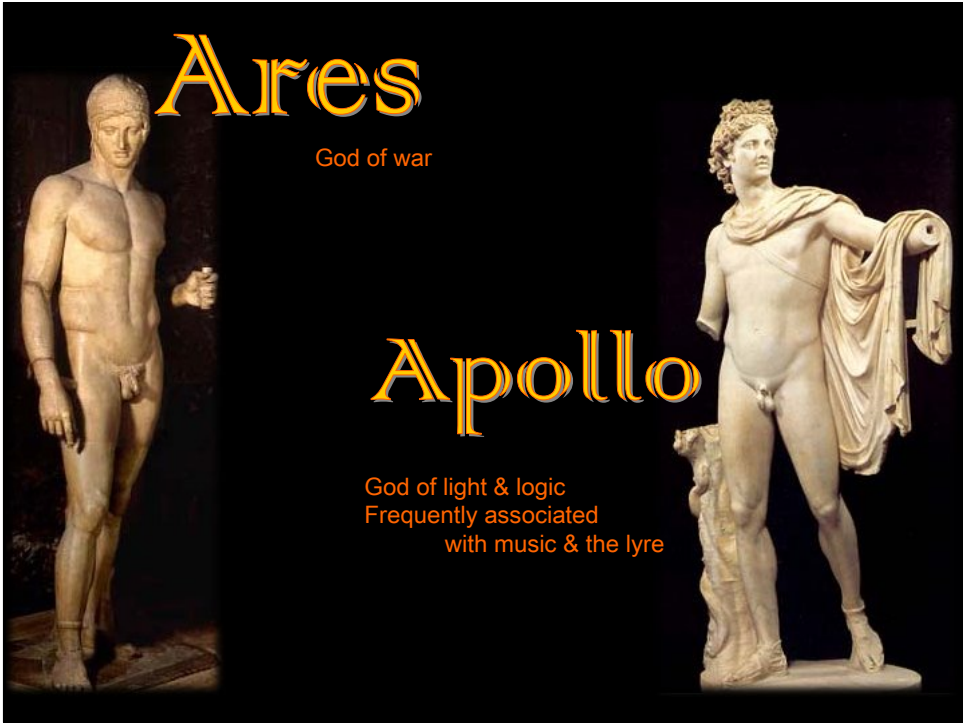
Brother of Zeus  
Lord of the underworld  
God of wealth




# Poseidon

Brother of Zeus  
Lord of the oceans  
Carrier of the trident  
Father of the Cyclops


This slide features two images. On the left is a standing statue of Hades, wearing a crown and holding a staff topped with a trident, with a two-headed dog (Cerberus) at his feet. On the right is a silver coin (aureus) depicting Poseidon riding a horse and holding a trident.






# Artemis

Virgin goddess of the hunt  
Associated with the moon




# Demeter

Goddess of the harvest  
Mother of Persephone  
Causes the seasons



# Hermes

Messenger of the gods  
Known for his winged shoes & helmet  
Patron of medicine  
Patron of travelers & Thieves



# Dionysus

God of wine, emotion & art  
Patron of theatre  
Worshipped by maenads

# Athena



Patroness of Athens  
Goddess of wisdom and strategy  
Symbols – owl & serpent  
Born from the head of Zeus

