

*Some of the following questions are quite simple – only a few word answers. Others are rather in depth. Please treat each question carefully and appropriately.*

Choose your favorite Greek god or hero and explain why you chose her/him.

What is Cronos' great fear?

What concept does the story of Pandora explain?

What is Pandora's crime? Is it the same or different from the crime of Adam and Eve in the Jewish creation story?

What does the gods' reaction to Prometheus' gift tell you about them?

Why is Orion memorialized?

What gets Arachne into trouble?

Why does Icarus die?

How does Theseus manage to navigate the labyrinth?

Discuss Jason, Theseus and Perseus...are they heroes? Who is most heroic? What makes them heroic/ un-heroic?

In the quest for the Golden Fleece, what do you think of the relationship between Jason and Medea?

Do you think Hercules is a hero? Justify your answer.

Are there any events or elements in the myths that seem familiar? Can you tell me where you've heard those themes or events before?