

Favorite Greek Myths

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Your Wish Is Granted (After "The Golden Touch")

1. Bacchus will grant you any wish! What will you wish for? Write one or two sentences telling your wish.

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Nice? Not! (After "The Weaving Contest")

2. Neither Arachne nor Minerva seems very nice. Write three words that describe Arachne and three words that describe Minerva.

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From Lovers to Lions (After "The Golden Apples")

3. Diana turned Atalanta and Hippomenes into "the animals they most resembled." How were they like lions? List three ways.

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Top Myth (End of Book)

4. Which of the three myths was your favorite? Write two or three sentences telling why.

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Greedy but Smart (*After "The Golden Touch"*)

1. Midas wishes that everything he touches would turn to gold. How could he have worded his wish more carefully? Rewrite Midas's wish so that he gets *exactly* what he wants!

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Arachne's Mistake (*After "The Weaving Contest"*)

2. Arachne was turned into a spider. Tell why she deserved her fate. Write a sentence or two.

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Venus's Revenge (*After "The Golden Apples"*)

3. Venus had reason to dislike Atalanta and Hippomenes. Write a sentence telling how Atalanta insulted Venus. Then tell what Hippomenes did to make Venus angry.

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The Punishment of the Gods (*End of Book*)

4. Which one of the characters in the three myths got the worst punishment? Tell which character you think was given the most horrible punishment and explain why you think so. Write two or three sentences.

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