

Collect the Greek Myths



Objective

- To become familiar with the characters and plots of the Greek myths.



Equipment

- Enrich school orienteering map
- Orienteering control markers
- Activity sheet
- Answer sheet



Preparation

- Teachers can use the prepared Activity Sheet.
- Alternatively, they can select a specific set of orienteering control points for this activity and insert the numbers for these control points into the editable Activity Sheet. The 2nd number from the control marker should be inserted next to the character which matches the clue.
- Children could do this activity in pairs or small groups.
- Provide each pair/group with a copy of the Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.
- Explain to children how to complete the Activity Sheet.



Instructions

- Children choose one of the clues from their Activity Sheet and write in their guess for which character matches the clue (from the list on their Activity Sheet).
- They use their orienteering map to locate the control point next to that clue.
- In the list on their Activity Sheet, the second number on the control marker at that control point is next to the character who correctly matches the clue.
- Children write the name of this character on their Activity Sheet.
- They then choose another clue from their Activity Sheet, write their guess for the character that matches the clue, run to the control point and check their guess by looking for the character which has the 2nd number from the control marker.
- They continue until they have matched each of the clues on their Activity Sheet with a character from one of the Greek Myths.



Other information

- Children should be familiar with the plots and characters from some of the Greek myths prior to doing this activity.

