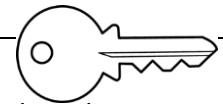




# Greek Myths



## Key Skills:

- You will be revising all of your key writing skills from primary school
- You will be introduced to narrative structure and the concept of a hero
- You will practise your speaking and listening skills by devising a group performance

## Key vocabulary:

Myth

Democracy

Legend

Folk tale

Alliteration

Onomatopoeia

Simile

Metaphor

Sibilance

Plosive sounds

Mellifluous sounds



Hellenic

Metamorphosis

Mortal

Narcissistic

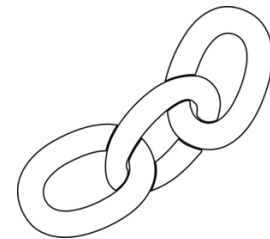
Philosopher

Polis

Hubris

## Links to learning:

This unit is a **discovery** unit. We will be looking at myths and legends from around the world and in our local community. This will link to further work in **term 2 and 3**.



## How will I be assessed?

We will use the Talk 4 Writing Process to assess you.



### Innovation task

Description of a dragon

### Hot Task

Description of your own mythical creature

## How can I challenge myself?

- Try reading the *Percy Jackson* series by Rick Riordan – can you recognise any famous characters?
- Read Terry Deary's *The Groovy Greeks* to brush up on your historical knowledge
- Enter the 'Ovid in the West Country' creative competition
- Explore some more books with mythical creatures:
  - *Narnia* series
  - *Harry Potter* series
  - *The Lord of the Rings*



## Writing Skills QLA

**W1** - Select and use the correct form of writing for a range of purposes and audiences to write imaginative, interesting and thoughtful texts

**W2** - Vary sentences for clarity, purpose and effect

**W3** - Select and use appropriate and effective vocabulary

**W4** - Organise and present whole texts effectively, sequencing and structuring information, ideas and events

**W5** - Use a range of punctuation with accuracy