**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

**Course Title:** Mythology

**Course Number:** 00090

**Course Prerequisites:** None

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| **Course Description:** | This is an elective class. The course is a general survey of Greek and Roman mythology, as well as other important myths from cultures around the world. This class will enhance the student’s classroom experience by explaining myths that are alluded to in language arts and other academic classes, as well as comparing and contrasting myths from cultures around the world to illustrate how they are similar to and different from one another in regard to mythologies. Students will also study vocabulary derived from Greek and Roman etymologies.  |

**Suggested Grade Level**: Grades 10-12

**Length of Course:** One Semester

**Units of Credit:** .5

**PDE Certification and Staffing Policies and Guidelines (CSPG) Required Teacher Certifications:**

CSPG 42

To find the CSPG information, go to [CSPG](https://www.education.pa.gov/Educators/Certification/Staffing%20Guidelines/Pages/default.aspx)

**Certification verified by the WCSD Human Resources Department:** [x] Yes [ ] No

**WCSD STUDENT DATA SYSTEM INFORMATION**

**Course Level:** Academic

**Mark Types:** Check all that apply.

[x] F – Final Average [x] MP – Marking Period [x] EXM – Final Exam

**GPA Type**: [ ]  GPAEL-GPA Elementary [ ]  GPAML-GPA for Middle Level [x]  NHS-National Honor Society

[x]  UGPA-Non-Weighted Grade Point Average [x]  GPA-Weighted Grade Point Average

**State Course Code**: 01069

To find the State Course Code, go to [State Course Code](https://nces.ed.gov/forum/sced.asp), download the Excel file for *SCED*, click on SCED 6.0 tab, and chose the correct code that corresponds with the course.

**TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS**

**Board Approved Textbooks, Software, and Materials:**

**Title:**  Mythology and You

**Publisher:** Glencoe Learning

**ISBN #:**  0-07-872907-6

**Copyright Date:** 2005

**WCSD Board Approval Date:** 09.01.2017

**Supplemental Materials:**

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| **Required** | **Optional** |
| **World Mythology** | **Edith Hamilton’s Mythology** |
| **\*\*Glencoe** | **Mythology** |
| **\*\*0-07-872909-2 Copyright 2005** |  |

**Curriculum Document**

**WCSD Board Approval:**

**Date Finalized:** 6/5/2020

**Date Approved:**  6/29/2020

**Implementation Year:** 2020-2021

**SPECIAL EDUCATION, 504, and GIFTED REQUIREMENTS**

The teacher shall make appropriate modifications to instruction and assessment based on a student’s Individual Education Plan (IEP), Chapter 15 Section 504 Plan (504), and/or Gifted Individual Education Plan (GIEP).

**SCOPE AND SEQUENCE OF CONTENT, CONCEPTS, AND SKILLS**

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| **Performance Indicator** | **PA Core Standard and/or Eligible Content** | **Month Taught and Assessed for Mastery**  |
| Determine and analyze the relationship between two or more central ideas of a text, including the development and interaction of the central ideas; provide an objective summary of the text. | CC.1.2.11–12.A | DecemberChoose an item. |
| Cite strong and thorough textual evidence to support analysis of what the text says explicitly, as well as inferences and conclusions based on and related to an author’s implicit and explicit assumptions and beliefs. | CC.1.2.11–12.B | SeptemberChoose an item. |
| Read and comprehend literary nonfiction and informational text on grade level, reading independently and proficiently | CC.1.2.11–12.L | DecemberDecember |
| Analyze the impact of the author’s choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama. | CC.1.3.11–12.C | DecemberChoose an item. |
| Demonstrate knowledge of foundational works of literature that reflect a variety of genres in the respective major periods of literature, including how two or more texts from the same period treat similar themes or topics. | CC.1.3.11–12.H | DecemberChoose an item. |
| Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade-level reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies and tools. | CC.1.3.11–12.I | SeptemberChoose an item. |
| Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases, sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when considering a word or phrase important to comprehension or expression. | CC.1.3.11–12.J | NovemberChoose an item. |
| Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately. | CC.1.4.11–12.A | OctoberChoose an item. |
| Demonstrate a grade-appropriate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling | CC.1.4.11–12.F | SeptemberChoose an item. |
| Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences. | CC.1.4.11–12.X | JanuaryChoose an item. |
| Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions on grade-level topics, texts, and issues, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively | CC.1.5.11–12.A | NovemberChoose an item. |

**ASSESSMENTS**

**PSSA Academic Standards, Assessment Anchors, and Eligible Content:** The teacher must be knowledgeable of the PDE Academic Standards, Assessment Anchors, and Eligible Content and incorporate them regularly into planned instruction.

**Formative Assessments:** The teacher will utilize a variety of assessment methods to conduct in-process evaluations of student learning.

**Effective formative assessments for this course include:** Pre-Assessments of Prior Knowledge, Bell Ringers/Problems of the Day, Discussions, Teacher Observation/ Questioning, Graphic Organizers, Summarizing, Retelling, Oral Presentations, Open-Ended Responses

**Summative Assessments:** The teacher will utilize a variety of assessment methods to evaluate student learning at the end of an instructional task, lesson, and/or unit.

**Effective summative assessments for this course include:** Essays, Open-Ended Responses, Projects, Quizzes/Tests, and Student Presentations