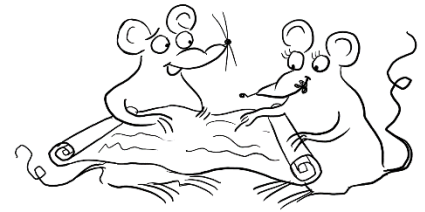


# Myths



Tick, highlight or circle the correct answer.

1. Procrustes killed visitors to his inn using a magic piece of furniture. What was it?		
a cupboard	a bed	a chair
2. Which Greek hero was cleverer than Procrustes and managed to stop his wicked deeds?		
Theseus	Jason	Achilles
3. King Midas was given a special gift from the gods, so that everything he touched turned to gold. What turned to gold and made him so sad that he asked the gods to take away this gift?		
an apple	a cup of water	his daughter
4. How did Midas get rid of this golden touch?		
he made a sacrifice to the gods	he prayed to Bacchus	he washed in the River Pactolus.
5. What terrible mistake did Pyramus make when he came to meet his girlfriend Thisbe?		
He thought he had come to the wrong meeting-place	He thought Thisbe didn't love him anymore	He thought she had been killed by a lioness
6. What was the result of Pyramus' mistake?		
she turned up unexpectedly	he stabbed himself	he went to look for her
7. How did the baby Mercury make the god Apollo angry?		
he stole six of his cows	he stole his pigs	he stole his sun chariot
8. When Mercury realised that he had done wrong what did he give Apollo to say sorry?		
more animals	a musical instrument	a weapon
9. Jupiter decided to keep Mercury on Mount Olympus and made him the god of tricksters. What other job did Mercury have?		
he was the god of animals	he was the messenger god	he had to wait on Apollo
10. Procrustes, Midas, Pyramus and Mercury. Which one do you feel sorry for and why? Give a short reason.		

How did you get on?



# Myths

All the gods in Greek and Roman mythology had special roles and responsibilities. Fill in the spaces in the table below.

Greek name	Roman name	Special role
Poseidon	Neptune	<i>The god of the sea</i>
Athena	Minerva	
Hermes	Mercury	
Zeus	Jupiter	
Dionysus	Bacchus	
Artemis	Diana	
Demeter	Ceres	
Hera	Juno	
Ares	Mars	
Aphrodite	Venus	
Hades	Pluto	
Hephaestus	Vulcan	
Apollo	Apollo	



How did you get on?

