

2016-2017 Syllabus

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Conference : B day Period 4th

COURSE DESCRIPTION

GREEK MYTHOLOGY

An introduction to the central Greek myths and the fundamental ideas about human life explored in them. The course is intended to cast light on various aspects of Classical culture, some quite alien today, many still resonant in modern times; but we shall also pay equal attention to the interesting problem of how ancient mythical narratives bear meaning and even a kind of truth not only for those who once actually believed them but for us today.

MATERIALS REQUIRED

Folder or binder, notebook paper, black (or blue) and red pens, pencil, dry erase marker

EVALUATION

Major Grades = 40%

Quizzes

Short papers

Major projects

Daily = 60 %

Homework

Classwork

Vocabulary quizzes

Notebook Checks/Note Checks

MAKE-UP WORK

Make-up work is the student's responsibility. If a student misses class on the day of a test, he/she must schedule the make up test on the day he/she returns to class at the time established by the instructor. If no arrangements are made, or if he/she fails to show up at the arranged time, he/she will receive a zero. Assignments and tests are posted daily on my website (available through the link on the school's website).

If a student misses class on the day a major project is due, he/she is expected either to email the project to the instructor or to turn the project in before the beginning of the regular school day on the day the student returns to school.

All other make-up work must be done within the allotted time, according to school policy. Students should not expect to make-up tests, quizzes, etc., during class time.

LATE WORK

Students are expected to complete all work on time. Major projects will be penalized for each calendar day they are turned in after the due date.

ACADEMIC DISHONESTY

Students who copy homework or give or receive information about tests are violating the honor code, and will be disciplined accordingly.

Students talking, passing notes, using a cell phone, or communicating in any way during testing will be regarded as cheating and disciplined according to school honor code policy.

TUTORIALS

Tutorial times for French will be after school by appointment.

ATTENDANCE/TARDIES

Because the class builds upon and practices new concepts and vocabulary every day, attendance is very important. Tardy students disrupt class, so students who are tardy more than one time will face disciplinary consequences.

Lessons are subject to change depending on students' need and/or progress. There will be frequent announced and unannounced quizzes (oral and written).