

## English 10 Honors Summer Reading Assignment 2018-19

You may sign out a copy of Edith Hamilton's *Mythology* from the English office and return it at the beginning of the next school year. **You'll need to make a copy of each of the four docs below, so you can add in your responses. The Google Classroom code for English 10 Honors Summer Reading Assignment 2018-19 is awhfhp5.** Please enroll in the class using this code as any updates will be done through this GC site.

- You are required to read Chapters 1-16 in Edith Hamilton's *Mythology*.
  - You are to complete the attached reading guides for each section.
  - You will be responsible for the content and there will be at least two tests on the content the first nine-weeks.
  - Once our Google Classroom has been created at the beginning of the 2018-19 school year, there will be a place to submit these completed assignments.
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- We will use the content that you have read and begun to learn over the summer to explore the importance of classical mythology as a foundation for the study of literature and the narrative form.
  - We will use the content that you have read and begun to learn over the summer to lay a foundation for our study of Greek Tragedy and the dramatic form.
  - We will use the content that you have read and begun to learn over the summer to explore the importance of classical mythology as a foundation for the development of an expanded vocabulary which focuses on Greek and Latin roots, prefixes, and suffixes.
  - We will use the content that you have read and begun to learn over the summer developing analytical skills to compare to myths from around the world focusing on similarities and differences.
  - We will use the content that you have read and begun to learn over the summer as a foundation for understanding specific literary and academic terms that you will see on the SOL and that you will use throughout your academic career.
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Directions: As you read each section in Edith Hamilton's *Mythology*, answer the questions for each study guide. You will be able to find the answers in the text. My suggestion is that you read a section of the text and then go back and complete the corresponding section of the study guide. My hope is that you will enjoy the tales and that you will begin the new year with inquisitive observations. The first study guide has many questions on a lot of discreet content as there is much information to learn (You need to think of this as learning foundational history for the study of literature and the humanities.); the answers are much of what you are expected to know from the content reading. These study guides along with the work you do in class will provide valuable assistance in preparing for assessments. The number of questions diminishes as the study guides progress. Study Guides will be due the Sunday night following the first week of school.

**You'll need to access the study guides in Google classroom and make a copy of each so you can add in your responses. (awhfhp5)**

- Edith Hamilton Mythology Study Guide for Part 1 - Chapters 1-4
- Edith Hamilton Mythology Study Guide for Part 2 - Chapters 5-8
- Edith Hamilton Mythology Study Guide for Part 3 - Chapters 9-12
- Edith Hamilton Mythology Study Guide for Part 4 - Chapters 13-16

Enjoy your summer reading. There is no other assignment for the summer, but I strongly encourage you to pick up a book or books on a topic or subject that interests you. These books can be fiction or nonfiction. Reading is a skill that needs to be practiced and you get better at it the more you do.