

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to write a short story about a Greek god or goddess.

## Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencil
- Reference materials about Greek gods and goddesses (books, websites, etc.)

## Activities

1. Research a Greek god or goddess of your choice. Use the reference materials to gather information about their characteristics, powers, and stories.
2. Write a short story about the chosen Greek god or goddess. Include an introduction, a problem or conflict, and a resolution. Be creative and use descriptive language to make your story engaging.
3. Revise and edit your story. Check for spelling, grammar, and punctuation errors. Make sure your sentences flow smoothly and your ideas are clear.
4. Create an illustration to accompany your story. Use your imagination to depict a scene from your story that captures the essence of the Greek god or goddess.
5. Share your story and illustration with a family member or friend. Ask for feedback and listen to their thoughts and suggestions.

## Second Grade Talking Points

- "Today, we are going to learn about Greek gods and goddesses. They were powerful beings in Greek mythology, which is a collection of stories and beliefs from ancient Greece."
- "Greek gods and goddesses had different powers and characteristics. They were often associated with natural elements, like the sun, sea, or sky. They also had human-like emotions and personalities."
- "To learn more about Greek gods and goddesses, we will research and gather information. We can use books or websites to find interesting facts and stories about them."
- "Once we have gathered enough information, we will use our creativity to write a short story about a Greek god or goddess. In our story, we will introduce the character, create a problem or conflict, and find a resolution."
- "After writing our story, we will revise and edit it. We will check for spelling, grammar, and punctuation errors, and make sure our sentences make sense and flow smoothly."
- "To make our story even more exciting, we will create an illustration to go along with it. Our illustration will show a scene from our story and help others visualize the Greek god or goddess."
- "Finally, we will share our story and illustration with someone else. We can ask for their feedback and listen to their thoughts and suggestions. Sharing our work with others helps us become better writers."