

## RESEARCH TASK CARDS

### The Iliad and the Trojan War

Your Anchor Chart must include each of these:

- A title (written prominently).
- An image that illustrates an important concept for the topic.

Your Anchor Chart must include a short paragraph about 3 of the following concepts:

- A brief summary of the Trojan War.
- Major characters (at least 3)
  - Who they were and what role they played in the story.
- The role of gods and goddesses in the war.
- Connections between The Iliad and the Odyssey.

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### Greek Gods and Goddesses

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Your Anchor Chart must include a short paragraph about 3 of the following concepts:

- Names and roles of at least 3 major Olympian gods (Zeus, Athena, Poseidon, etc.).
- 3 examples of punishment/reward from gods.
  - Include who and why
- The importance of rituals, sacrifices, and temples to Ancient Greeks.
- The Greek concept of hospitality (*xenia*) and how it connects to the gods.

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## Homer and Epic Poetry

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Your Anchor Chart must include a short paragraph about 3 of the following concepts:

- Who Homer was (the legend and reality).
- How poems like the Iliad and Odyssey were transmitted in Ancient Greece
- Epic Poetry
  - What it is and what makes it different from other types of poetry.
- Homeric Epithets
  - What they are and examples.

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## Heroes and Monsters

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- Notable Ancient Greek heroes (at least 3).
  - Who they were and what their most famous feats.
- Famous Ancient Greek monsters (at least 3).
  - What they were, who fought/encountered them.
- Characteristics of an Ancient Greek hero (at least 3).
  - Include specific examples (who had this characteristic, how did it help them).
- Common heroic flaws (at least 3).
  - Include specific examples (who had this flaw, what effect did it have on them).

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## Ancient Greece

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Your Anchor Chart must include a short paragraph about 3 of the following concepts:

- Important Historical Events (at least 3).
  - Include the date, what happened, and why it was important.
- Geography (islands, seas, mountains) and city-states.
- Artistic achievements (sculpture, pottery, theater, etc.).
- Government systems (early democracy, kingships, etc.).

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