

# Mr. P's Class Quiz

## SOCIAL STUDIES TEST: Ancient Greece

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1. Circle which of these are city-states.

- a. Athens
- b. Sparta
- c. Greece
- d. Persia

2. Polis means:

- a. A Greek army
- b. A Greek who can vote in an election
- c. A city-state
- d. A government style

<p>_____ Monarchy</p> <p>_____ Oligarchy</p> <p>_____ Tyranny</p> <p>_____ Democracy</p>	<p>3. Match the government with its definition.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Rule by vote of the people, many can vote- Athens</li><li>B. Rule by one powerful man, he controls through military force</li><li>C. Rule by king, the title is inherited- Mycenae</li><li>D. Rule by elite group of men- Sparta</li></ul>
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4. Which city-state led a Greek coalition to fight the city-state of Troy?

- a. Mycenae
- b. Sparta
- c. Athens
- d. Ithaca

5. According to legend, how did the Greeks win the Trojan War?

6. TRUE or FALSE Archaeologists have found evidence that the Trojan War actually happened and that Troy really existed.

7. Describe how Greece's geography differs from Ancient Egypt's. Answer fully. Don't take a short-cut.

8. How did geography affect Greek civilization?

A. \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What was the cause of the Persian War? What was its outcome?

10. Which city-state played a major role in the Persian War and emerged with a vast amount of power after the war?

- a. Sparta
- b. Athens
- c. Persia
- d. Corinth

11. Explain why Sparta started the Peloponnesian War against Athens. Was their decision justified?

12. What condition was Greece left in after this war?

13. What region was Alexander the Great from?

- a. Athens
- b. Sparta
- c. Macedonia
- d. Persia

14. Why was democracy perceived as a threat by most of the city-states in Greece?

Match the Greek god or goddess to their role.

<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. ____ Zeus</li><li>2. ____ Hermes</li><li>3. ____ Aphrodite</li><li>4. ____ Athena</li><li>5. ____ Poseidon</li><li>6. ____ Artemis</li><li>7. ____ Hades</li><li>8. ____ Apollo</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. God of music, arts, knowledge, associated with the sun</li><li>b. God of the sea, floods, and earthquakes</li><li>c. God of the underworld and the dead</li><li>d. God of travel, trade, messenger of the gods</li><li>e. Goddess of beauty, love, desire</li><li>f. Goddess of the hunt, associated with bows and arrows</li><li>g. Goddess of wisdom, intelligence, battle strategy</li><li>h. King of the gods, god of sky, lightning</li></ol>
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15. Choose one Greek. Explain who they were, what their major accomplishments were, and what their lasting impact on Greece or the world was.