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for

The Odyssey

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INTRODUCTION

If you already own the LitPlan for this title, this Puzzle Pack will refresh your Unit Resource Materials and Vocabulary Resource Materials sections plus give you additional materials you can substitute into the tests. If you do not already have a complete LitPlan, these pages will give you some supplemental materials to use with your own plan. There are two main groups of materials: one set for unit words (such as characters' names, symbols, places, etc.) and one set for vocabulary words associated with the book.

WORD LIST

There is a word list for both the unit words and the vocabulary words. These lists show you which words are being used in the materials and the clues or definitions being used for those words. You may want to give students a word list with clues/definitions to help them, or you may want students to only have a word list (without clues/definitions) if you want them to work a little harder. Both are available for duplication. The word lists can also be your "calling key" for the bingo games.

FILL IN THE BLANK AND MATCHING

There are 4 each of the fill in the blank and matching worksheets for both the unit and vocabulary words. These pages can be used either as extra worksheets for students or as objective parts of a unit test. They can be done individually if students need extra help or as a whole class activity to review the material covered.

MAGIC SQUARES

The magic squares not only reinforce the material covered but also work on reasoning and math skills. Many teachers have told us that their students really enjoy doing these!

WORD SEARCH PUZZLES

The word search words go in all directions, as indicated on your answer keys. Two of the word search puzzles have the clues listed rather than the words. This makes the puzzle a little more difficult, but it reinforces the material better. Two word search puzzles have words only for students who find the clue puzzles too difficult.

CROSSWORD PUZZLES

Both unit and vocabulary word sections have 4 crossword puzzles.

BINGO CARDS

There are 32 individual bingo cards for the unit words and 32 individual bingo cards for the vocabulary words. You can use your word list as a "call list," calling the words at random and marking them off of your list as you go, or you could use the flash cards by cutting them apart and drawing the words at random from a hat (or box or whatever). To make a better review, you might ask for the definition and spelling of each word as you call it out—or you could call out the definitions and have students tell you the words they need to look for on the puzzle.

JUGGLE LETTERS

The vocabulary juggle letter game is intended to help students learn the spellings of the words. One sheet has the definitions listed on it as an extra help for students who need it or to reinforce the definitions if you choose to do so.

FLASH CARDS

We've included a set of vocabulary flash cards you can duplicate, cut, and fold for your students. Some teachers make a few sets for general use by the class; others make a set for each student. Some teachers duplicate them for each student and have the students cut & fold their own. You can cut out just the words and put them in a hat, have each student pick out one word and write the definition and a sentence for that word. Students then swap words and papers, with the next student adding a sentence of his own under the last one. You can have students swap as many times as you like. Each time the student will read the sentences written prior to his own and then add a sentence. You can cut out the words and definitions separately and play "I Have; Who Has?" Each student in the room draws a word and definition. The first student says, "I have (the name of the word). Who has the definition?" The student with the definition reads it then says, "I have (the name of the vocabulary word she has). Who has the definition?" The round continues until all words and definitions have been given.

Odyssey Fill In The Blanks 1

1. Faithful wife of Odysseus
2. One of the suitors; threw a stool at Odysseus
3. One of Homer's names for the Greeks
4. Nurse for both Odysseus & Telemakhos
5. Goddess who kept Odysseus on her island for years
6. Helen's husband; King of Sparta
7. Wife and murderer of Agamemnon
8. Wife of Menelaus; the Prince of Troy abducted her
9. God of the sun; owner of cattle
10. Daughter of the King of Phaikia
11. King of Pylos; reminisces about the good old days
12. Nymphs whose singing entices men to land on their island
13. Blind prophet whom Odysseus visited in the underworld
14. A mortal to whom the gods have given control of the winds
15. Hero of the Trojan War who goes on a journey
16. The one-eyed giants
17. Agamemnon's son
18. Odysseus's dog
19. Goddess who gave Odysseus her veil
20. Father of Odysseus

Odyssey Matching 1

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|------------------------|--|
| ___ 1. KALYPSO | A. Agamemnon's son |
| ___ 2. HELIOS | B. Helen's husband; King of Sparta |
| ___ 3. KLYTIAMNESTRA | C. Father of Odysseus |
| ___ 4. ARGUS | D. A mortal to whom the gods have given control of the winds |
| ___ 5. ORESTES | E. Home of the Phaiakians |
| ___ 6. EURYMACHOS | F. Race of cannibals |
| ___ 7. KYKLOPES | G. Plate-like object that is thrown in contests |
| ___ 8. ODYSSEUS | H. Bird often used as omen |
| ___ 9. EAGLE | I. They were important to the Greeks; presents |
| ___ 10. GIFTS | J. The one-eyed giants |
| ___ 11. NESTOR | K. King of Pylos; reminisces about the good old days |
| ___ 12. KIRKE | L. Wife and murderer of Agamemnon |
| ___ 13. CROSSBOW | M. Native land and home of Odysseus |
| ___ 14. AEOLUS | N. Nurse for both Odysseus & Telemakhos |
| ___ 15. LAESTRYGONIANS | O. A visitor in Ithaka; really Athena disguised |
| ___ 16. ELPENOR | P. Nymphs whose singing entices men to land on their island |
| ___ 17. ITHAKA | Q. One of Odysseus' crew; fell from Kirke's roof |
| ___ 18. SEIRINES | R. Weapon of Odysseus |
| ___ 19. MENELAUS | S. Hero of the Trojan War who goes on a journey |
| ___ 20. INO | T. Goddess who tried to turn Odysseus & crew into pigs |
| ___ 21. DISCUS | U. God of the sun; owner of cattle |
| ___ 22. SKHERIA | V. Goddess who gave Odysseus her veil |
| ___ 23. LAERTES | W. Odysseus's dog |
| ___ 24. EURYKLEIA | X. Goddess who kept Odysseus on her island for years |
| ___ 25. MENTOR | Y. One of the suitors; threw a stool at Odysseus |

Odyssey Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

- A. SEIRINES
- B. TELEMAKHOS
- C. KHARYBDIS
- D. CROSSBOW
- E. TEIRESIAS
- F. NAUSIKAA

- G. NESTOR
- H. ODYSSEUS
- I. AGAMEMNON
- J. LAERTES
- K. ZEUS
- L. KIRKE

- M. ELPENOR
- N. EURYKLEIA
- O. ARGUS
- P. PENELOPE

- 1. Daughter of the King of Phaikia
- 2. King of Mycene; murdered by his wife & her lover
- 3. Odysseus's dog
- 4. Weapon of Odysseus
- 5. One of Odysseus' crew; fell from Kirke's roof
- 6. Son of Odysseus
- 7. Hero of the Trojan War who goes on a journey
- 8. King of the gods; lives on Mt. Olympus
- 9. Whirlpool that sucked down ship and crewmen
- 10. Faithful wife of Odysseus
- 11. Father of Odysseus
- 12. Blind prophet whom Odysseus visited in the underworld
- 13. Goddess who tried to turn Odysseus & crew into pigs
- 14. King of Pylos; reminisces about the good old days
- 15. Nymphs whose singing entices men to land on their island
- 16. Nurse for both Odysseus & Telemakhos

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

Odyssey Word Search 1

Words are placed backwards, forward, diagonally, up and down. Clues listed below can help you find the words. Circle the hidden vocabulary words in the maze.

K	H	A	R	Y	B	D	I	S	L	E	U	M	A	E	U	S	C
W	E	Z	W	T	A	T	K	Y	A	P	S	U	I	T	O	R	S
B	L	T	N	M	E	C	T	R	E	O	L	A	E	R	T	E	S
K	E	O	P	Q	O	N	J	S	S	L	B	G	K	T	P	E	C
H	N	Y	R	C	L	J	A	B	T	E	S	W	A	D	U	D	K
T	Z	W	C	E	U	I	W	R	R	N	K	B	L	R	E	C	M
G	A	R	G	U	S	O	N	L	Y	E	S	K	Y	L	L	A	Y
P	N	S	S	E	B	T	M	V	G	P	M	K	P	J	P	S	Y
W	D	R	R	S	G	G	E	E	O	H	L	H	S	M	E	X	S
J	Q	I	S	A	S	M	S	S	N	E	A	B	O	I	N	O	V
D	E	O	S	U	K	U	S	O	I	E	P	D	M	P	O	Q	P
T	R	H	E	C	E	H	D	A	A	A	L	P	E	G	R	K	B
C	N	Z	E	S	U	I	A	V	N	G	G	A	N	S	A	Y	E
L	S	E	S	L	E	S	T	I	S	L	I	M	U	W	I	K	V
S	F	Y	S	S	I	H	C	H	A	E	F	E	R	S	R	L	M
C	D	W	O	T	V	O	P	A	A	N	T	N	W	I	E	O	D
O	B	P	W	K	O	P	S	D	R	K	S	T	K	P	H	P	M
L	F	S	E	N	I	R	I	E	S	D	A	O	H	C	K	E	Q
Y	K	L	Y	T	I	A	M	N	E	S	T	R	A	F	S	S	S

A mortal to whom the gods have given control of the winds (6)

A visitor in Ithaca; really Athena disguised (6)

Agamemnon's son (7)

Bird often used as omen (5)

Blind prophet whom Odysseus visited in the underworld (9)

Faithful wife of Odysseus (8)

Father of Odysseus (7)

God of the sea; seeks revenge on Odysseus for blinding his son (8)

God of the sun; owner of cattle (6)

Goddess who gave Odysseus her veil (3)

Goddess who kept Odysseus on her island for years (7)

Goddess who tried to turn Odysseus & crew into pigs (5)

Helen's husband; King of Sparta (8)

Hero of the Trojan War who goes on a journey (8)

Home of the Phaiakians (7)

King of Pylos; reminisces about the good old days (6)

King of the gods; lives on Mt. Olympus (4)

Means by which which Odysseus is recognized

by nurse (4)

Native land and home of Odysseus (6)

Nurse for both Odysseus & Telemakhos (9)

Nymphs whose singing entices men to land on their island (8)

Odysseus' faithful swineherd (7)

Odysseus's dog (5)

One of Homer's names for the Greeks (8)

One of Odysseus' crew; fell from Kirke's roof (7)

Plate-like object that is thrown in contests (6)

Race of cannibals (14)

Ruler of the underworld; brother to Zeus and Poseidon (5)

Sign of good or bad luck to come (4)

Six-headed monster (6)

The men who wanted to marry Penelope (7)

The one-eyed giants (8)

They were important to the Greeks; presents (5)

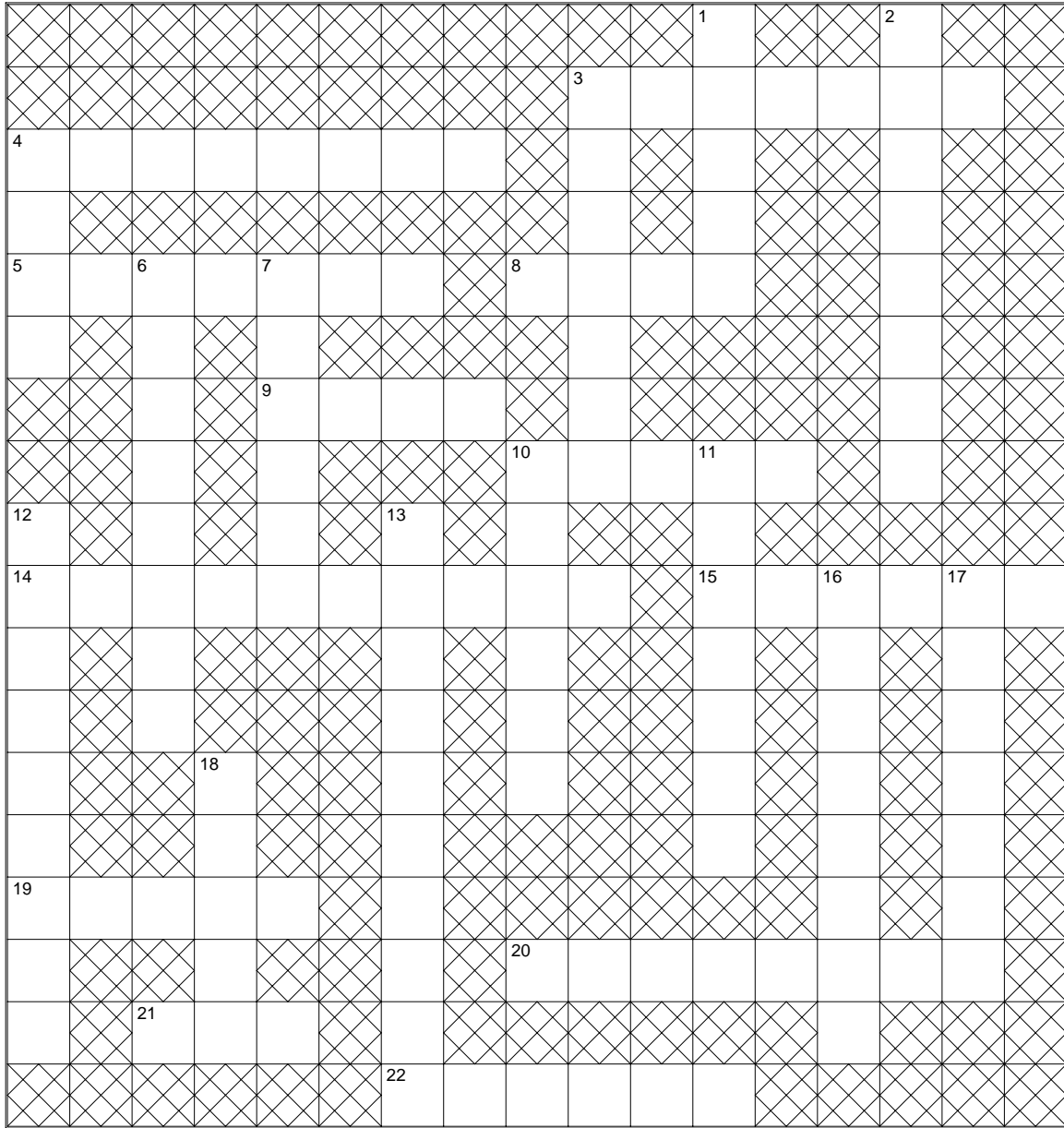
Weapon of Odysseus (8)

Whirlpool that sucked down ship and crewmen (9)

Wife and murderer of Agamemnon (13)

Wife of Menelaus; the Prince of Troy abducted her (5)

Odyssey Crossword 1



Across

3. The men who wanted to marry Penelope
4. Hero of the Trojan War who goes on a journey
5. One of Odysseus' crew; fell from Kirke's roof
8. King of the gods; lives on Mt. Olympus
9. Means by which which Odysseus is recognized by nurse
10. Ruler of the underworld; brother to Zeus and Poseidon
14. Guarded by Hades; the place where the dead go
15. A visitor in Ithaka; really Athena disguised
19. Bird often used as omen
20. One of Homer's names for the Greeks
21. Goddess who gave Odysseus her veil
22. Six-headed monster

Down

1. They were important to the Greeks; presents
2. Weapon of Odysseus
3. Home of the Phaiakians
4. Sign of good or bad luck to come
6. God of the sea; seeks revenge on Odysseus for blinding his son
7. King of Pylos; reminisces about the good old days
10. God of the sun; owner of cattle
11. Odysseus' faithful swineherd
12. Nurse for both Odysseus & Telemakhos
13. Kyklops who captured Odysseus & his men
16. Daughter of the King of Phaiakia
17. Agamemnon's son
18. Wife of Menelaus; the Prince of Troy abducted her

Odyssey

EUMAEUS	TEIRESIAS	ODYSSEUS	HELEN	TELEMAKHOS
ORESTES	ARGUS	KYKLOPES	LAESTRYGONIANS	SKYLLA
UNDERWORLD	EAGLE	FREE SPACE	KLYTIAMNESTRA	KHARYBDIS
INO	SEIRINES	LAERTES	ELPENOR	SCAR
POLYPHEMOS	AKHAIANS	DISCUS	ITHAKA	MENELAUS

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EURYKLEIA	NAUSIKAA	SKHERIA	NESTOR	SUITORS
POSEIDON	ZEUS	EURYMACHOS	HADES	CROSSBOW
PENELOPE	HELIOS	FREE SPACE	MENTOR	GIFTS
OMEN	AGAMEMNON	KIRKE	MENELAUS	ITHAKA
DISCUS	AKHAIANS	POLYPHEMOS	SCAR	ELPENOR