

# Mythology Resources Guide

# **Books for Kids & Tweens**

Yung In Chae's **Goddess Power: 10 Empowering Tales** of Legendary Women

*D'Aulaire's Book of Greek Myths.* This is a classic for children of all ages, with descriptions and stories of the Olympian gods, notable deities and creatures, heroes and quests.

Edith Hamilton's *Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes*. Another classic collection suitable for children.

George O'Connor's *Olympians*. This is a series of graphic novels about the Olympian gods. Appropriate for children who are around ten-years old and older.

Rick Riordan's *Percy Jackson and the Olympians* series. Greek mythological characters in a modern setting.

Simon Spence. Author of a series of illustrated retellings of Greek myths, perfect for young children.

Jason Boyett's *Lust Chaos War Fate: Timeless Tales from the Ancients* 

Bernard Evslin's Heroes, Gods and Monsters

# Websites for Adults

## https://olympiansrule.com

The official website for George O'Connor's graphic novel series.

#### https://rickriordan.com

The official website of the author of the Percy Jackson and the Olympians series, as well as many other books based on mythological stories.

## https://pantheon.org

he Encyclopedia Mythica is a massive online encyclopedia on mythology, folklore, and legends.

#### https://www.theoi.com

A massive online encyclopedia that contains information and articles on all things related to Greek mythology.

https://www.greekmythology.com Another encyclopedia with entries on gods and humans.

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# Mythology Podcasts For Younger Children

Greeking Out - Created by National Geographic

**Greek Myths for Children @Storynory** - Single voice retellings of Greek myths.

**Cambridge for Kids Ancient History Podcasts** -Short episodes for kids narrated by scholars about ancient history.

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