

# COURSE DETAIL

## GREEK MYTH: IT'S USE AND MEANING

**Country**

United Kingdom - England

**Host Institution**

University College London

**Program(s)**

University College London

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Classics

**UCEAP Course Number**

104

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

GREEK MYTH: IT'S USE AND MEANING

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

GREEK MYTH

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

The course is an introduction to the study of Greek mythology in its literary, social, historical, and philosophical context. It introduces students to leading concepts and persons of Greek mythology, which form an important foundation of Greek art, literature, and ideas. Everyone is fascinated by Greek myths: but how did these extraordinary stories arise? What was their purpose? Did the Greeks really believe them and what are our sources for them? What is the connection between myth, society and politics? What is the relationship between mythical texts and myth in art? This course looks at a range of Greek myths and suggests some answers to these questions.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

CLAS0001

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<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/module-catalogue/modules/greek-myth-its-use-and-meaning-C...>

## Host Institution Campus

University College London

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Greek and Latin

## Course Last Reviewed

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