

# Greek Cities and Cultures Guided Notes      Classical Period

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## Vocabulary

polis	Socrates
Ionia	Plato
Olympus	Aristotle
acropolis	Hippocrates
agora	Sparta
hoplites	Athens
democracy	

## Guided Questions

1. Describe the average Greek city-state.
2. What is the scholarly definition of a myth?
3. How did the Greek gods help the Greeks explain how the world works?
4. How did the Greek government work? How is a direct democracy different from a representative democracy (a.k.a. republic)?
5. Who defended the city when attacked? How were hoplites different from other kinds of warriors?
6. What were the philosophies of life of the ancient Greeks?
7. Compare/contrast Athens and Sparta.