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GREEK GODS SERIES

Apollo



Apollo was one of the most beloved Greek gods—and one of the most versatile. He was considered the god of archery, music, medicine, and much more. One of his most famous jobs was riding a flaming chariot across the sky every day: he was a sun god! There are many symbols associated with him as a result, including bows and arrows, lyres, and pythons.

Apollo was one of Zeus's sons. His twin sister Artemis was also skilled with a bow. Although he had many lovers and dozens of children, Apollo had no spouse.



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2. Did Apollo have a wife?

3. What does an *oracle* most likely do?

- a.** hunt **b.** play music **c.** heal people **d.** communicate with gods

4. Apollo and Artemis both used what weapon?

5. How does Apollo's chariot ride across the sky relate to the sun?

ANSWER KEY

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5. How does Apollo's chariot ride across the sky relate to the sun?

Answers may vary: It is like the path the sun travels from sunrise to sunset.