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Answer **all** the questions.

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### 1. Life in 5th century Athens

Below is a vase-painting of a statue of the god Dionysus being pulled through the streets of Athens in a special boat during his Festival.

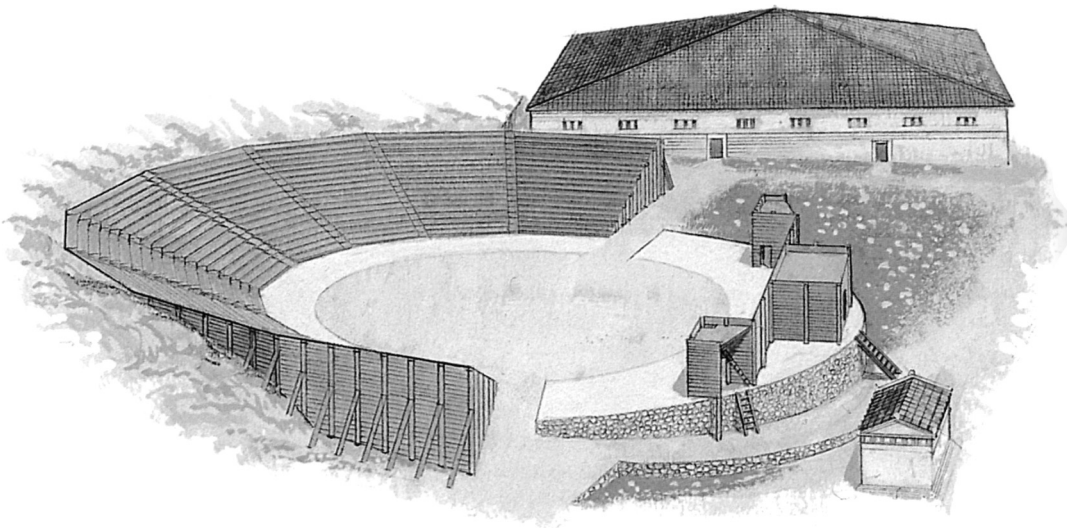


(a) At what time of the year did his Festival take place?

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The Athenians built the Theatre of Dionysus on the slopes of the Acropolis. Below is a picture of what the Theatre might have looked like then.



(b) Why do you think this was a good place to build the Theatre?

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**1. (continued)**

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(c) The Athenians enjoyed going to the Theatre. In what way can we tell this by looking at the picture?	<b>1</b>		
(d) Write down <b>two</b> things you would have enjoyed if you had attended a performance of plays there.	<b>2</b>		
(e) Why do you think people in ancient Athens enjoyed taking part in festivals in honour of the gods and goddesses? Give <b>two</b> reasons for your answer.	<b>2</b>		

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Reason 1 \_\_\_\_\_

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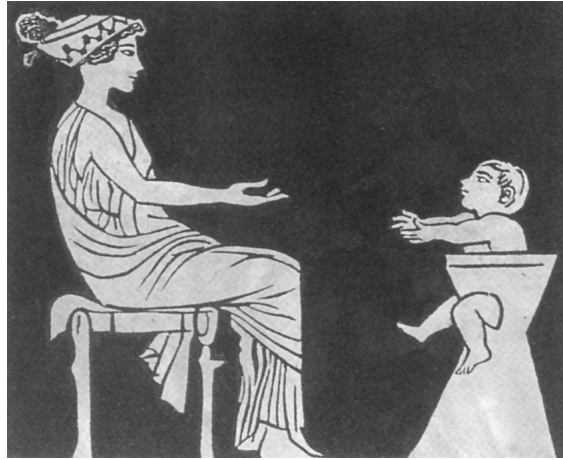
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## 2. Life in 5th century Athens

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The vase-painting below shows a young mother and her baby.



(a) Who helped the young mother to look after the baby?

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(b) After birth some babies were taken away and left outside to die.  
Give **two** reasons why this happened.

Reason 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Reason 2 \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Who decided whether this should happen?

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(d) (i) Why do you think people at that time thought it was **not wrong** to do this?

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(ii) Why do you think it was **wrong** to treat babies in this way?

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### 3. Life in 5th century Athens

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Below is a vase-painting of guests at a dinner party.



(a) In which part of the house were dinner parties held?

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(b) What group of people was **not** allowed to attend?

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(c) Compare a dinner party in ancient Athens with a meal in modern times when friends are invited to the house.

Write down **two** differences.

Difference 1 Then \_\_\_\_\_

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Now \_\_\_\_\_

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Difference 2 Then \_\_\_\_\_

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Now \_\_\_\_\_

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#### 4. Life in 5th century Athens

The picture below is a copy of the statue of Athena which once stood inside her famous temple on the Acropolis.



(a) What precious metal did the Athenians use to decorate the statue?

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(b) What special kind of stone did they use to build her temple?

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(c) Why do you think the Athenians spent so much money in her honour?

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**5. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

In the battle against the Cicones, Odysseus and his men were successful **at first**.

(a) Why did things **then** go wrong for Odysseus' men?

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(b) What should Odysseus have done at this point?

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**6. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

(a) Why did Odysseus' men **not** want to return to the ship when they were on the island of the Lotus-eaters?

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(b) In what way did Odysseus show himself to be a **good** leader on this occasion?

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(c) Do you think it was the **right** thing for Odysseus to take his men away from the island of the Lotus-eaters as quickly as possible?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

YES	
NO	

Give a reason for your answer.

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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**7. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

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(a) In what ways do you think the Cyclops was a bully?

Give **two** ways.

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2 \_\_\_\_\_

2

(b) Do you think the Cyclops at any time showed he had **kind** feelings?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Give a reason for your answer.

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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(c) Do you think the Cyclops deserves any pity?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Give a reason for your answer.

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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(d) What had Odysseus and his men done at the start to make the Cyclops angry?

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**8. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

In the adventure with Circe, do you think Odysseus cared about his men?

- (a) Give **two** examples which in your opinion show that Odysseus cared about his men.

Example 1 \_\_\_\_\_

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Example 2 \_\_\_\_\_

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- (b) From the same adventure, give **one** example which shows that Odysseus did not care about his men.

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**9. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

In this story, Hermes helped Odysseus.

- (a) In what **two** ways did Hermes help Odysseus?

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(b) If you had been Odysseus, would you have accepted the help Hermes offered?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

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NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Give a reason for your answer.

Reason \_\_\_\_\_  
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**10. Homer—Odyssey, Books 9, 10 and 12**

Odysseus met creatures called Sirens.

The Sirens had a talent that caused disaster for sailors.

(a) What was this talent?

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(b) In what way was it disastrous for sailors?

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12. Pompeii—79 AD

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The picture above shows a “fast food” shop in Pompeii.

(a) Give **two** examples of the kinds of food you could buy in this type of shop.

Example 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Example 2 \_\_\_\_\_

2

(b) Would you have liked to eat in this kind of shop?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Give **two** reasons for your answer.

Reason 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Reason 2 \_\_\_\_\_

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**13. (continued)**

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(c) Which animals were popular in the shows?

Give **two** examples.

Example 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Example 2 \_\_\_\_\_

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(d) Who normally paid for these shows?

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(e) Do you think **you** would have enjoyed these shows?

Tick **one** of the boxes below.

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NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

Give **one** reason for your answer.

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

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15. Pompeii—79 AD

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The picture above shows a bath house in Pompeii.

(a) Write down any **two** items which people took with them to the bath house.

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(b) Why do you think most people did not have baths in their homes?

Give **two** reasons for your answer.

Reason 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Reason 2 \_\_\_\_\_

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