

MYTH-O-MANIA

The following are suggestions of books featuring classic mythology, suggested for fans of Rick Riordan's *Percy Jackson and the Olympians* series. These titles can be found in the young adult (YA) and Teen collections.

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Location	Title/Author	Entry Grade	Synopsis
YA CHI	<u>Oh, My, Gods</u> By Tera Lynn Childs	7	When her mother suddenly decides to marry a near-stranger, Phoebe, whose passion is running, soon finds herself living on a remote Greek island, completing her senior year at an ancient high school where the students and teachers are all descended from gods or goddesses.
YA DEM	<u>Iris, Messenger</u> By Sarah Deming	5	After discovering that the immortals of Greek mythology reside in her hometown of Middleville, Pennsylvania, twelve-year-old Iris listens to their life stories, gaining wisdom, beauty, and startling revelations about her past.
YA FRI	<u>Nobody's Princess</u> By Esther Friesner	6	Determined to fend for herself in a world where only men have real freedom, headstrong Helen, who will be called queen of Sparta and Helen of Troy one day, learns to fight, hunt, and ride horses while disguised as a boy, and goes on an adventure throughout the Mediterranean world.
YA FRI	<u>Temping Fate</u> By Esther Friesner	6	After spending several years in Africa, Ilana and her family are back in Connecticut. Her sister is going bridezilla and her parents are harping on her to get a job, so when Ilana finds the card for "D. R. Temps" in her sister's belongings, she checks it out. Turns out, she's wound up in the one and only temp agency servicing the Gods.
YA HAR	<u>Runemarks</u> By Joanne Harris	6	Maddy Smith, who bears the mysterious mark of a rune on her hand, learns that she is destined to join the gods of Norse mythology and play a role in the fate of the world.
Teen LES	<u>Cupid</u> By Julius Lester	7	This is the story of Cupid—the god responsible for heartache, sleepless nights, and all those silly love songs—finally getting his comeuppance. When the god of love falls in love himself, things are bound to get interesting. And when he crosses his mama, Venus, in the process . . . Well, things could get downright messy.
YA MAR	<u>The Night Tourist</u> By Katherine Marsh	6	After fourteen-year-old classics prodigy Jack Perdu has a near fatal accident he meets Euri, a young ghost who introduces him to New York's Underworld, where those who died in New York reside until they are ready to move on, and Jack vows to find his dead mother there.
YA PB S	<u>The Pig Scrolls</u> By Paul Shipton	5	Behold Gryllus, sarcastic former crewman of Odysseus, changed by Circe into a swine — and happy to stay that way. Life is just fine until the prophetess Sibyl tells him that the world's in grave danger and that the only one who can save it is . . . a talking pig.