Ancient Greek Customs

Zeus is the most powerful god in Greek mythology. He lives on Mount Olympus and uses thunder to control the sky. His character was strong but sometimes he makes mistakes, like fighting with his brothers like humans do. One of them is Hades, the god of the underworld. Although his name sounds like “happy,” Hades is serious and mysterious. Zeus also has got a brother called Cronos, who tries to control time and the future.

Heracles is a famous hero. He has got super strength and completes twelve tasks to become a legend. His story is like a film: full of action, danger, and courage. One of the most famous episodes is when he fights Nemean lion. Heracles is a symbol of power, but also of emotion, because he sometimes feels sad and confused.

Artemis is the goddess of the moon and nature. She loves animals and walks in the forest with her bow and arrows. Her twin brother is Apollo. Hermes, the messenger god, wears sandals with wings and moves fast like a skater. He carries messages, like a postman or an email today. These gods are still popular in modern culture — you can see them in comics, video games, and even in TV shows from The USA.