

What's included?

Themed short story



Story Escape Room	Section Two: <i>The River of Reflection</i>	G
Read the next part of the story. Find the answer to the puzzle question within the paragraphs.		
As the room crumbled and cracked around her, Callie descended into darkness. An abyss of midnight enveloped her. Just as Callie thought her eyes would close forever, she reached inside her backpack and found a flashlight. She felt relieved as she switched it on and illuminated her new surroundings. Beside her was a vast, still river with water that gleamed a silvery blue. The stream whispered softly, with murmuring secrets. Callie had heard stories of such a mythical place. It was Lethe, one of the five rivers of the Underworld. The River of Forgetfulness. The legends said a single drop of the eerie water on your tongue would make you forget who you are. Shakily, Callie leaned closer. She saw flickers in the water that created swirling, moving images. There was a girl taking her first steps, a teenager learning archery, and a group of friends at the park. Then there was a grown woman holding a shiny object and with a book that had her name printed on the cover. These were different versions of herself in moments she treasured. The river showed memories and possibilities. Callie was leaning closer and closer to the water. The dangerous water. A small vial floated past, breaking her focus on the memories. She snatched the vial quickly, knowing it was her key forward, despite not knowing what it contained.		
Question: What is the name of the Underworld river that causes forgetfulness?		
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Escape room puzzle to solve



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THE LABYRINTH OF THE FORGOTTEN GODS					
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Section Five Answer Circle the FIFTH letter.	Section Six Answer Circle the SIXTH letter.	Section Seven Answer Circle the FIRST letter.	Section Eight Answer The answer to the riddle is a clue to the secret word.		
THE SECRET WORD					



Why you'll love it.

- ✓ Easy to read short story
- ✓ Engaging comprehension practice
- ✓ Unique reading activity
- ✓ Perfect for independent reading
- ✓ Digital and printable

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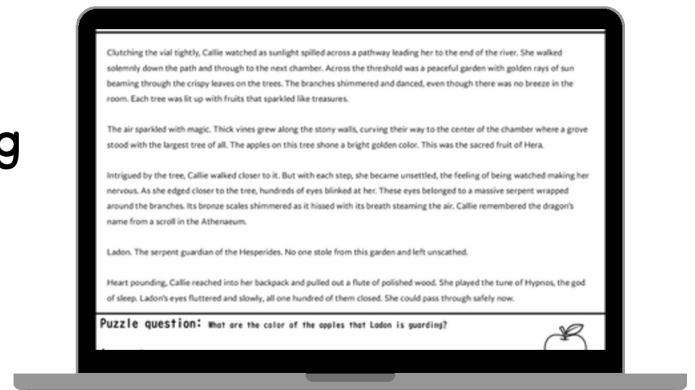
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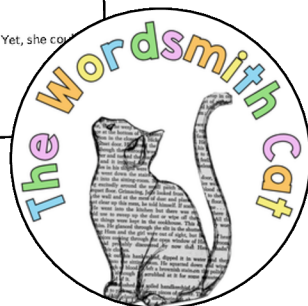
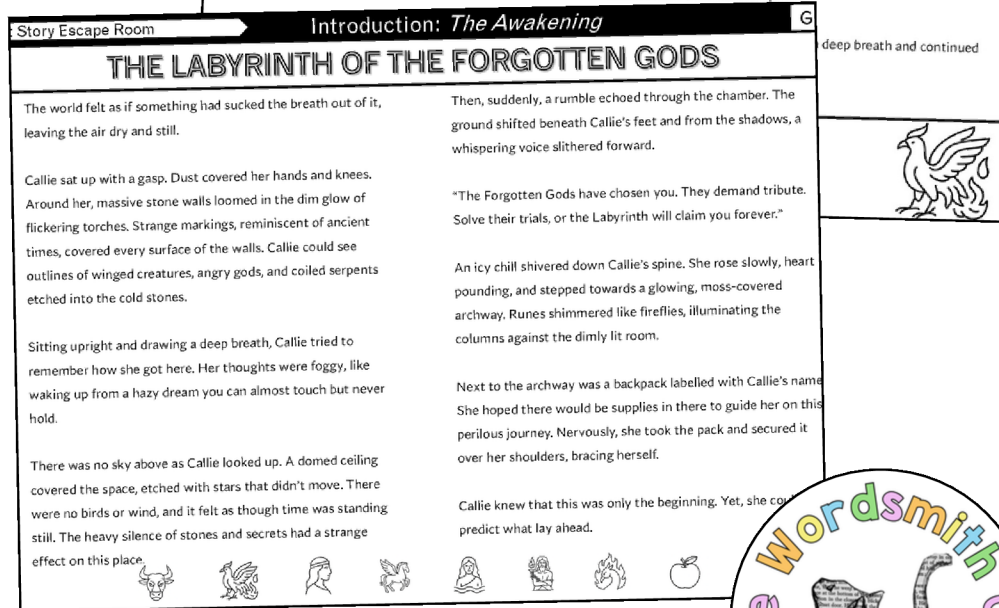
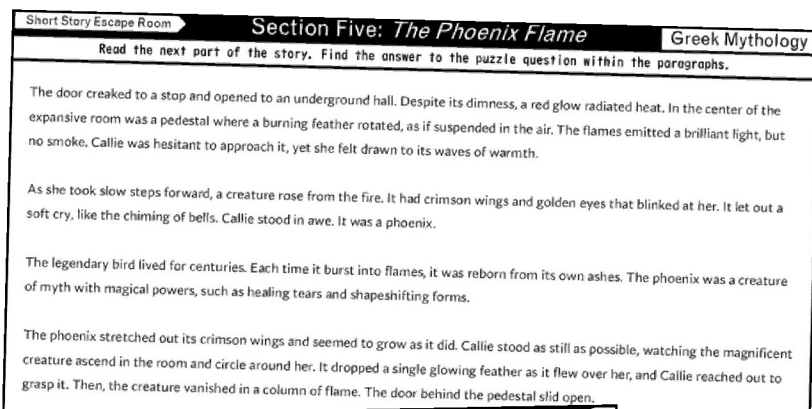
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Ways to use this product.

- ✓ Independent reading practice
- ✓ Supplement explicit reading strategies
- ✓ Intervention task
- ✓ Homework activity
- ✓ Small group reading



Teach reading!

Engage students in reading comprehension.

Help students find evidence in the text on each page.

Make reading comprehension feel achievable.

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