**Perseus Reading Guide**

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1. Who are Perseus’ father and mother, and what is the prophecy for their son?

2. What happens to Perseus’ mother that infers immaculate conception?

3. Why do Perseus and his mother end up on an island ruled by Polydectes?

4. Who are the Gorgon sisters?

5. What does Polydectes want from Danae and how does he trick Perseus?

6. What is Perseus’ rashly announced gift for Polydectes?

7. What are the 3 gifts that Perseus is given for his journey?

8. How does he trick the Gray sisters?

9. How does Perseus trick the nymphs of the West?

10. Who is Medusa and how has she become this way?

11. How does Perseus vanquish Medusa?

12. How does Perseus save Andromeda?

13. How does Perseus vanquish Polydectes and fulfill the prophecy?

14. According to the Greek Myths, why are there coral reefs today?

15. What can we learn from Perseus’ story?