

## Activity I7: Where The Past And The Present Meet

Explore the website to find the answers to these questions.

<http://www.seds.org/nineplanets/nineplanets/nineplanets.html>

- 1 I am the Roman God of commerce, travel and thievery. The Greeks called me Hermes the Messenger of the Gods. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 We are the sons of Ares and Aphrodite. Which moons are we? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 I am the Greek God of the Heavens. The Romans called me Saturn. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
4. I was the maiden who was loved by Zeus. I was transformed into a heifer so that Hera wouldn't find me. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 I am the Roman God of War. The Greeks call me Ares. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 I am a Trojan boy of great beauty whom Zeus carried away to be cupbearer to the gods. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 I am the daughter of Jupiter and Ananke. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 I am the Roman God of the Sea. The Greeks called me Poseidon. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 9 I am a Titaness who was the first wife of Zeus. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 I am the King of the Gods. The Greeks called me Zeus. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 11 I am the Roman God of the Underworld. The Greeks called me Hades. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 12 I am the Roman goddess of love and beauty. The Greeks called me Aphrodite. What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 13 The Romans called be the God of Agriculture. The Greeks called me Cronus, the father of Zeus.  
What planet am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 14 I am the nymph daughter of the river God Asopus. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 15 I am the nymph who nursed the infant Jupiter with goats milk. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 16 I am a Phoenician princess abducted to Crete by Zeus, who had assumed the form of a white bull, and by him the mother of Minos. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 17 I am a nymph, beloved of Zeus and hated by Hera. Hera changed her into a bear and Zeus then placed her in the sky as the constellation Ursa Major. What moon am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 18 I am the mythological figure who ferried the dead across the River Styx into Hades (the underworld).  
Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_ (Hint: I am a moon)

- 19** I am one of the sea nymphs, the 50 daughters of Nereus and Doris. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 20** I am a woman said to have been unsuccessfully (!) courted by Zeus. Who am I?  
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- 21** I am a Titaness and sea goddess who was both sister and wife of Oceanus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 22** I was the queen of Sparta and the mother, by Zeus in the form of a swan, of Helen and Pollux. Who am I?  
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- 23** I am a nymph who bore three sons of Zeus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 24** I am a daughter of Oceanus and one of Zeus' lovers. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 25** I am a nymph who bore three sons of Zeus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 26** I am the mother by Zeus of the giant Tityus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 27** I am the first woman, bestowed upon humankind by Zeus as a punishment for Prometheus' theft of fire. Entrusted with a box containing all the ills that could plague people, she opened it out of curiosity and thereby released all the evils of human life; wife of Epimetheus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 28** I am a daughter of Oceanus and one of Zeus' lovers. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 29** I am one of the Titans slain by Hercules. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 30** I am the mother by Zeus of the giant Tityus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 31** I am the mother, by Zeus of Britomartis, a Cretan goddess. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 32** I am the mother of Adrastea, by Jupiter. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 33** I am the mother, by Zeus of Britomartis, a Cretan goddess. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 34** I am the wife of Minos and mother, by a white bull, of the Minotaur. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 35** I am the mother of Adrastea, by Jupiter. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 36** I am the mother, by Zeus of Britomartis, a Cretan goddess. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 37** I am the god of woods, fields, and flocks, having a human torso and head with a goat's legs, horns, and ears. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_
- 38** I am a Titan who stole fire from Olympus and gave it to humankind, for which Zeus punished him horribly; son of Iapetus; brother of Atlas and Epimetheus. My name is Greek for "foresight". Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 39** I am a Titan condemned by Zeus to support the heavens upon his shoulders; son of Iapetus and the nymph Clymene; brother of Prometheus and Epimetheus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

40. I am the son of Iapetus and brother of Prometheus and Atlas; husband of Pandora. My name is Greek for "hindsight". Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

41 I am a Titan who was defeated in battle and buried under Mount Etna by Athena. Who am I?  
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42 I am was the mother of Aphrodite by Zeus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

43 I am the sister and wife of Cronus and the mother of Demeter, Hades, Hera, Hestia, Poseidon, and Zeus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

44 I am the god of gates and doorways, depicted with two faces looking in opposite directions; also the root of the English word "January". Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

45 I am a daughter of Oceanus and Tethys. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

46 I am an Amazon who battled with Achilles. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

47 I am a sea nymph who delayed Odysseus on her island for seven years. Who am I?  
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48 I am a sea god who could change his shape at will. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

49 I am a family of giants, the children of Uranus and Gaia, who sought to rule the heavens but were overthrown and supplanted by the family of Zeus. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

50 I am a Titan, the son of Gaea and Uranus and the father of Helios. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

51 I am a Titan, the son of Uranus, the father of Prometheus and Atlas and an ancestor of the human race. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

52 I am daughter of Uranus and Gaia; grandmother of Apollo and Artemis. Who am I?  
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53 I am is a god of the sea, the son of Poseidon; usually portrayed as having the head and trunk of a man and the tail of a fish. Who am I? \_\_\_\_\_

54 I am the nymph who lived in and presided over brooks, springs, and fountains. Who am I?  
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55 I am a daughter of Aether and Hemera. My name is also the Greek word for "sea". Who am I?  
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