

CREATE A GREEK MASK PROJECT

Research Greek masks and design one for a Greek deity. Be sure to make your design one in which your character can be easily identified. The early Greek masks were not worn, but were held in front of the face.

Your Task: For this project you will need to conduct a little research on what a Greek mask would look like and perhaps how to construct one. There are several sites available online to assist you with your research:

<http://www.activityvillage.co.uk/make-a-greek-mask>

- Use your imagination to create your mask.
- Don't forget to attach a stick of some sort in which to hold the mask. A wooden ruler is a good item to use for this task.
- Make sure that the material used in making the mask is sturdy enough to be held in front of the face and not attached to the face. Don't add too much weight to your mask or you risk keeping it secure to the stick.
- Try to add something to the mask to make it relate to the character you are portraying, for instance: hair for a woman, a beard for a man, a crown for a queen, etc.
- Refer to various Greek masks sites for more ideas.
- You must complete a note card which explains: who is the deity, why certain colors were used, which features were significant.
- Make sure you have your name on your mask and on your note card.

Presentation: Try to be creative but neat as well. Consider a variety of subject material in which to create your mask.

1. **Complete a note card with your name and data to explain who the mask represents and why you chose to add those features.**
2. **Make sure your name is on your mask.**