**Odysseus’ Character**

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| **Merit** | **Evidence in story** | **Flaw** | **Evidence in story** |
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**What makes an Ancient Greek hero?**

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| **Characteristics of a hero** | **Shown by Odysseus?** | **Where shown in *The Odyssey*?** |
| Immortal parentage |  |  |
| Royalty |  |  |
| Favoured by the Gods |  |  |
| Subject of a prophesy |  |  |
| Flawed/  makes mistakes |  |  |
| Completes a quest/ overcomes adversity |  |  |
| Travels to Underworld |  |  |
| Shows great courage even against the odds |  |  |

**Is Odysseus a ‘Greek Hero?**

You have looked at Odysseus’ character, his journey home in *The Odyssey*, and what it took to be considered a hero in Ancient Greece. Based on all of this, do you consider him worthy of this title?

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| I do/do not consider Odysseus to be worthy of the title ‘Greek Hero’ (delete as applicable) |
| because: |