

1. Why does King Minos not like the people of Athens? (AF2)
  2. What adjectives are used to describe Theseus? Can you think of any of your own? (AF4/AF3)
  3. Why does Theseus want to go to Crete? (AF2)
  4. Why do you think Aegeus is upset? (AF3)
  5. Why is a black sail raised at the beginning of the journey? (AF2)
  6. Describe the journey to Crete in your own words. (AF3)
  7. What does "disembarked" mean? (AF4)
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8. Why are some of King Minos' words in capital letters? (AF5)
  9. In your own words, what does Ariadne think of Theseus? (AF3)
  10. How might Theseus be feeling as he travels through the maze? (AF3)
  11. Why do you think the author writes a very short paragraph that only says, "Dead. Theseus had done it!"? (AF5)
  12. Why would Ariadne be proud of Theseus as they escape from the island? (AF3)
  13. What huge mistake does Theseus make? How do you think he feels at the end of the story? (AF2/AF6)