



Myth and the Modern World

Note-taking Guide

As a group you discussed the qualities and characteristics of superheroes. As you view the film, complete the chart below:

General Superhero Quality/Characteristic	How Jason Demonstrated that Quality/Characteristic

2. List the elements of a superhero story that are contained in the myth of *Jason and the Golden Fleece*.

3. What was the setting for Jason and the Golden Fleece? Provide as many details as you can about:

Time:

Place:

4. How was the setting of this story important to creating an interesting plot? Provide at least 3 specific examples.

5. What does the film say about the ways a story can change as knowledge of the physical world becomes greater?

6. How does the story of *Jason and the Golden Fleece* explain the development of coastal areas? The traits necessary to perform superhuman tasks? What does it say about relationships between men and women? Good and evil?

7. Bonus Question: What other classic characters (or archetypes) are found in *Jason and the Golden Fleece*?