

| Features of a Myth   | Included? |
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| Introduces characters and settings with description.   |           |
| Past tense, without a specific time frame.   |           |
| Third person narration.  |           |
| Similes to build a picture in the reader's mind.   |           |
| Descriptive vocabulary (adjectives/adverbs/expanded noun phrases...)                                 |           |
| Incredible/ subhuman events (stronger than human character actions/powers).                          |           |
| Provides an explanation for something natural - for example, how the Nile/Earth/Weather was created. |           |
| A hero and an antihero (an antihero is a character who causes issues for the hero).                  |           |
| An interesting fantasised creature (for example, a three headed alligator).                          |           |