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Complete this worksheet while you watch the DVD “*Engineering an Empire: Greece.*”

Important people

Themistocles (c. 525 – 460 BCE)

- triremes

Agamemnon (c. 1200 BCE)

- The Iliad and the Odyssey

Pericles (c. 495 – 429 BCE)

- The Parthenon

**Movie Guide questions***Mycenaean Civilization*

1. What group of people inhabited large portions of mainland Greece in 1300 BCE? Who led these people in their capital (map still at 11:13)?
2. What was the Iliad, and who wrote it?
3. What was the Lion’s Gate, and what did it portray for Mycenae? What architectural building technique did this structure introduce, and what did this later evolve into to build the tholos?

Introduction

4. In September 480 BCE, what country determined to add Greece to their empire?
5. Briefly describe who Themistocles was.
6. In the spring of 480 BCE, Persia launched a massive invasion of Greece with an army twice as large as the Greeks (remember the battle from Persia, involving Artemesia). How did Themistocles keep the Greeks together and level the odds?
7. In 471 BCE, Themistocles was ostracized. Why? What does being ostracized mean?

