

MYTHOLOGICAL VS. POP CULTURE HEROES

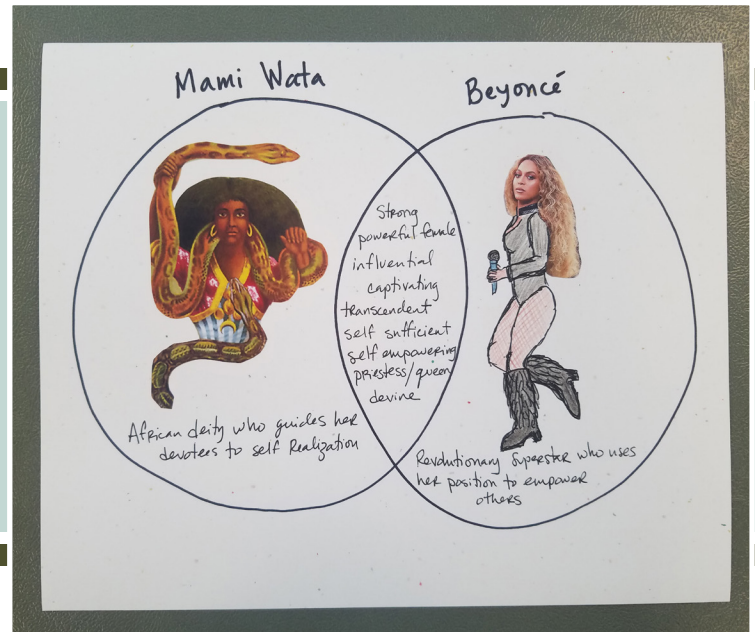
Heroes exist around the world and in your own personal life. In this activity, you will explore similarities between age-old mythological heroes and heroes in modern-day culture. These heroes can be imaginary, as found in comic books and cartoons, or they can be real people, alive or passed, that have made a difference in our world. Take a look at the link below comparing mythological heroes with pop-culture heroes seen in current culture and then prepare to do your own hero study.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

<https://www.ranker.com/list/greek-mythology-easter-eggs-pop-culture/ryan-sargent>

MATERIALS:

- Paper
- Pencils or markers
- Images or magazines for collage (optional)
- Glue stick (optional)
- Scissors (optional)



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Choose a mythological hero and a pop-culture hero.
2. Draw two circles overlapping each other in the style of a Venn diagram.
3. In the left circle, draw or collage an image of your mythological hero. Do the same for your pop-culture hero in the right-hand circle.
4. Below each image, write a sentence or two describing your heroes with specific information about their powers, strengths, or identity.
5. In the overlapping space, write out the similar attributes you believe the two heroes share.
6. Share your hero comparison with your friends and family.
7. Email a photo of your completed hero comparison to: juniorcurator@museumofglass.org

LEARNING STANDARDS:

Visual Arts 11: Relate artistic ideas and works with societal, cultural, and historical context to deepen understanding.