



Class: 5
Lesson: 6

Subject: English
Lesson: All in a Riddle

Worksheet 1

Say True or False

1. Mythological stories are tales of mystery.
2. Oedipus and the Sphinx is a mythological story.
3. Oedipus was abandoned by a shepherd.
4. Oedipus grew into an adventurous young man.
5. Oedipus was the guardian of the city of Thebes.

Complete the given sentences using the correct words from the help box.

Rage	prospect	victor	deter
strange		guardian	

1. The Sphinx took care of the city of Thebes and was its _____.
2. The Sphinx sensed the _____ of an imminent defeat when Oedipus answered the riddle.
3. In the end, Oedipus emerged as the _____ and a hero.
4. The Sphinx had a _____ appearance.
5. The advises from his well-wishers did not _____ Oedipus from taking a chance to defeat the Sphinx.
6. The Sphinx was full of _____ when Oedipus answered the riddle.

III. Answer in detail.

1. Describe Oedipus using two suitable adjectives. Explain your answer with examples from the story