**Ancient Greece Terms Activity**

Using your notes, handouts, own knowledge, etc. you need to come up with at least one accurate example from ancient Greece for each of the following terms.

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| Term | Example(s) from ancient Greece |
| Cultural practice | Honoring the deity (praying, holding festivals, building temples and statues)Making olive oilFishing in the Mediterranean SeaGiving chores to slavesBuying and selling slavesBuilding boatsSlaves did everyday workTraded with other countriesFighting in Persian WarMaking wine from grapes they grewMaking pottery, wool cloth, olive oilTrading olive oil or wine to get goods from other culturesDefending the polisCitizens speak in court and propose lawsTold myths to explain things they didn’t know |
| Cultural product | Olive oilWineWool clothCoinsMedicineVases/pottery (artwork)OlympicsDemocracyMythology (stories of their deity)Theater/PlaysMetal Work (coins & weapons)Boats/fishing tools (nets) |
| Cultural perspective | Citizens must join the military to defend their polisTo be a citizen – had to be male, over 18 and born in the polisPeople should obey the laws made by the 3 branchesGovernment should be run by the citizensSlavery was necessaryBelieved in more than one god/goddess (polytheistic)Society should honor the deityCitizens must go to Assembly meetingsIt is ok to own slavesCitizens should be educatedIf deity is angered people will be punished and have bad livesMen and women are NOT equalOnly wealthy boys should go to schoolBeauty should be valuedTry to be best in everything – to honor the deityMen are superior to womenThe deities control the universe |
| Cultural advancement | Using ships for warDemocracyWine Making KnowledgeMedicineCoinsArchitecture (columns)DemocracyTurning grapes into wine (wine making knowledge) |
| Cultural legacy | DemocracyArchitecture (columns)CoinsOlympicsMedicineTheater/PlaysMythologyVases/pottery (artwork)Triremes (fighting ships)Wine making knowledgeOlive oil making knowledge |
| Cultural borrowing | Greeeks adopted and improved the Phoenician alphabetMany cultures (including USA) use the democratic ideas started in GreeceMany cultures (including USA) have war ships based on Greece’s triremesGreece traded olive oil to get silk from China |
| Social classes | Non-citizens (free men born outside of the polis, women, children)Citizens (men, over 18, born in polis)Slaves (men, women & children) |
| Gender roles | Only wealthy boys could go to school, poor boys and all girls couldn’tTo be a citizen – had to be male, born in polis and over 18 (women were not citizens)Females worked around the house while men spent time shopping and meeting in the agora (marketplace) |
| Historical era | Classical Period or Golden AgeHellenistic Period |
| Historical event | Persian WarFirst Olympics (776BCE)First democratic constitution |
| Economic Characteristic | Click here to enter text. |
| Social characteristic | Click here to enter text. |
| Political characteristic | Click here to enter text. |
| Institution | \*Note: this item is not on the terms list |
| Essential characteristics | See E-S-P |
| Norms | See cultural practices |
| Values | See cultural perspectives |
| Frame of reference | See cultural perspectives |
| Belief system | See cultural perspectives |
| Viewpoint | See cultural perspectives |
| Deity | ZeusAthenaHadesPoseidonHermes |