

# Daedalus and Icarus (Part 1)



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**Answer the questions using full sentences.**

1. What talents did Daedalus have?

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2. Why did Daedalus murder his nephew?

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3. How was he punished for this crime?

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4. Why was Daedalus punished again many years later?

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5. How did Daedalus and Icarus prepare for their escape?

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6. Daedalus gave Icarus some advice. What do you think the advice was? On a separate piece of paper write the conversation that they may have had.

## Notes for teachers

Year 6 pupils are likely to study Ancient Greece as part of the history curriculum and will probably learn some of the Greek myths. They are often complicated and difficult to grasp. Some children might already know the story of Daedalus and Icarus and will know what to write for the final question. Others may have some good ideas of their own. The second part of this story is on page 9.