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## **Cast of Characters:**

**Adonis**

**Aphrodite**

**Principal**

**Medusa**

**Snakes**

**Helen of Troy**

**Electra**

**Pandora**

**Achilles**

**Atlas**

**Oedipus Rex**

**Perseus**

**Pegasus**

**Persephone**

(To the tune of “Grease”)

*We rule the world and we always will*

*We wear small togas and it’s no big deal*

*The men are warriors and they get into fights*

*And, thank the gods, that the women don’t have rights*

*Greece rules the world*

*We’ve invented philosophy*

*Greece rules the world*

*We’ve invented mythology*

*Cuz Greece rules the world*

*The world*

*The world*

*The world*

## **Scene One: The beach**

**Adonis:** Aphrodite, this has been the best summer ever.

**Aphrodite:** Oh, Adonis, I’m going to miss you. Will I ever see you again?

**Adonis:** I don’t know. You’re moving to Athens. I’m staying in Troy. Our high schools are awfully big rivals, you know.

**Aphrodite:** Why does everything have to be about war? Why can't all of our city-states just get along? You'll be entering military school soon.

**Adonis:** Someday, I hope I can be as brave as I am attractive.

**Aphrodite:** You will be, Adonis. Oh, you will be!

**Adonis:** Everything about this summer has been so great, except when that little flying midget shot me with an arrow.

**Aphrodite:** Yeah, that was awkward. Are you going to be okay?

**Adonis:** The bleeding has stopped. I'm sure I'll be fine. It just itches. *(A black crow caws in the background.)*

**Adonis:** What was that? I heard something in the bushes!

**Aphrodite:** Oh, Adonis, it's just a bird. You know, for someone who talks about being a brave *gladiator* someday, you really shouldn't get so nervous when you hear a *crow rustle!*

**Adonis:** Well, I'm not nervous around you, Aphrodite. You are the most beautiful, loving girl I've ever met.

**Aphrodite:** I wish this summer could last forever...

(To the tune of "Summer Nights")

**Aphrodite:** *Grecian summer / had me a blast*

**Adonis:** *Grecian summer / over too fast*

**Aphrodite:** *Met a guy / cute as can be*

**Adonis:** *I won't forget / my Aphrodite*

**Both:** *Grecian days / drift into night / but oh / those Grecian nights*

## Scene Two: Trojan High School

**Principal:** Good morning, young Trojans! Welcome to another year at T.H.S.! We know in our hearts that after last year's State Championship, our young gladiators will massacre the other city-state schools in every battle in and out of the sporting arena. There's just a few more announcements before we begin school today. Mr. Stone has asked that all boys in woodshop class meet near the stables today. He wants to show you a model of something. He said, and I quote, "No horsing around. This is really