Title of the Course: Mythology (IED 141-03)
Instructor : Assoc.Prof.Dr.Hande Seber
Year and Term : 2015-2016 Fall
Class Hours : Thursday 09:00-11:50
Classroom : B2 203

I. Aim of the Course
The aim of the course is to give basic knowledge of classical Greek and Roman mythology, which is essential for a better understanding, appreciation and interpretation of English literature.

II. Course Outline
Week I : Introduction to Mythology
Week II : Kurban Bayramı
Week III : Pre-Hellenic civilization and mythology
Week IV : The Greek Mythology, Backgrounds, Creation myths
Week V : The Titans, The 12 Olympians
Week VI : The lesser gods and gods of Olympus
Week VII : Cumhuriyet Bayramı
Week VIII : Mid-Term I
Week IX : Divinities of Heaven, Divinities of Earth
Week X : Divinities of Waters, Divinities of Underworld
Week XI : The Heroes
Week XII : Mid-Term II
Week XIII : Flower myths, love stories and brief myths
Week XIV : The Trojan War
Week XV : Great families

III. Textbooks

IV. Method of Instruction
It will be conducted through lecturing and discussion of the assigned material. Class participation is essential. The lectures will be accompanied by visual material. The students are responsible from all these visual material.

V. Requirements
The students are expected to read the assigned texts before coming to class. Attendance is obligatory. More than 11 (eleven) hours of absence will result in F1.

VI. Assessment
There will be two Mid-Terms (50%) and a Final (50%) examination. Marks below 50 (out of 100) in the Final Exam will be regarded as failure. In the grading of the examination papers, up to 25% of the total mark will be taken off for grammatical and writing mistakes.

Mid-Term I : 05.11.2015
Mid-Term II: 03.12.2015