

## Ancient Greece and the Olympics

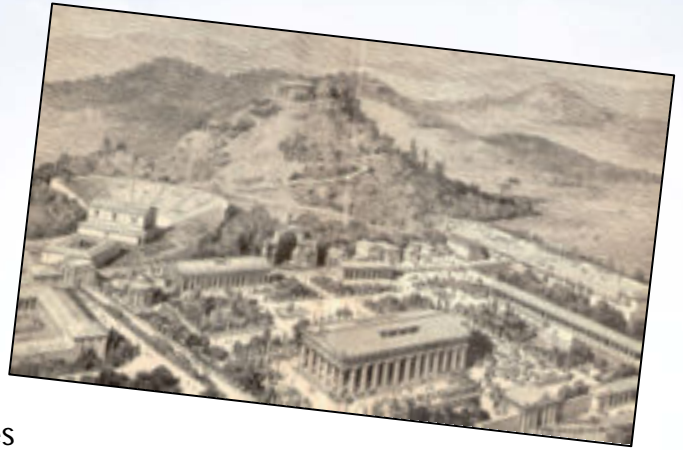
### Student Activities Sheet



#### Activity 1

Answer the following questions in your exercise books or on the lined paper provided. You will need to refer to the Factsheet for some of the answers.

- 1) When were the first recorded Olympic Games held?
- 2) How many events were there in the first Olympic Games?
- 3) What proportion of Greek society were slaves?
- 4) Why was Greek society unequal?
- 5) How did Greek society view disabilities such as blindness?
- 6) What were the events that made up the ancient pentathlon?



#### Extension activity

Research the modern pentathlon. Find out what events make up the modern pentathlon and how it began. Find out about other multi-sport events and how they have developed.

#### Activity 2

Copy out and complete the chart below:

The ancient and modern Olympic Games	
similarities	differences

#### Activity 3

Write down three interesting facts that you have found out about Ancient Greece and the Olympics from this lesson.

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