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Greek Philosophers: Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle

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| “The Unexamined Life is not worth living.” –Socrates |

What does this quote mean to you?

• Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle were three important \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from Athens.

• Greek philosophers taught their students to think **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**, or using \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This contrasted with the popular Greek mythology about gods.

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**I. Socrates Reading Questions:**

1. What were some of the questions that Socrates asked?

2. Who did Socrates ask these questions to?

3. What did Socrates try to teach the people of Athens?

4. How did people respond to his teachings?

5. Who was Socrates greatest student?

6. What did the Athenians charge Socrates with?

7. When Socrates went to court, what happened to him?

**II. Socrates Opinion Questions:**

1. Do you think this was a fair sentencing for Socrates? WHY?

2. Why do you think Socrates killed himself?

**I. Plato Reading Questions**:

1. Who was Plato’s teacher and what did he learn from him?

2. What did Plato write down?

3. What does the his work “Republic” describe?

4. What were Plato’s views on the people of Athens?

5. What was Plato’s view of the “cave theory”?

6. What is one of Plato’s goals?

**II. Plato Opinion Questions**

1. Do you agree with Plato’s cave theory? Why or Why not?

**I. Aristotle Reading Questions**

1. Where did Aristotle study?

2. Who did Aristotle tutor?

3. What was the name of Aristotle’s school?

4. Why was Aristotle more interested in science?

5. What were some of Aristotle’s interests:

6. What does it mean to make “order out of chaos”

7. What type of government did Aristotle believe people should have?

**II. Aristotle Opinion Questions**

1. How does what Aristotle taught apply to what you’ve learned in science this year? Or in science in general?

2. Do you agree that we must make “order out of chaos”?

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Independent Practice

I. Match the philosopher with their definition

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Socrates *he was very interested in Science, and providing order to things*

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Plato *wrote a story called the republic, Socrates’ student*

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Aristotle *he was put in jail for corrupting the youth of Athens*

II. Who was your favorite philosopher? Give **3** reasons why! \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

III. What is a philosophy? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

IV. Why is it important to study ancient philosophies like this?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What was Aristotle’s view on government?

a. the people always should have an equal say in law making

b. only the military were fit to rule

c. the government should be headed by a strong leader

d. kings should pass ruler ship to their sons

Who stated, “The unexamined life is not worth living”?

a. Socrates b. Plato

c. Aristotle d. Voltaire