

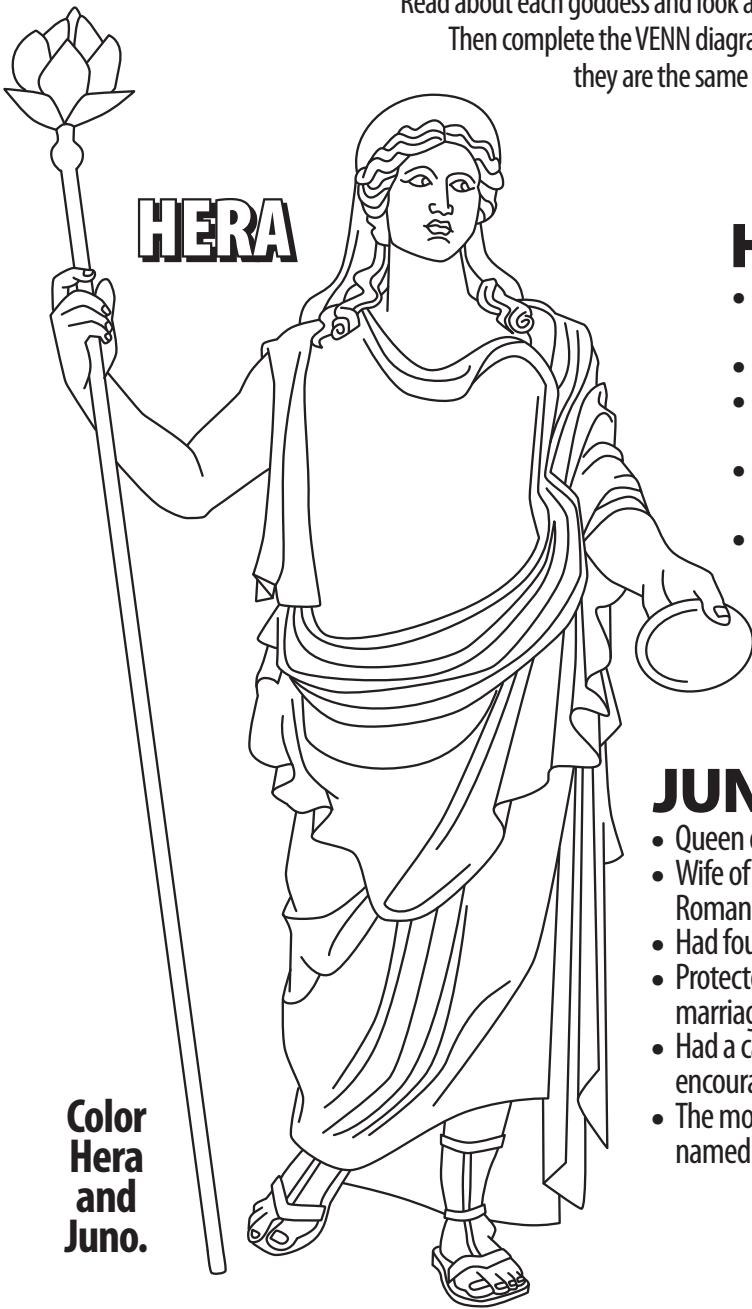


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# Hera and Juno

**Hera was a Greek goddess. | Juno was a Roman goddess.**

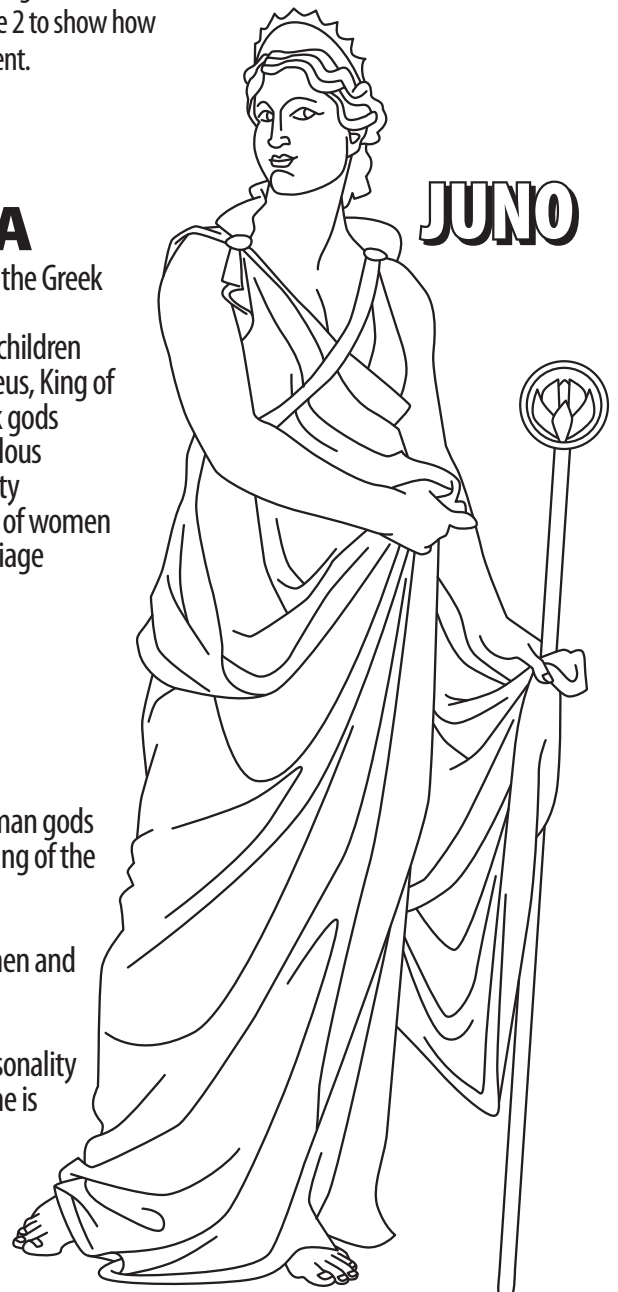
These two mythical goddesses were a lot alike. They were also different in some ways. Read about each goddess and look at the drawings of each of them. Then complete the VENN diagram on page 2 to show how they are the same and different.



**HERA**

## HERA

- Queen of the Greek gods
- Had two children
- Wife of Zeus, King of the Greek gods
- Had a jealous personality
- Protector of women and marriage



**JUNO**

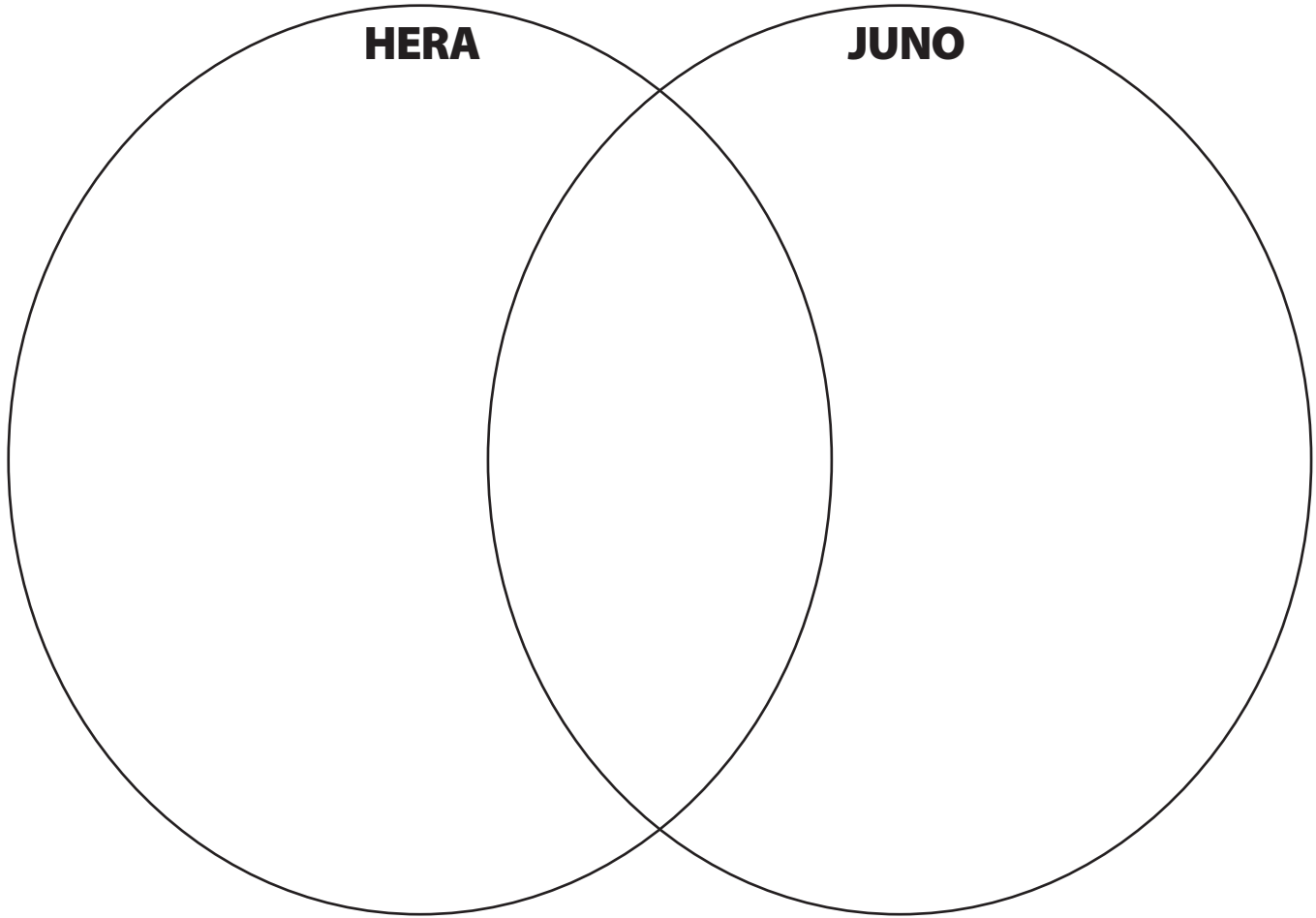
## JUNO

- Queen of the Roman gods
- Wife of Jupiter, King of the Roman gods
- Had four children
- Protector of women and marriage
- Had a calm and encouraging personality
- The month of June is named after her

**Color Hera and Juno.**



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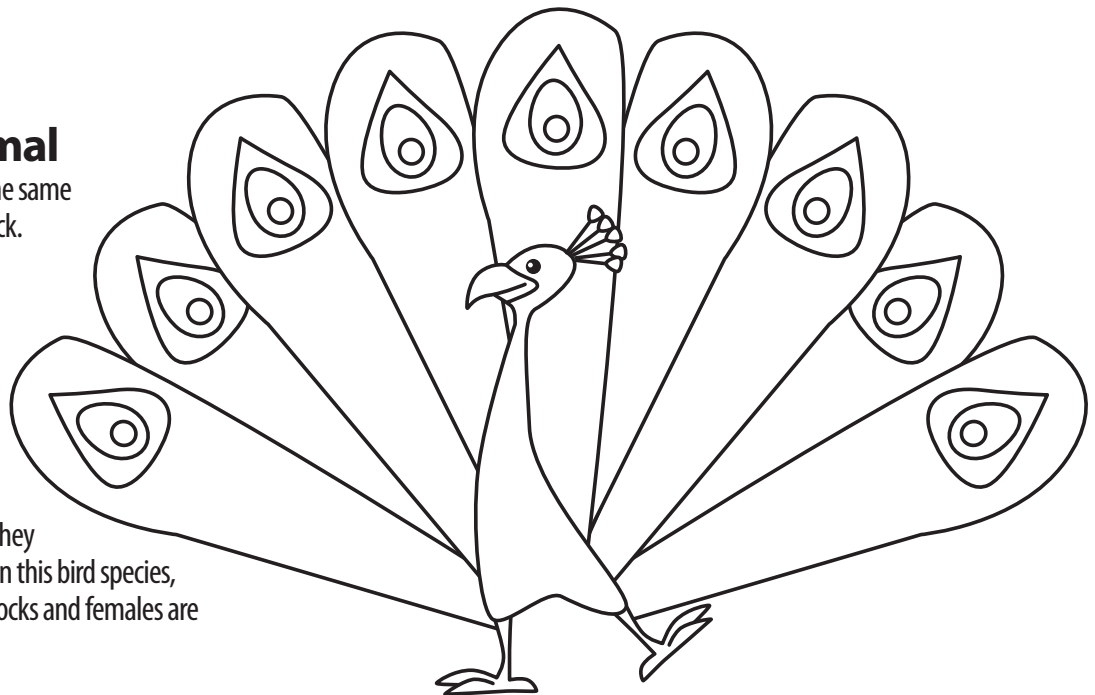
## Favorite Animal

Both Hera and Juno had the same favorite animal: the peacock.

Color this peacock.

## Did you know?

Peacocks don't start growing their beautiful, colorful tail feathers until they are about three years old. In this bird species, only males are called peacocks and females are called **peahens**.



Name: **Kid Scoop Together:**

## Juno and Peacock: An Aesop's Fable

Peacock was proud to be the goddess Juno's favorite bird. But he was unhappy with his rough, unpleasant voice.

Peacock went to Juno asking for a voice like a nightingale, "The nightingale's song," said he, "is the envy of all the birds; but whenever I utter a sound others cringe."

Juno refused his request.

Peacock asked again and again. He said, "I am your favorite bird!"

Juno said: "You have not, it is true, a beautiful song. But you are one of the most beautiful. Your neck flashes like the emerald and your splendid tail is a marvel of color. Be content with what you have. You don't have to be the best in everything."

Aesop's Fables teach lessons. Discuss this story with an adult. What is the lesson taught with this fable?

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## Animals in the News

Look through the newspaper and make a list of all of the animals you see pictured or talked about in today's newspapers. Select two of the animals and make a VENN diagram showing how they are the same and different.

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**Standards Link:** Use the newspaper to locate information.

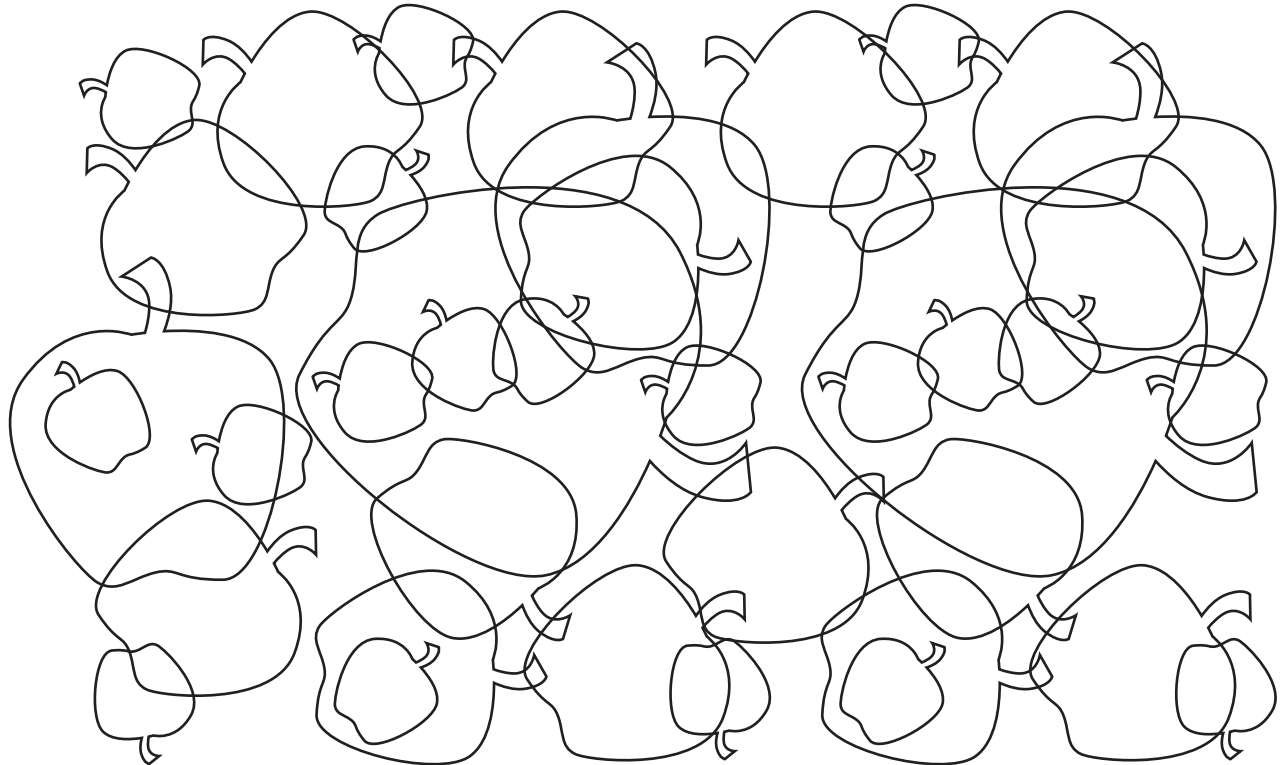


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## Puzzler



Another myth that spans many different tales and legends throughout the world tells the Greek story of Hera's golden apple tree. It was given to Hera by Zeus and the apples were said to be made of gold. It was guarded by a dragon called Ladon. How many apples do you see?



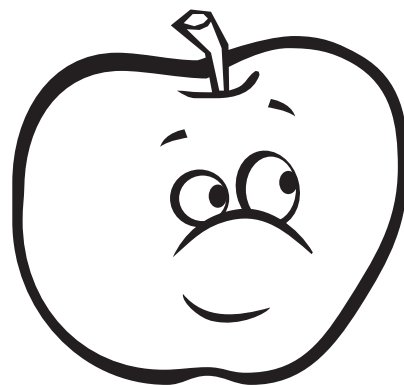
### VOCABULARY BUILDERS

#### PERSONALITY

The noun **personality** means all of the qualities that make a person different from others.

The teacher had a very calm **personality**.

Try to use the word **personality** in a sentence today when talking with friends and family.



What can a whole apple do that a half apple can't?

ANSWER: It can look round.

Name: **Write On!**

# My Big Achievement

Tell about a time you did something really great—something you didn't think you could do, but you tried it anyway and succeeded.

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## Compare and Contrast

Look through the newspaper and select two people who are in the news. Make a VENN diagram comparing the two people. Show how they are the same and how they are different.

**Standards Link:** Use the newspaper to locate information.



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## Kid Scoop Jumbo Word Search

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.  
Then see how many of these words you can find in today's newspaper.

GODDESSES

JUPITER

SAME

APPLES

DRAGON

GOLDEN

GREEK

ROMAN

JUNO

HERA

BIRD

CALM

VENN

ENVY

SONG

T	A	L	N	O	G	A	R	D	G
E	S	A	M	E	P	D	R	O	J
N	L	E	A	P	G	I	D	N	U
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G	R	E	E	K	Y	A	T	H	R
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**Standards Link:** Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words.  
Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.