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# “Medusa’s Head” /6<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading Assignment

Pages 352-359

1. Mode of Writing: **Narrative** **Expository** **Persuasive**  
What is the mode of writing?

2. Genre: \_\_\_\_\_ Subgenre: \_\_\_\_\_

3. How do you know the genre and subgenre of the story? What details reveal it?

4 & 5 Summary: Five sentences about **five important events from the beginning middle and end of the story.**

If you run out of space, you may use the back of this sheet.

6. Narrator’s Perspective: \_\_\_\_\_  
First-Person, Second-Person, Third-Person Omniscient, Third-Person Objective, or Third-Person Limited

Write a sentence of narration from the text showing the point-of-view.

7. Theme or Author’s Message:  
What is a main idea or life lesson of the story?

8. Describe the problem in the story.

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9. Why is Perseus a good example of a mythic hero? (question 2, pg. 364)

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10. What do you think of Perseus? (question 1, pg. 364) \_\_\_\_\_  
Write your answer on the back of this sheet.