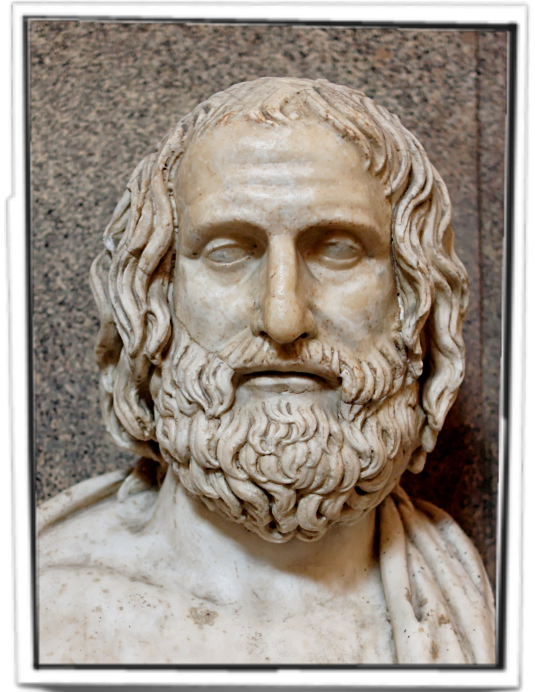


## Classical Greek Assignment 3

- Once again, review the alphabet. Just so that you are prepared, I will have everyone say the alphabet in class from *alpha to omega*. You can find the alphabet on page 1 of Atherton (which you can find under “Materials Needed” on your online assignment page). Also, review the vowel combinations, which may be found on page 2 of Atherton.
- Be able to write all of the letters, given the name of the letter. As part of our competition—the γυνή against the άνήρ—I will ask you to draw the letters on the whiteboard. As preparation for that, write out the letters five times on the handwriting sheet on “Materials Needed,” scan it, and send it to me by email before our next lesson.
- Read chapters 15–21 of **Guerber’s *Story of the Greeks***.
- Review your notes! (See the next page regarding the poets that we talked about.)
- Review last week’s passage by Antisthenes and memorize the passage by Euripides (also attributed to Aristotle):

**κοινὰ τὰ τῶν φίλων.** Meaning: The things of friends are shared (or held in common). Do you agree with the quotation? Why or why not? On the right is a “corny” modern version of the quotation<sup>1</sup>:



## FRIENDSHIP IS



**...sharing  
a piece of chocolate,  
no matter how small it is.**

<sup>1</sup> found on <https://quotesgram.com/quotes-about-sharing-friends/>

- Memorize the following conjugation of the verb λέγω, meaning to speak or say.

	singular	plural
1st person	λέγω	λέγομεν
2nd person	λέγεις	λέγετε
3rd person	λέγει	λέγουσι

- Memorize the poets that we talked about (or will talk about) and the works that they produced.

<b>Aeschylus</b>	Tragedy	Called “The Father of Tragedy”, produced the <i>Oresteia</i> trilogy about Agamemnon’s son
<b>Sophocles</b>	Tragedy	Never judged lower than 2 <sup>nd</sup> place in dramatic competitions; produced <i>Oedipus the King</i> and <i>Oedipus at Colonus</i> about the tragic king of Thebes
<b>Euripides</b>	Tragedy	Produced <i>Medea</i> , about the witch married to the Argonaut, Jason, and <i>Hippolytus</i> , on the tragic death of Theseus’ son

- Memorize the following second declension nouns. Think of one or more English words derived from each of them and write it in the blank provided.

1. **ἀδελφός** brother \_\_\_\_\_
2. **ἄνθρωπος** human being \_\_\_\_\_
3. **βίος** life \_\_\_\_\_
4. **ἥλιος** sun \_\_\_\_\_
5. **θεός** god, goddess \_\_\_\_\_
6. **ἵππος** horse \_\_\_\_\_
7. **κύριος** lord, master \_\_\_\_\_
8. **λόγος** word, speech \_\_\_\_\_
9. **πόλεμος** war \_\_\_\_\_
10. **φόβος** panic, fear \_\_\_\_\_
11. **χρόνος** time \_\_\_\_\_
12. **ἔργον** work, deed, exploit \_\_\_\_\_
13. **ζῷον** living being, animal \_\_\_\_\_
14. **μακρός** long, tall, large \_\_\_\_\_
15. **μικρός** small, little, short \_\_\_\_\_
16. **νέος** young, new \_\_\_\_\_
17. **ολίγος** few, little, small \_\_\_\_\_

18. **παλιός** old, ancient \_\_\_\_\_
19. **φίλος** dear, beloved; friendly \_\_\_\_\_
20. **χαλέπος** difficult \_\_\_\_\_