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Wrangle Big Ideas: Your Pre-K Ancient Greek Thinkers Quiz

Go beyond simple stories with 10 visual-ready questions identifying wise figures like Thales and Heraclitus through their favorite nature elements.

1. A very old thinker named Thales loved to look at the ocean. He thought everything in the world was made of what?

- A. Orange juice
- B. Water
- C. Chocolate
- D. Sand

2. True or False: Ancient Greek thinkers were people who liked to ask big questions about how the world works.

- A. True
- B. False

3. Heraclitus said the world is always moving and changing. He liked to use a glowing _____ to show how things change.

- A. Ice cube
- B. Fire
- C. Rock
- D. Cloud

4. A thinker named Pythagoras lived long ago. He really, really loved playing with what?

- A. Numbers
- B. Mud pies
- C. Puppies
- D. Bedtime stories

5. True or False: Ancient Greek philosophers lived in a place with many islands and many hills.

- A. True
- B. False

6. Anaximenes thought that everything we see is actually made of the _____ we breathe.

- A. Milk
- B. Air
- C. Dirt
- D. Toys

7. When a thinker sits quietly and thinks very hard to solve a problem, what are they using?

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- A. Their elbows
- B. Their shoes
- C. Their mind
- D. Their soup

8. True or False: Some Greek thinkers believed that the world was made of tiny pieces too small to see.

- A. True
- B. False

9. If you are a young philosopher, what is the best thing to do when you see something new?

- A. Close your eyes
- B. Run away
- C. Ask 'Why?'
- D. Hide it

10. Many Greek thinkers lived in a city called Athens. They liked to talk to their _____ about their new ideas.

- A. Friends
- B. Fish
- C. Beds
- D. Hats