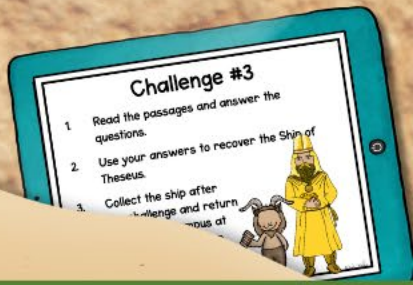
4th & 5th Grade

Greek Mythology

Mount Olympus Escape Room



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Welcome to Mount Olympus!

Students won't realize they are practicing fiction review skills! They will be immersed in the storytelling and our original videos as they complete reading comprehension challenges.

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4 Reading Challenges

- Challenges focused on Reading Comprehension
- Each challenge takes about 20-30 minutes
- 8 short fiction passages
- Multiple choice questions
- Passages in 4th-5th Grade Text Complexity band (740L-1010L)
- Passages and questions are scaffolded

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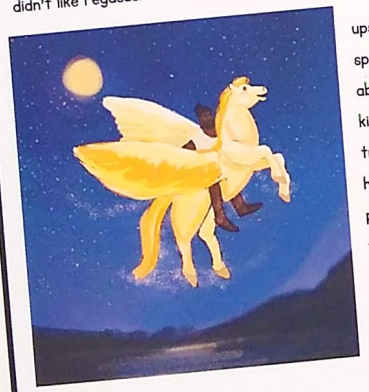
Challenge #1

1. Read the passages and answer the questions.
2. Use your answers to recover the Stone of Zeus.
3. Collect the stone after the challenge and return it to Mount Olympus at once. Next, keep your eyes open for the Gift of Fire!

2. Pegasus

Poseidon was the God of the Sea. His son was a winged horse named Pegasus. Medusa, a snake-haired monster who turned men to stone, was the mother of this unusual horse. She didn't like Pegasus. She didn't really like anyone.



Though he was born a horse, Pegasus wasn't upset about it. Instead, he enjoyed the power and speed that came with being such a creature. His abilities, however, made many people want to kidnap him. A horse that could fly was a real treasure. Fortunately, when people tried to grab him, the gods always protected Pegasus, but this protection kept him from being able to make friends. Because of his differences, other horses stayed away from him. Even though he often saved soldiers wounded in battle, Pegasus grew lonely and depressed.

4. What kind of creature was Pegasus?
   a. Pegasus was a god.
   b. Pegasus was a winged horse with the ability to fly.
   c. Pegasus was a god with hair of slithering snakes.
   d. Pegasus was half-horse and half-human.

5. Perseus was responsible for Medusa's death. Why did this scare him?
   a. He was scared that Poseidon, Pegasus' father, would be terribly angry with him.
   b. He was scared that Medusa would return from the Underworld and come back to get revenge.
   c. He was scared that Zeus, Pegasus' uncle and friend, would be angry with him for making Pegasus upset.
   d. He was scared that Zeus, the King of All Gods, would be angry and banish him from Mount Olympus.

Why was Pegasus a lonely individual?
1. His unusual powers caused the other horses to stay away from him.
   His unusual powers made him a danger to the other horses.
   His father had shunned him because of his strange abilities.
   He was kidnapped for many years.

4 Reading Challenges

- Themed videos integrated throughout the Escape Room to keep kids engaged.
- Students work in groups, partners, or independently.

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Challenge #3

Read the passages and answer the questions.

Use your answers to recover the Ship of Theseus.

Collect the ship after the challenge and return it to Mount Olympus at once. Next, keep your eyes open for the Wax Wings!

2. Pan, Apollo, and King Midas

Pan was the son of Hermes, who was a messenger to the gods. Zeus, the King of All Gods, was his grandfather. He was born with two horns on his forehead, goat legs, a crooked nose, and pointed ears.

His mother, a wood nymph, ran away screaming when she first saw him. Hermes, however, took great care to wrap little Pan in a blanket and brought him to Mount Olympus, home to the gods and goddesses.

4. How did Pan's parents treat him differently when he was born?
   a. Pan's mother took wonderful care of him, while his father didn't want anyth
   b. Pan's grandfather, Zeus, took care of him as a baby because both of his
      baby with horns.
   c. Pan's father took great care of his son, while his mother ran away
   d. Pan's mother ignored him, while his father made fun of him.

5. How does Pan respond to the conflict that arises after King Midas
   a. Pan breaks up the conflict and reminds everyone that it was just a fun musical con
   b. Pan fears Apollo and therefore decides not to help King Midas, even though he was
      to select his performance.
   c. Pan stands up to Apollo and demands that he return King Midas' ears to normal.
   d. Pan fears Apollo and doesn't want to interfere but eventually decides that it is the right thing to

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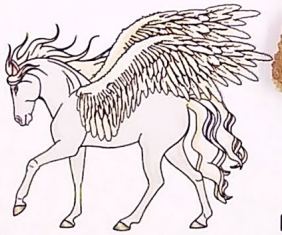
Enter your answers in the Mythology Decoder to see if you are ready to recover the Ship of Theseus.



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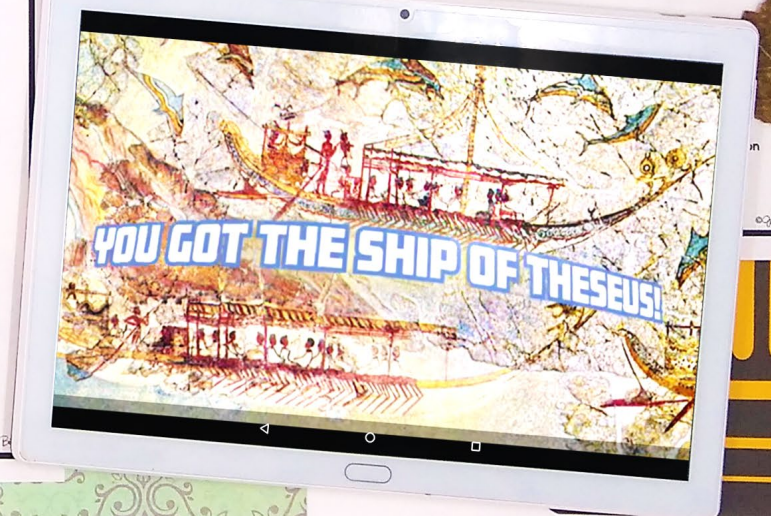

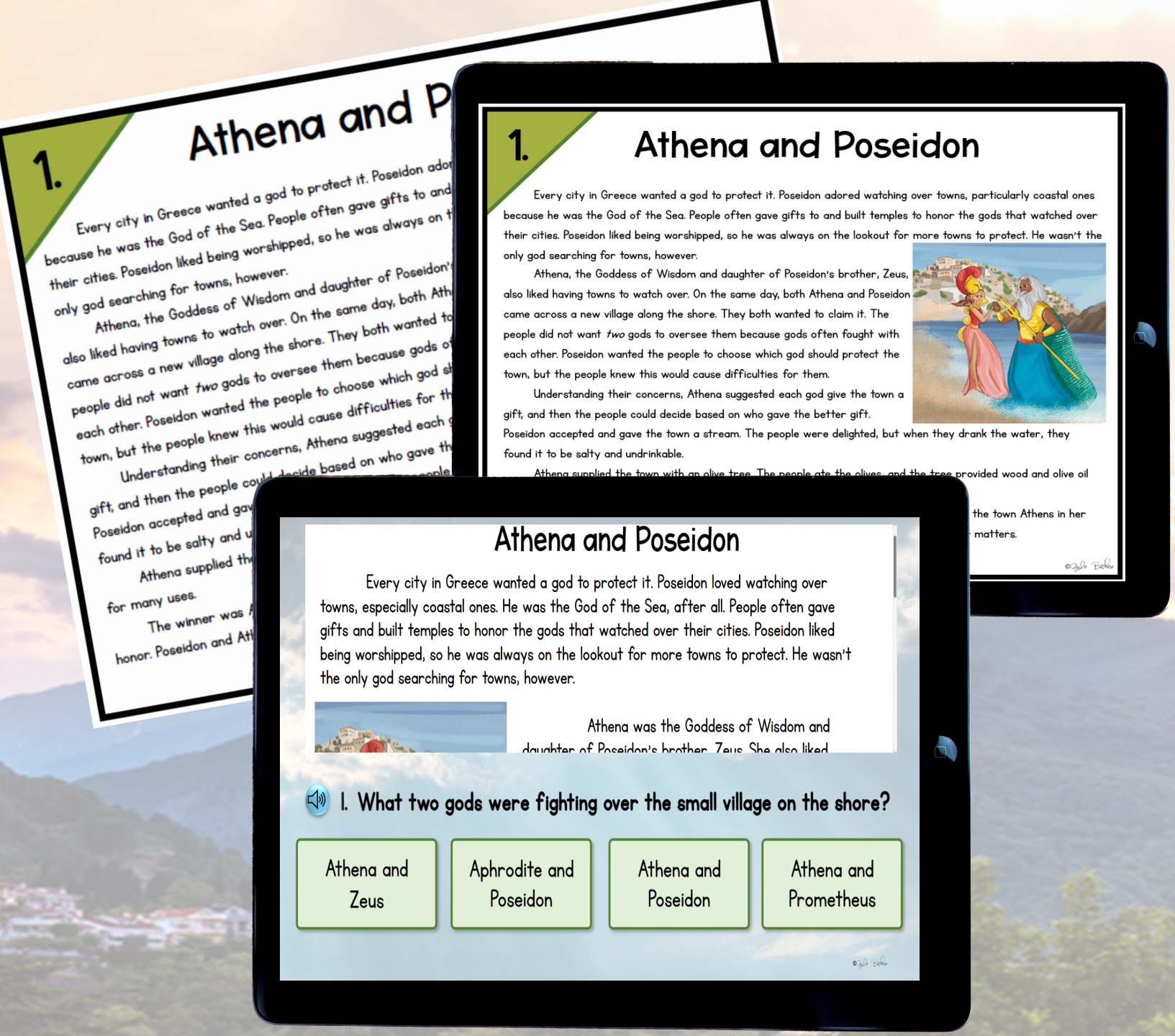

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Format Type	Printable	Digital	Digital
Device	N/A	Any Device	Any Device
Required Prep	Print & Go	Copy & Share	Zero Prep
Student Answers	Printable Answer Pamphlet	Google Sheets Decoder Tool	Integrated Challenge Hub
Self Correcting	Includes Answer Key	Self Correcting	Self Correcting
Custom Videos	QR Codes	Embedded You Tube	Embedded
Audio Readings	N/A	No Audio Readings	Contains Audio Readings
Navigation	N/A	Student Directed	Automatically Advancing
Extras	Early Finish Challenges	Movable Pieces	Interactive Animation

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- Cut and paste stamps for each challenge
- Easy to follow
- Optimal for group or partner work
- Recording brochure for answers
- Self-checking decoder
- Certificate of completion

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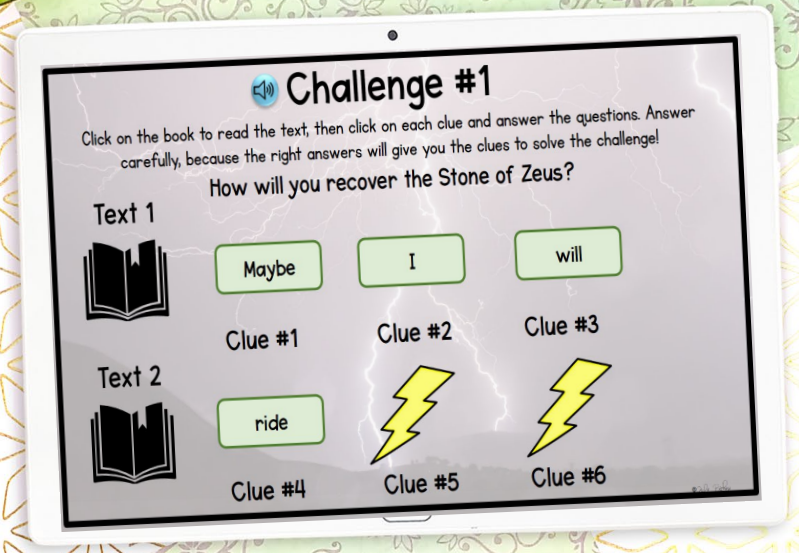

- Most interactive experience
- Self correcting
- Embedded videos
- Embedded audio
- Animation
- Simple navigation

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- No log ins or sign ups
- Works with any device that has an internet connection and web browser
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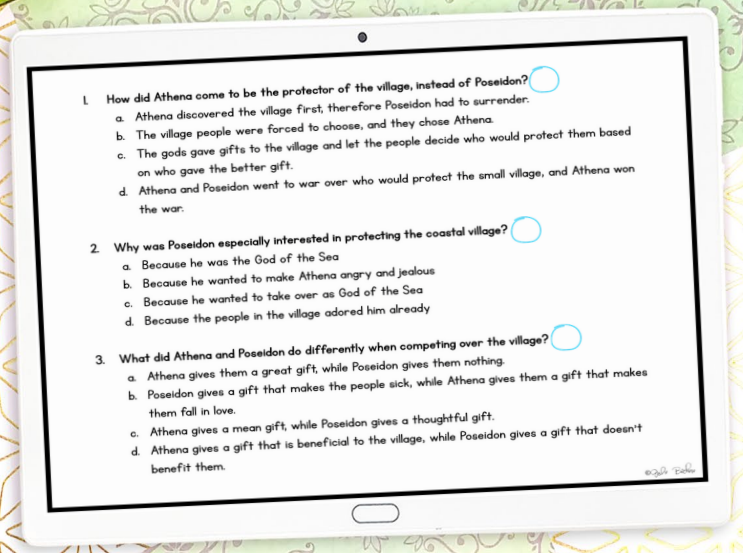
- Three problems per slide
- Students drag to circle their answers



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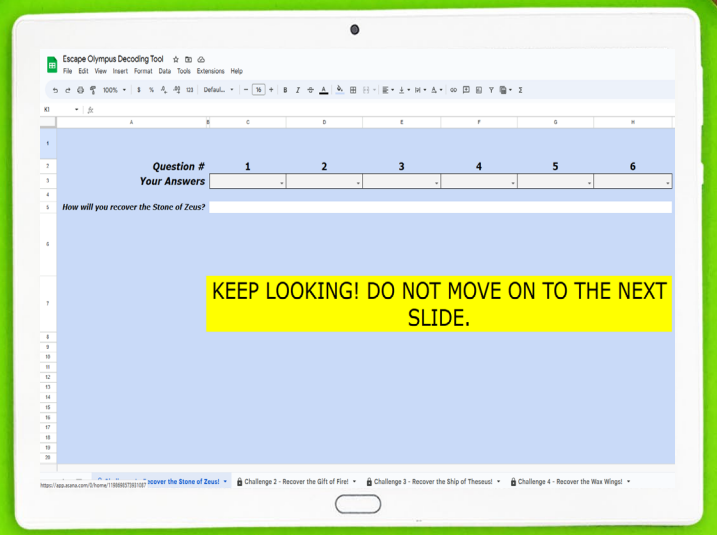

- Toggle to self-checking decoder
- Decoder will prompt at the end of each challenge whether students are correct or need to check their work.

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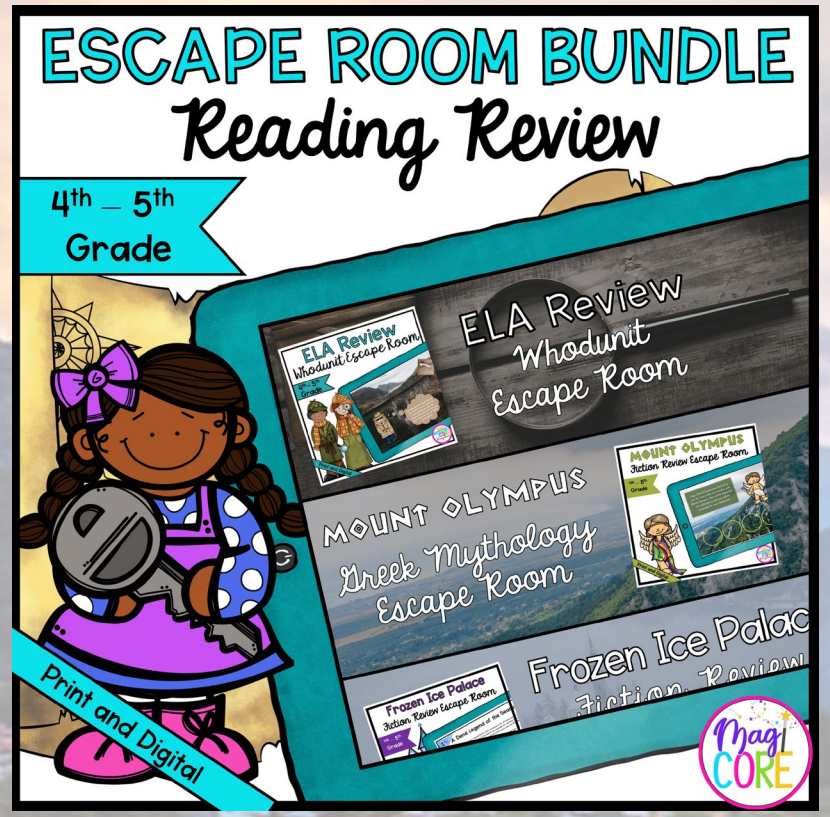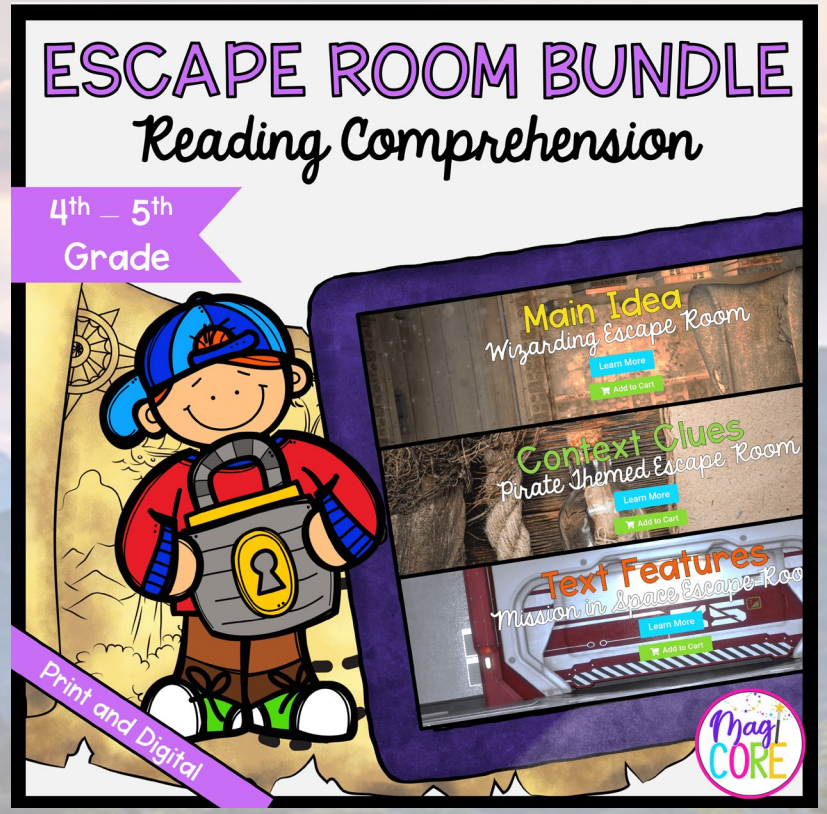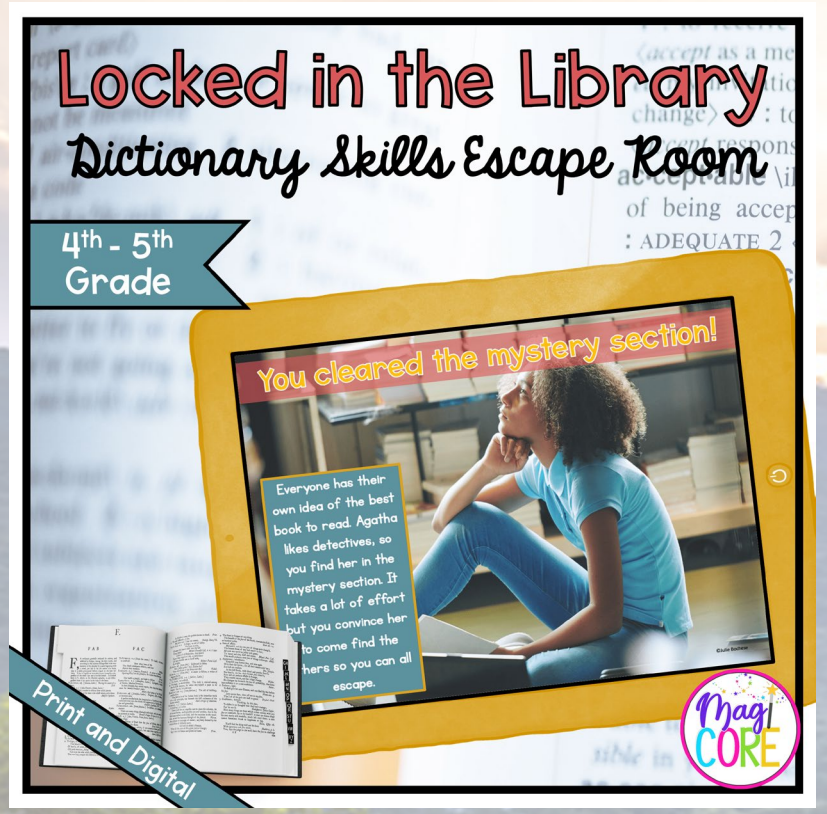
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