

Second Edition

Kid's BOX

Songs 6

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Unit 1 Song



Myths and legends, stories of old,
Beastly tales which people told,
Adventures and monsters, strange animals too,
Heroes who had great things to do.

The Greeks are famous, not just for sports,
But also for Jason and the Argonauts.
They wrote, in their mythology,
Of his adventures across the sea.



Jason's bad uncle made him look for the 'fleece'.
Special wool made of gold, so they tell us in Greece.
He had a clever teacher, like yours, of course!
His teacher was a centaur – half man, half horse.

The teacher told him all about the dangerous siren
Who could break his boat on rocks round the islands.
She's half woman, half bird, with feathers and wings.
She sounds really beautiful when she sings.

The Argonauts were sailing and before too long,
They started to hear the siren's song.
It sounded lovely!, but they didn't go nearer
'Cos Orpheus' music was louder and clearer.
This is part of the myth from Ancient Greece
Of Jason and the Golden Fleece.