



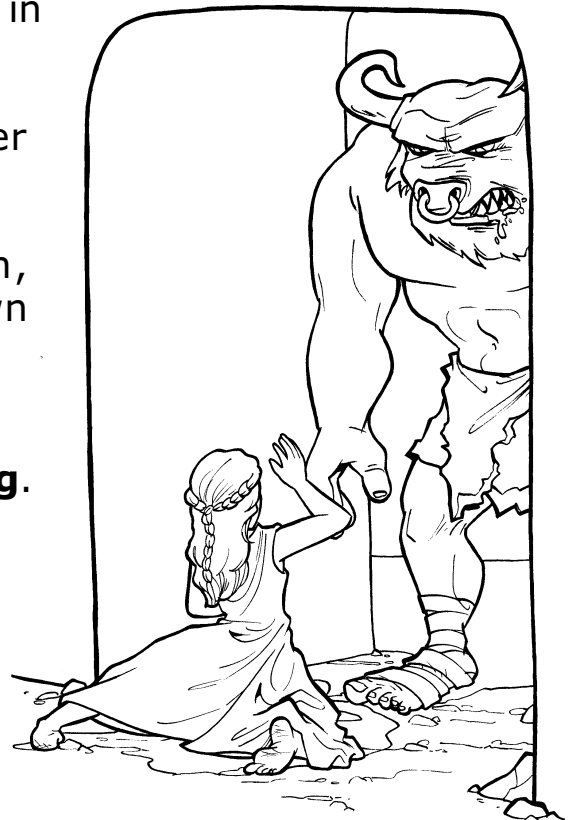
## Learning Support

# The Minotaur and the Maze

1. What was the story about? **Retell** it in your own words.
2. Read the sentences and choose the **correct answer** in brackets.
  - The Minotaur had the body of a (bull/man) and the head of a (bull/man).
  - It was caged in a (vast/mast) maze.
  - When the monster was hungry, (seven/seventeen) boys and girls were sent into the maze to be eaten alive.
  - A (grave/brave) young man called Theseus offered to kill the Minotaur.
  - He threw a ball of (thread/bread) into the maze and tiptoed after it.
  - Suddenly, with a terrible (roar/boar), the Minotaur charged.
  - Theseus (jumped/bumped) aside just in time.
  - He ripped off a horn as the monster rushed (fast/past).
  - When the Minotaur charged again, Theseus (filled/killed) it with its own horn.

3. Join up the words with a **similar meaning**.

centre	creature	doorway
	awful	beast
middle	terrible	entrance



4. Write words that **rhyme** with these words from the story.

maze

head

find

bellow

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5. Change these words from the story by using a **different vowel**.

shine \_\_\_\_\_

stepped \_\_\_\_\_

know \_\_\_\_\_

tripped \_\_\_\_\_

6. Here are two pictures from the story. Write about what is **happening** in the pictures.

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