

Unit 2 Worksheet (Chapters 5, 7, 8)
PHI 201: History of Ancient Philosophy

Vocabulary: (define or identify each of the following terms or persons: italics indicates a Greek term)

Archon –

polymarch –

ostraka –

acropolis –

Parthenon –

agora –

Thucydides –

demagogas –

Pericles –

Cleon –

Demosthenes –

Nicias –

Alcibides –

Lysander –

Critias –

Short Answer Questions:

1. Describe the legal reforms of Draco and Solon.

2. Describe the events that led to the First Persian War.

3. Describe the political and military strategy of Themistocles and evaluate its success.

4. Explain the circumstances that set the stage for the Peloponnesian War.

5. Describe the alternate military strategies of Pericles and Archidamus in the first phase of the Peloponnesian War.

6. Describe the "Peace of Nicias" and explain why it ultimately failed to end the Peloponnesian War.

7. Describe the Sicilian Campaign and explain why it failed.

8. Explain the tension between the hoplite and navel factions in Athenian politics during the Peloponnesian War.

9. Explain why the Spartan victory at Aegospotami led to the end of the Peloponnesian War.

10. Explain how the rule of the Thirty Tyrants and the aftermath of the Peloponnesian War set the stage for the execution of Socrates.