


## Analyzing the Text

RL 1, RL 2, RL 3,  
RL 4, W 3, W 7

 Support your responses with evidence from the text.

1. **Infer** Reread lines 1–9. How do you think Daedalus is reacting to his situation at this point?
2. **Interpret** Think about Daedalus's advice to Icarus in lines 41–47. What do these lines suggest about the kind of behavior that ancient Greeks valued?
3. **Interpret** Reread lines 56–59. What does the sentence suggest about one of the themes of this myth?
4. **Cite Evidence** What text clues does the author provide to hint at the outcome of Icarus's flight?
5. **Analyze** Reread lines 67–71, and identify descriptive words and phrases. What do these descriptions suggest about Icarus's experience?
6. **Connect** People today may refer to someone "who flew too close to the sun" as a cautionary tale. What does this expression mean and what does it have to do with the myth of Icarus? Explain.

\* Answer questions on  
lined paper!

\* Restate!

\* Use complete sentences!