

APPENDIX I

SUMMARY OF THE NOVEL

Percy Jackson is a 12-year-old boy who has been diagnosed with ADHD and dyslexia. Sally Jackson took her son to the beach during the summer holidays. Grover Underwood comes to their beach house during a storm to warn them that they are in danger. Percy also discovers that Grover, his schoolmate, is not human, but a Greek mythological parody. They rushed to a special safe camp as well.

The plan does not go smoothly; the Minotaur intercepts them, causing Sally to melt into a golden light flash. Percy succeeded in cutting off one of the Minotaur's horns after much effort and killing it. He passed out, however, and was treated by Annabeth Chase at a special camp for three days. Finally, he discovered that he was a demigod, the son of the gods of Greece and of men.

Percy settled in the tent and encountered many other children of the demigod. After Percy was assaulted during the game, the flag was taken by the Hell Dogs, who were not supposed to be at the camp. His father, Dewa Poseidon, also recognised Percy. A few days later, in the main building, Chiron summoned Percy and told him that more than 70 years earlier, the three oldest gods (Poseidon, Zeus, and Hades) had made a bloodless pact. So the presence of Percy was a breach of the arrangement. This ignited suspicion because the key lightning bolt of King Zeus had been stolen and the prime suspect was Percy.

Finally, Percy, Annabeth Chase and Grover Underwood are charged with preventing the war on Mount Olympus between the gods by locating and returning the primary lightning of King Zeus before the summer solstice. This trio is armed with Soothsayer Delphi forecasts, which

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BIOGRAPHY OF THE AUTHOR

The author of the series 'Percy Jackson and the Olympians,' 'The Kane Chronicles' and 'The Heroes of Olympus' is Richard Russell "Rick" Riordan Jr. or better known as Rick Riordan Jr.. Riordan lives in Boston with Becky Riordan, his wife, and Haley and Patrick Riordan's children. On June 6th, 1964, Riordan was born. He also wrote the Tres Naverre series that was intended for adults, in addition to the Percy Jackson series, Heroes of Olympus and Kane Chronicles. He graduated from the University of Austin in Texas. He has taught history and English at California and San Antonio colleges.

His first series of children, 'Percy Jackson and The Olympians,' tells the tale of a dyslexic and ADHD (attention deficit and hyperactivity disorder) boy named Percy Jackson, who turns out to be a semi-god child. There is modernized Ancient Greek mythology in this story. The character of Percy Jackson draws influence from his own son, Haley Riordan. As Riordan ran out of myths to tell because her son loved ancient mythology so much, this tale was also a bedtime tale for Haley. Finally, Riordan published the first book in his 'The Lightning Thief' series in 2005. The Heroes of Olympus is a continuation of the series 'Percy Jackson and The Olympians,' but incorporates Roman mythology. The Kane Chronicles tell the story of the Egyptian magicians, the Kane brothers.

The great writer is Rick Riordan. From his own son, he got his inspiration. And Riordan said his way of honouring children with similar fates was to make Percy a boy with dyslexia and ADHD. The name of one of the children who became the reader of the experiment is one of the characters in the story, Travis Stoll. There are some other names, such as Nancy Bobofit and Luke Castellan, that also drew influence from the kids he taught.