

Vikings Week 4 - Beliefs and Gods

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Norse Beliefs

Viking religion involved several worlds and several gods. They also believed in an afterlife — but which afterlife you went to depended on how you had behaved in life.

Use pages 6 and 7 of the Study Book to find out if these sentences about Viking beliefs are true or false. Tick the correct box for each statement.

The Vikings believed there was more than one world. True False

The Vikings believed that humans lived in a world called Asgard. True False

The Vikings believed that humans could live in different worlds. True False

The father of the Viking gods was Thor. True False

The Vikings believed a bridge called Bifrost linked Asgard and Midgard. True False

Use page 7 of the Study Book to help you complete the sentences below.

Thor was the god of .

Odin's wife was called .

Tyr was the god of .

Odin ruled .

Vikings believed that if they died bravely in battle, they would be taken to Valhalla in the afterlife.

Imagine you are a Viking. Write down why you want to go to Valhalla.

I would love to go to Valhalla because I would be able to feast with my fellow warriors and drink a never ending supply of mead.

Draw what you imagine Valhalla might look like.
Add some labels to explain what is happening in your picture.

