

SCOP Norse Myth

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*For the purpose of these sheets, myth systems are belief systems that are no longer widely practiced. Important terms are marked in **bold**; a bolded term is worth researching online for more information.*

Deities

Name	Other Name(s)	Details
Odin	Wotann Woden Oðinn	The All-Father and leader of the Æsir. Father of Thor . Hung himself on Yggdrasil for nine days to gain wisdom, and traded an eye to gain wisdom by drinking from Mimir's well. Destined to be killed by Fenrir at Ragnarök . Owns the ravens Hugin and Munin ; the spear Gungnir , and a ring that replicates itself, called Draupnir .
Thor	Donar	God of thunder. Son of Odin and husband of Sif . Owns the short-handled hammer Mjölknir . Has a long-standing feud with Jörmungandr , who he will kill at Ragnarök only to take nine steps and die. Rides a chariot pulled by goats named "Tooth-Grinder" and "Tooth-Gnasher."
Loki		Trickster. Tricked Hodr into killing Baldr ; is punished by being tied beneath a serpent that drips venom onto him, causing earthquakes. His release will trigger Ragnarök , during which he will lead an army against the Æsir. Father of Jörmungandr , Fenrir , and Hel with Angerboða . Mother of Sleipnir , an eight-legged horse. Sometimes considered a Jotunn or half-Jotunn.
Freya	Freyja	Goddess of love, sex, and beauty. Sister of Freyr . Takes half of the warriors killed in battle to her hall, Fólkvangr . Rides a chariot pulled by cats . Owns the necklace (tocque) Brisingamen .
Heimdall	Heimdallr	Guardian of Bifröst . Nicknamed the White God . The son of nine mothers .
Baldr		Son of Frigg , who made everything in the world promise not to hurt Baldr. She forgot to get a promise from mistletoe . Loki tricked Baldr's blind brother, Hodr , into throwing a spear made of mistletoe at Baldr, killing him. He owned the boat Hringhorni and his consort was Nanna .

Non-Human Beings

Name	Other Name(s)	Details
Fenrir	Fenris Wolf	An enormous wolf, one of the three monstrous children of Loki with the Jotunn woman Angrboða . Bit off the hand of Tyr , the god of war. Destined to eat Odin during Ragnarök .
Jörmungandr	Midgard Serpent	An enormous snake that lives in the ocean and encircles the world of humans. One of the three monstrous children of Loki with the Jotunn woman Angrboða . Will kill and be killed by Thor at Ragnarök .
Dwarves		Highly skilled crafters. Some of them, the Sons of Ivaldi , created Freyr's ship Skiðblaðnir , Odin's spear Gungnir , and a golden wig for Sif after Loki cut off her hair. One of them, Brokkr, mis-cast Thor's hammer Mjölknir , with a short handle when Loki, disguised as a fly, bit his eye.
Jötunn	Frost giants	Frequent opponents of the Æsir. Inhabit Jötunheim. Ex: Angrboða , Loki's consort.
Valkyries		Transport warriors slain in battle to Valhalla and Fólkvangr . Ex: Brunnhilde .

Places, Objects, and Events

Name	Other Name(s)	Details
Ragnarök		The destined destruction and rebirth of the world, beginning when Loki leads the Jötnar (Jötunns) against the Æsir. Called Götterdämmerung, or "Twilight of the Gods" in German.
Yggdrasil		The "World Tree," a giant ash tree that connects the nine worlds, including Midgard , the realm of humans, and Asgard , the realm of the gods.
Valhalla		Odin's mead-hall in Asgard .
Bifröst		The rainbow-bridge between Asgard and Midgard . Guarded by Heimdall .