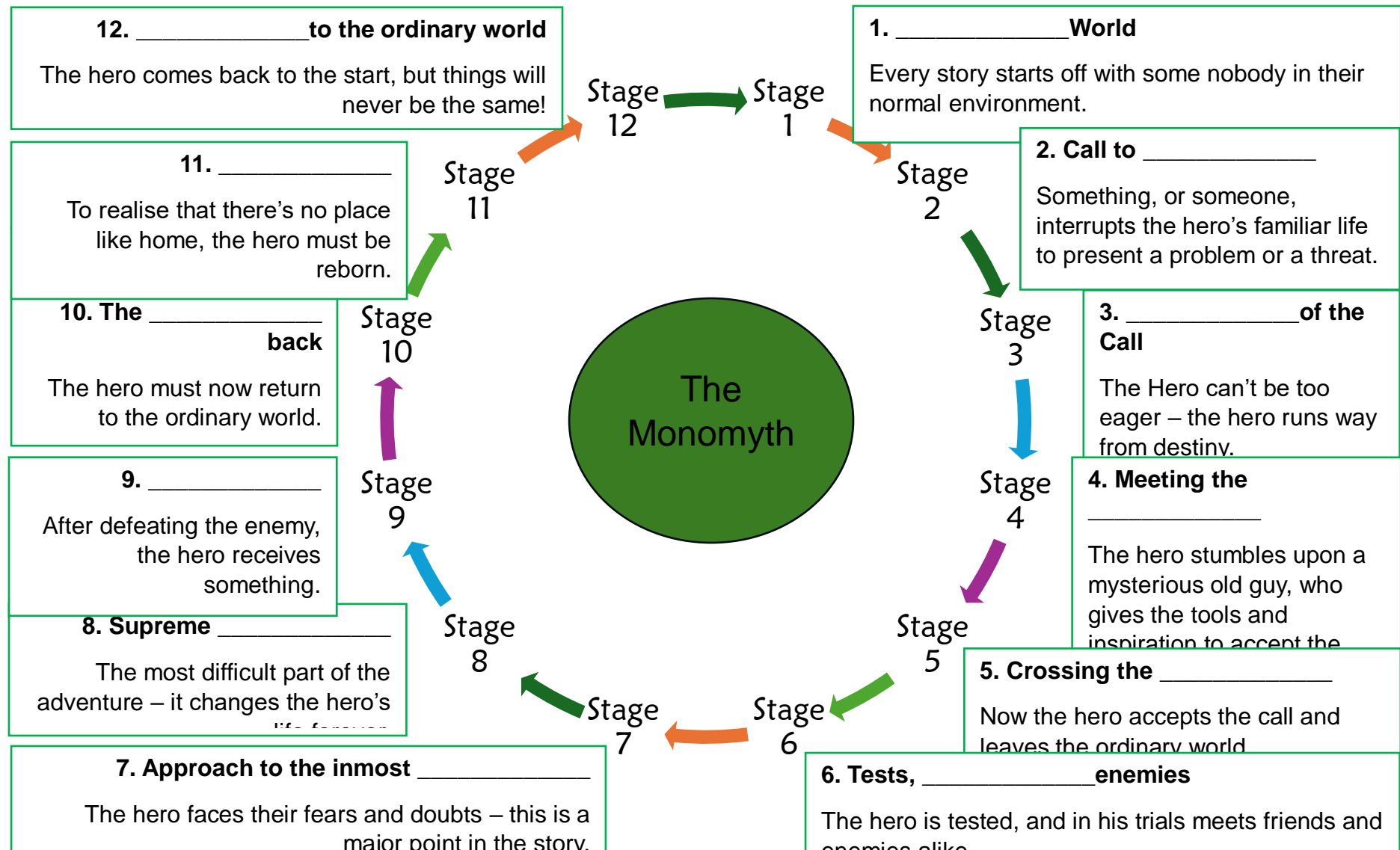


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# The \_\_\_\_\_ Journey

- Watch the video on <https://thecuriousbrain.com/?p=75036> . Listen carefully to the steps of the Monomyth, and fill the blanks accordingly:



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2. Work in pairs! Read the parts of a famous story below (A-L) and place them in the right order, according to the steps of a Hero's Journey. Can you tell which story it is?

**H.** Our hero, then has to think of a plan to get his home back. Instead of rushing in and killing the suitors, his goddess-guide disguises him as an old beggar so he can enter his house undetected/without being seen. His character is tested - he is made to wait patiently as his son sets an impossible task to the suitors, promising that the winner will marry his mother, the hero's wife.

**E.** Our hero joins the war. It is violent, and lasts many, many years. The way it ends, and the winners' pride, anger the gods, who curse them with a difficult and long return home.

**A.** Our hero, still dressed as a beggar, completes the task, and is becomes as he was before. He and his son get rid of the suitors by force. He reunites with his wife and can at last rest – after so many years and so many trials, he is home.

**D.** A war breaks out and shakes the whole country. Our hero, as an important ruler with power, is asked to join the fighting with his forces.

**G.** A goddess visits our hero. She wants to help him, though she has been instructed not to. Throughout the story, she helps him, when other gods refuse to, constantly saving him from death, and giving him guidance.

**J.** Our hero steps into the underworld trying to get information about returning home. His life is put on the line there, but he comes out victorious.

**I.** Our hero faces many obstacles and comes face to face with all sorts of monsters, godly creatures, humans alike.

**K.** After successfully getting advice for the way home, our hero is offered hospitality in a safe place.

**C.** Our hero, a king, rules his kingdom peacefully, with his wife and newborn son by his side.

**L.** Our hero's generous hosts offer him a safe journey home, which he accepts. Once he returns, he finds out that his house is full of many suitors trying to steal his wife and palace.

**F.** Our hero comes close to getting home, but after a mistake by some of his crew members, they are taken far away. This makes the final goal of returning home difficult.

**B.** Our hero does not want at first to sail to an unknown place and leave his family, because he knows the trip will be long.

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