

# ZIPTALES™

## Worksheet 1

# Ozymandias

## Part A - Think About the Poem

1. Read the poem to yourself.
2. Think how you would describe someone who boasted about his ability but finally lost everything.
3. Many well-known sayings could be used to sum up what the poem is about.

Look at those listed below.

- *The bigger they are the harder they fall.*
- *See how the mighty have fallen.*
- *A picture paints a thousand words.*



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## Part B - Writing it Your Way



1. Use one of the sayings listed or find another that you know and write it as a heading in the space below.
2. Write a paragraph to tell just what the poem is describing.
3. Write a short concluding paragraph to tell what the poet wants us to understand about people such as Ozymandias.

**Heading:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Conclusion:** \_\_\_\_\_

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