

Chapter 17 - Assignment 3: Plato's *Hippias Minor* Dialogue

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In order to answer the following questions, read pages 11–14 in Chapter 17.

1. According to Apemantus, why was Homer's *Iliad* better than Homer's *Odyssey*?

2. According to Socrates, why was Achilles more deceptive than Odysseus?

3. According to Hippias, why was Odysseus more deceptive than Achilles?

4. According to Hippias, which is worse: *intentional* injustice or *unintentional* injustice? Explain.

5. According to Socrates, which is worse: *intentional* injustice or *unintentional* injustice? Explain. (Hint: Let the word “worse” mean “more bad” or “badder”.)