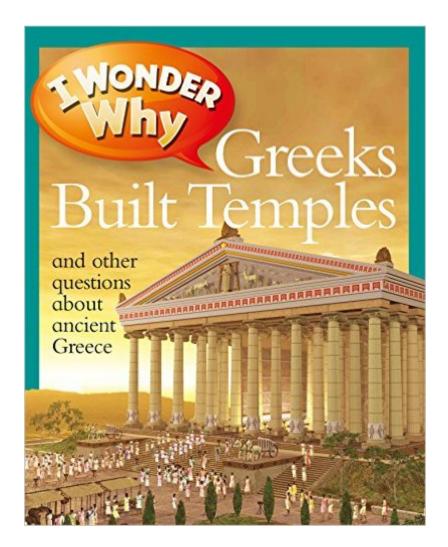
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# I Wonder Why Greeks Built Temples: And Other Questions About Ancient Greece





## Synopsis

I Wonder Why Greeks Built Temples - by Fiona MacDonald - answers all kinds of questions, large and small, that children ask about this ancient culture, from "Who ran the first marathon?" to "Who discovered that the earth is round?" and "Why were Greek sandals bouncy?"

### **Book Information**

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