**Be a language detective: can you answer these questions?**

1. **What do these Greek words mean? Circle the answer you think is right.**

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| 1. http://lingue.altervista.org/vocabulary/jobs_detective.gifπαυω | 1. I start 2. I stop 3. I continue |
| 1. φωνη | 1. Phone 2. Ear 3. Voice |
| 1. νικη | 1. Victory 2. Night 3. Trainers |
| 1. φιλω | 1. I hate 2. I love 3. I feel |

1. **Which English word do you think might come from the Greek word on the left?**

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| 1. κρυπτω | 1. Cry 2. Crew 3. Cryptic |
| 1. ὑπνος | 1. Up 2. Hypnosis 3. Hyper |
| 1. ναυτης | 1. Nautical 2. Nought 3. Name |
| 1. φαρμακος | 1. Famous 2. Farm 3. Pharmacy |

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1. **Read through this text and see if you can answer the questions.**

Ὁδυσσευς is in a cave when ἀκουει φωνην and ἐχει φοβον. It is the Κυκλωψ! ὁ Κυκλωψ eats κουρον and λεγει: “bring me δωρον!”. Ὀδυσσευς λεγει: “οἰνον φιλεις”. οἰνον πινει and falls into ὑπνον. They stab his ὀφθαλμον so he cannot find them. Ὀδυσσευς κρυπτει under a sheep and φυγει when the Cyclops leads them to the ἀγρον to graze. καλει: “νικην εχω!”

1. Can you think of an English word that could have come from the Greek word for fear?



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1. Who loves wine?

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1. Which body part do you think the Cyclops is stabbed in?

a) His eyes

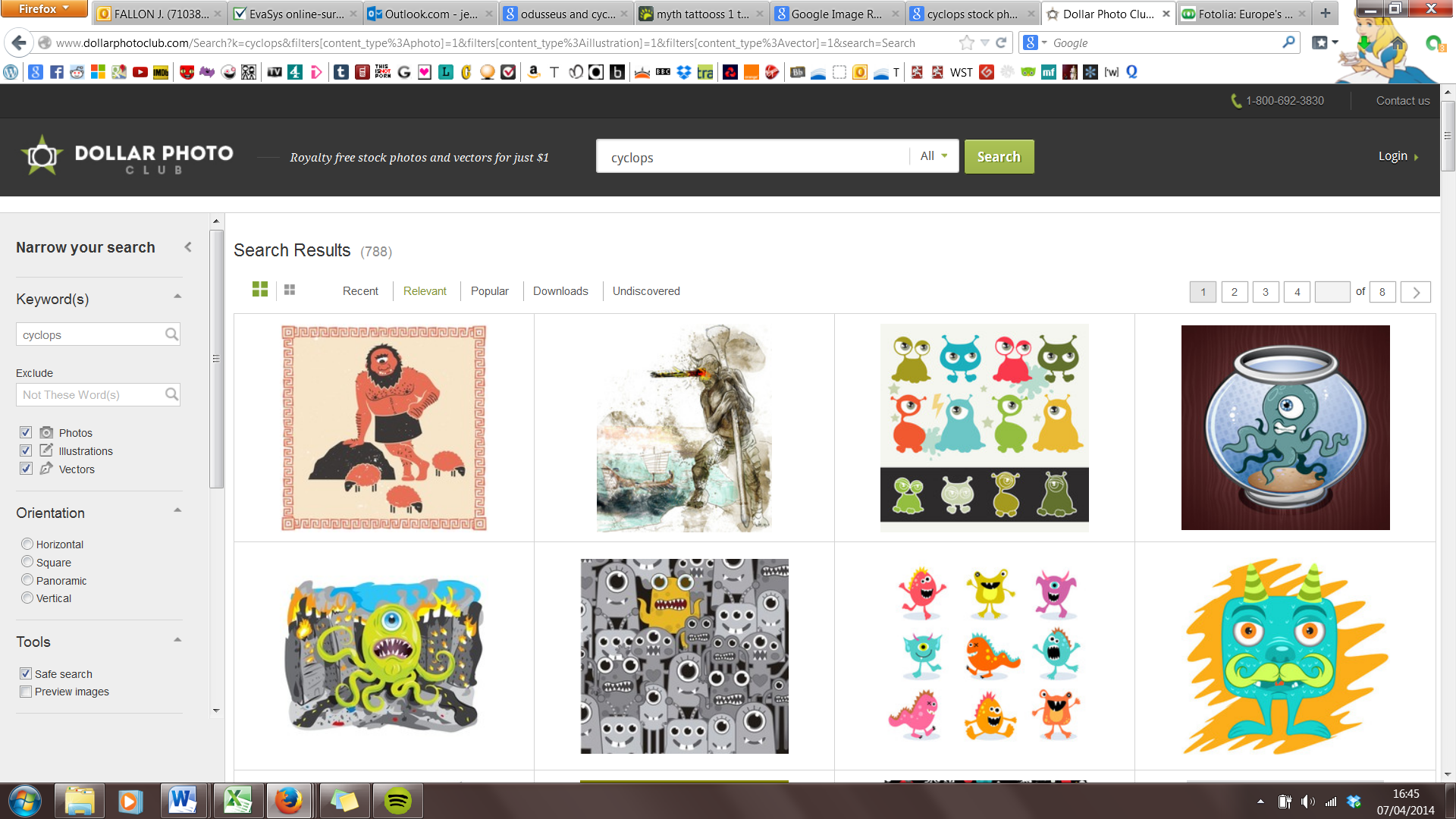
b) His ear

c) His eye

1. If a man who escapes from prison is called a fugitive, what do you think φυγει means?

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1. **Using the words and endings you’ve seen so far, have a go at figuring out these sentences and writing some of your own!**



1. ἐπιστολην γραφω

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1. ἱππον εχεις

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1. ποταμον μισει

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Seen so far...

alphabet

diphthongs

breathings

Nouns: masc/fem/neut subj/obj singular

god/goddess

messenger

wine

word

story

horse

river

army

voice

music

victory

girl/boy

letter

gift

tree

Verbs: 1st, 2nd, 3rd sing

say

write

hear

have

hate

love

call

stop

hide

drink

eat