Tuesday period 2-3, Thursday period 3

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Description:
In this intensive reading course we will read Livy Book 1. The course is intended primarily for language exam prep and secondarily as introduction to methods and theories of ancient historiography.

Texts:

Requirements:
25% = 10 article discussions
25% = 1 book report
25% = 2 unit exams (12.5% each)
25% = recitation/participation

Policies:
1. Your perfect attendance is expected and required. Your grade for the course will drop one letter for each unexcused absence.
2. You are expected to read Latin from a clean text at all times. Should you require aids, they must be in your own hand writing, on a separate piece of paper. I reserve the right to inspect for clean texts and dismiss a student who has a marked text.
3. There will be no make up work except in extraordinary and documented cases.
4. Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation.
5. The use of electronic devices during class is strictly prohibited. SPECIFICALLY: cellular phones in all of their capacities, email programs, internet browsing of any sort. Refusal to comply results in immediate dismissal from class. Graduate students may have laptop computers on sleep, for consultation during class discussions but not during translations or line reports.
6. Academic Honesty is expected at all times. We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honesty and integrity. On all work submitted for credit by students at the university, the following pledge is either required or implied: "On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment."
7. Students who face difficulties completing the course or who are in need of counseling or urgent help may call the on-campus counseling center: 352-392-1575, or the student mental health center: 352-392-1171.

Assignments:
On Tuesdays we will read approximately 5-7 OCT pages of Latin together in class, and on Thursdays we will discuss an article that pertains to our reading. The first exam is on October 6 over the chapters we will have read to that point.

By the end of the second week, students choose a book on Livy to read; in the course of the semester, the student is expected to contribute to discussions, drawing on the chosen book. I will read rough drafts of book reports and offer comments before the final submission on October 13.