LAT 1121, sect. 4697: Beginning Latin 2

Fall 2013

MWF 7 (1:55-2:45) TUR -2349

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Course Description and Goals

This is the second course of a three part beginning series at the University of Florida. Students will concurrently (1) master the vocabulary, morphology, and syntax in chapters 15-27 of Wheelock's Latin, and (2) practice in the fluid translation of Latin to English and English to Latin. Students will leave this class prepared to succeed in Latin 3.

Daily Activities

Written exercises both in class and assigned as homework will reinforce the inflectional patterns of Latin and aid in memorization. You will have regular practice reading Latin, translating into English, and composing Latin sentences. Oral drill and recitation will establish proper pronunciation. We will also have quizzes that will cover vocabulary, grammar, and translation. These are meant to keep you on track and prepare you for tests. Always be punctual, as quizzes will often be given at the beginning of class. Make-ups are not allowed.

Attendance

Attendance is required and marked every single day. In order to stay on track and build a strong understanding, you must be present for every class. Your grade and overall success greatly depend on your attendance. Make-up quizzes and late homework assignments are not permitted. Only University Excused Absences are acceptable.

Policies

1. Your perfect attendance at class meetings is expected.

2. 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.

3. The use of cellular devices during lecture and section is strictly prohibited. Refusal to comply results in immediate dismissal from class.

4. 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."

The UF Honor Code is available in its full form at <u>https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current</u>. Violations include cheating, plagiarism, bribery, and misrepresentation.

5. 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.

Texts

Wheelock, Frederick M. and R. A. LaFleur, Wheelock's Latin, 2005 Groton, Anne and James May, 38 Latin Stories, 2004 Collins, *Latin Concise Dictionary* (or any Latin dictionary) – Recommended

The grading scale for the course:

The makeup of your final grade:

A 93-100	Quizzes	20%
A- 90-92	Attendance	10%
B+ 87-89	Homework	10%
B 83-86	Test 1	20%
B- 80-82	Test 2	20%
C+ 77-79	Test 3	20%
С 73-77		
C- 70-72	All tests are cumulative.	
D+ 67-69		
D 63-66		
D- 60-62		
E 0-59		

Important Dates:

September 27 th	Test 1
November 1 st	Test 2
December 12 th	Final Exam in Class

Holidays - No classes:

September 2nd November 8-9th November 11th November 27-30th

Labor Day Homecoming Veterans Day Thanksgiving