Spring 2006 Intermediate Latin. Review of Grammar and Selected Readings - Lat 111b



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Description of the course

This course is designed as a continuation of Latin 100a. For the first part of the course, class time will be given over to covering the grammar topics presented in *Latin: An Intensive Course*. There will be several weekly assignments, which you must complete independently. You will be tested weekly in the lab sessions and there will be a midterm examination at the end of this part of the course.

In the second part of the course, we will read selections from two authors, Caesar and Catullus. Your assignments will be to prepare passages from these authors for detailed analysis and translation in the following class. You will be tested on your progress in weekly quizzes. A midterm examination and a final examination will test your skill in translating longer seen and unseen passages.

At the end of the course you will be ready to take 300-level courses and to read more complex Latin texts.

Required texts

- F. Moreland and R. Fleischer, *Latin: An Intensive Course* California University Press, 1990.
- D. H. Garison, The Student's Catullus. University of Oklahoma Press, 1995.
- G. Townend, *Caesar's War in Alexandria: Bellum civile III 102-112; Bellum Alexandrinum* 1.33. Bolchazy-Carducci, 1988
- These titles are available from the Yale Bookstore.
- A supplementary coursepack must be purchased from TYCO.
- You may also consider purchasing the following grammar reference:
- B. Kennedy, Kennedy's Revised Latin Primer. Longman, 1962.

Course requirements

Attendance:

regular participation and prompt attendance are required. If a student misses more than two classes without an excuse or is consistently unprepared for class, his/her grade will be significantly affected.

Written work:

There will be graded homework assignments (no credit will be given for work handed in late without reasonable cause).

Weekly quizzes will be set in the lab session on Tuesday. Occasionally a pop quiz will also be given during class. There will be two mid-terms and one final exam.

<u>Grades</u> Final grades will be weighted as follows:

• Homework assignments (week 1-5)	10%
• Preparation for class (week 6-13)	15%
• Quizzes	25%
Midterms x 2	25%
• Final exam	25%

Exam dates (subject to revision only by the instructor)

- Mid-term 1: Monday, 13 February
- Mid-term 2: Monday, 27 March
- Final exam: Tuesday, 2 May, 9:00 am

N.B. This course will meet during reading week.