

LATIN S110, THE ELEMENTS OF LATIN GRAMMAR

30 MAY-1 JULY, 2017, M-F 9-12

LATIN S120, REVIEW OF GRAMMAR AND SELECTED READINGS

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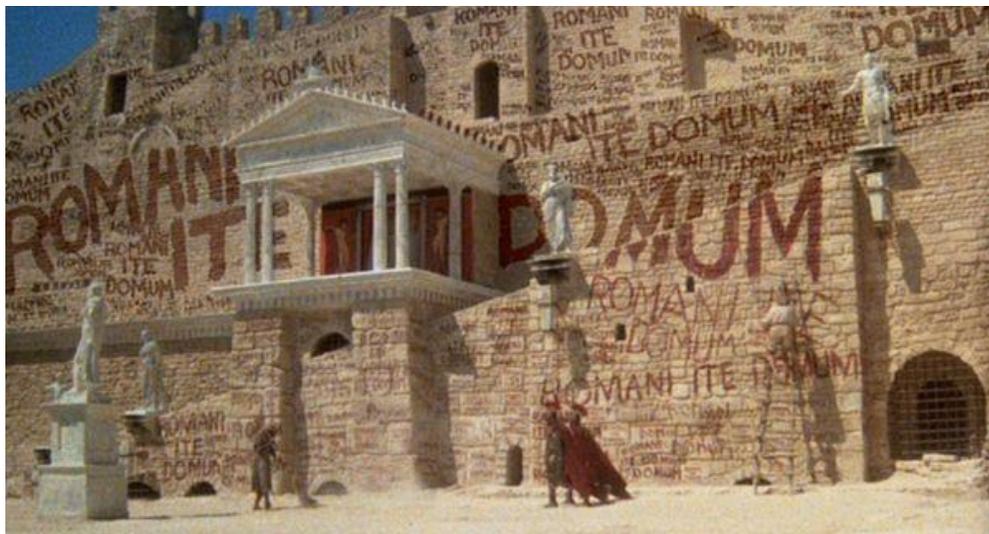
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SYLLABUS

*Latin's a dead language
Dead as it can be
First it killed the Romans
Now it's killing me.*



Latin lyric and archaeological find ("Always look on the bright side of Latin.") courtesy of Professor Christina Kraus

Required text: Keller & Russell, *Learn to read Latin*, 2nd ed., textbook (TB, ISBN 9780300194951) and workbooks (WB, ISBN 9780300194975, 9780300194982).

Recommended: Students may want to purchase a simple soft-bound Latin dictionary, such as the Bantam or Collins Gem, with both Latin-to-English and English-to-Latin sections. For those with iPhones, iPads, etc. the University of Chicago has recently made available, *gratis et pro bono*, the extremely useful app Logeion, which contains several standard Greek and Latin dictionaries.

All books are available under this course listing at the Yale Bookstore World Language Center, 77 Broadway. Session A (S110) will cover approximately chapters 1-10, Session B (S120) chapters 11-15. All readings in Session A will be taken from the TB.

Please read TB Introduction (pp.1-10) before the first class.

TB sections (§§) will be introduced in the class for which they are listed and studied the night following; **written drills** are to be prepared for the class for which they are listed. Vocabulary for each chapter should be memorized at the beginning of working on the chapter.

Each class will meet from 9-12 with a break around 10:20. Please bring both TB and WB to class every day. There will be short quizzes during the week at the beginning of class on forms and in-class exercises, along with evening homework from the workbook (featuring translation into Latin) and textbook (primarily readings from original Latin texts). On Mondays (6/5, 6/12, 6/19) there will be longer exams on the previous week's work. The grammar final for Latin S110 is scheduled for Friday 30 June.

We shall be covering a whole semester's worth of work in five weeks, and attendance at all classes is mandatory. In case of illness or other personal emergency, please contact me immediately.

Assessment: Attendance and participation, 40%; Written assignments + quizzes, 20%; Exams (4 x 10%), 40%. Missed quizzes and exams may not be made up unless prior arrangements have been made.