

St. Mary's College
Department of Humanities
LAT 102: Introduction to Latin II
Fall 2023

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Class Schedule: MTWThF 1:25-215 (Rm. 202)

Office Hours: Tuesday 4.10-5.20 pm

Prerequisites: LAT 101 (or equivalent knowledge as established via a placement test)

Course Description and Purpose:

This course continues an introductory study of Latin grammar, syntax, and vocabulary, following *Latin: An Intensive Course* by Moreland and Fleischer. It is for the student with no previous Latin experience, or whose previous Latin study needs consolidating and strengthening. It will cover Units 9-18 Moreland and Fleischer, drilling and training example sentences, grammar and syntax. There will be supplemental readings from *Vulgate Verses* and *Latin Via Proverbs* both compiled by Laura Gibbs, as well as readings in liturgical Latin. The course will conclude by reading *Pugio Bruti - A Crime Story in Easy Latin* by Daniel Pettersohn & Amelie Rosengren.

Course Materials (required):

Course Pack (provided) consisting of *Vulgate Verses: 4000 Verses from the Bible for Teachers and Students of Latin*, Laura Gibbs, 2nd edition, January 29 2022; *Latin Via Proverbs: 4000 Proverbs, Mottoes, and Sayings for Students of Latin*, Laura Gibbs, 2nd edition, January 29 2022; and *Epitome historiæ sacræ*, Charles François Lhomond, 1829.

Latin: An Intensive Course, Floyd L. Moreland and Rita M. Fleischer, (University of California Press, 1990) ISBN#: 9780520031838

The Bantam New College Latin & English Dictionary, John Traupman, (Bantam, 2007) ISBN: 9780553590128

Pugio Bruti - A Crime Story in Easy Latin, Daniel Pettersohn & Amelie Rosengren, ISBN-10: 9198509403, ISBN-13: 978-9198509403

Course Materials (optional but recommended):

Pugio Bruti online Course: <https://latinitium.com/resources-for-learning-latin/pugio-bruti-resources>

A Latin Dictionary, Lewis, Charlton T, Short, Charles ISBN-10: 1999855787

Ossa Latinitatis Sola, Foster, Daniel P. McCarthy (The Catholic University of America Press, November 2, 2016) ISBN: 9780813228327

An Introduction to Latin With Just In Time Grammar, Wes Billingham, 2014, ISBN-13: 9781311648686

Lingua Latina per se Illustrata, Pars I: Familia Romana, Hans H. Ørberg, (Focus; Second edition, March 1, 2011).

Legentibus: Learn Latin APP

Grade Distribution:

Quizzes:	20%
Homework:	20%
Tests:	30%
Final Tests:	30%

Lowest test grade will be dropped.

QUIZZES, TESTS, AND WRITTEN ASSIGNMENTS:

- Quizzes will be given daily, or nearly daily. They will be announced, and the material for each will be clearly defined. LAT I02 requires a lot of memorization, and short daily quizzes will help you with this. Any quiz missed without a legitimate excuse may not be made up. Quizzes missed with a legitimate excuse must be made up within one week. It is the responsibility of the student to inform the instructor that a quiz was missed, explain the reason, and schedule a make-up quiz if possible. At the end of the semester, each student's lowest quiz grade will be dropped.
- Tests will be given at the end of each unit. They will be announced. The policy for making-up a missed test is the same for missed quizzes except that only for a very serious reason will the instructor permit a make-up test. Normally, a formally excused absence or a doctor's note will be necessary. At the end of the semester, each student's lowest test grade will be dropped.

- Written assignments (translations) will be assigned to be completed outside of class as homework throughout the semester. The purpose of this work is to practice reading and applying the grammatical principles studied to Latin sentences. Submissions should be your own work. If you are stuck, you should ask the instructor for help, rather than submitting group work that fails to meet the SMC standards regarding plagiarism and academic integrity. Plagiarism will be taken very seriously, and if major will earn you a failing grade for the class. (This includes confirmed use of AI technology to complete your translations for you) For minor incidents of plagiarism, you will receive a zero for the assignment.

ATTENDANCE POLICY:

Attendance at each lecture is considered mandatory. **A student with five or more absences without previously granted permission will risk a grade-reduction or loss of credit for the course at the discretion of the instructor.**

INCOMPLETE WORK:

Assigned work that is not handed in will be given a “0”. Assigned work that is tardy may suffer a 10% grade reduction for each day that the assignment is late.

CLASS PARTICIPATION:

Successful learning occurs only when the student is actively focused on the class lectures and discussions. It is the student’s responsibility to assimilate new material, to synthesize it with previous material, and to see to it that any gaps in his/her understanding be recognized and resolved. Therefore, students are strongly encouraged to ask questions pertinent to the topic.

If students find special difficulties with the material or any portion of it, they should not hesitate to email or arrange a meeting with the teacher, who – since he wants nothing more than that they truly understand and profit by the class – will strive to help them in assimilating the matter to the extent possible. Ideally this should be done more than a week before the test or final exam.

Syllabus: LAT 102 Spring Semester 2024

• **Week 1**

○ Monday, January 15	Unit 9
○ Tuesday, January 16	Unit 9
○ Wednesday, January 17	Unit 9
○ Thursday, January 18	For today: Unit 9, Exercises I. 3-13; II.2
○ Friday, January 19	Unit 9 grammar and sentence test

• **Week 2**

- Monday, January 22 Unit 9 vocab test, Unit 10
- Tuesday, January 23 Noun and Adjective quiz (all declensions)
- Wednesday, January 24 For today: Hwk PwP I
- Thursday, January 25 For today: Unit 10, Exercises I. 1-11; II.2 + 3
- Friday, January 26 Unit 10 grammar and sentence test
- **Week 3**
 - Monday, January 29 Unit 10 vocab test, Unit 11
 - Tuesday, January 30 For today: Unit 11, I.1-11; II.4+5.
 - Wednesday, January 31 Noun and Adjective quiz (all declensions)
 - Thursday, February 1 For today: Unit 11, I.37-43; II.4+5.
 - Friday, February 2 Unit 11 grammar and sentence test
- **Week 4**
 - Monday, February 5 Unit 11 vocab test, Unit 12
 - Tuesday, February 6 For today: Hwk PwP II
 - Wednesday, February 7 Synopsis quiz
 - Thursday, February 8: **9:30-10:20 EAJ** (PDoR) For today: 12 I.3-13
 - Friday, February 9 For today: 12 I.35, II.2-4
- **Week 5**
 - Monday, February 12 Unit 12 grammar and sentence test
 - Tuesday, February 13 Unit 12 vocab test, Unit 13
 - Wednesday, February 14 Synopsis quiz
 - Thursday, February 15 Noun and Adjective quiz
 - Friday, February 16 For today: PwP III

February 19-24 College retreat

- **Week 6**
 - Monday, February 26
 - Tuesday, February 27 For today: Hwk PwP IV
 - Wednesday, February 28 For today: Unit 13, I.1-10
 - Thursday, February 29 For today: Unit 13, I.11-28, II.1
 - Friday, March 1 Unit 13 grammar and sentence test
- **Week 7**
 - Monday, March 4 Unit 13 vocab test, Unit 14
 - Tuesday, March 5 For today: Unit 14, Drill I
 - Wednesday, March 6 For today: Unit 14, Drill II
 - Thursday, March 7 For today: Unit 14, Ex. I,13-20, II.3-5
 - Friday, March 8 Unit 14 grammar and sentence test
- **Week 8**
 - Monday, March 11 Unit 14 vocab test, Unit 15

- Tuesday, March 12 For today: PwP V
- Wednesday, March 13 For today: Unit 15, I.1-10
- Thursday, March 14 For today: Unit 15, I.20-30
- Friday, March 15 Unit 15 grammar and sentence test

- **Week 9**

- Monday, March 18 Unit 15 vocab test, Unit 16
- Tuesday, March 19 Reading Liturgical Latin
- Wednesday, March 20 Reading Liturgical Latin
- Thursday, March 21: **9:30-10:20 EAJ** (PDoR) Liturgical Latin
- Friday, March 22 For today: Hwk: Reading Liturgical Latin

Easter Break (March 22 - April 8)

- **Week 10** (Classes resume on April 9)

Start Unit 16

- Tuesday, April 9 For today: Unit 16, Drill
- Wednesday, April 10 For today: Unit 16, I.1-10
- Thursday, April 11: **9:30-10:20 EAJ** (PDoR) For today: I.42+43
- Friday, April 12 Unit 16 grammar and sentence test

- **Week 11**

- Monday, April 15 Unit 16 vocab test, Unit 17
- Tuesday, April 16 For today: Unit 17 Drill + Prelim. Exercises
- Wednesday, April 17 For today: Unit 17, I.1-13, II.1
- Thursday, April 18 For today: Unit 17, I.21-29, II.3-5
- Friday, April 19 Unit 17 grammar and sentence test

- **Week 12**

- Monday, April 22 Unit 17 vocab test, Unit 18
- Tuesday, April 23 PwP VI
- Wednesday, April 24 2:50-3:40 EAJ (Priests' Outing) For today: Unit 18 Drill
- Thursday, April 25 For today: Unit 18, I.1-9, II.3
- Friday, April 26 Unit 18 grammar and sentence test

- **Week 13**

- Monday, April 29 Unit 18 vocab test, Pugio Bruti Prologue
- Tuesday, April 30 Prep for Apr 30th: Pugio Bruti 1-2
- Wednesday, May 1 Prep for May 1st: Pugio Bruti 3-5
- Thursday, May 2 Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 6-8
- Friday, May 3 Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 9-11

- **Week 14**

- Monday, May 6 Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 12-17
- Tuesday, May 7 Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 18-20
- Wednesday, May 8 Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 21-23

- Friday, May 10
- **Week 15**
 - Monday, May 13
 - Tuesday, May 14
 - Wednesday, May 15

Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 22-25

Prep for today: Pugio Bruti 26-28

Review

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Final Exam =

- Test on Grammar of Units 1-18,
- Vocabulary of 1-18,
- Syntax of Pugio Bruti,
- Translate a given chapter of Pugio Bruti