

GREK 1005 A
Introduction to [Ancient] Greek I

Fall 2019

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:30am to 11:30pm

SA 302

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A course for beginners in ancient Greek, designed to give students a grasp of basic grammatical forms and vocabulary (with reference to English derivatives) through the reading of continuous Greek.

Lectures and practice periods four hours a week.

Text to purchase:

C.W. Shelmerdine, *Introduction to Greek*. 2nd ed. (Focus, 2008).

Requirements:

Homework (weekly).....	25%
Quizzes (weekly).....	25%
Test 1 (full class, Oct. 8).....	25%
Test 2 (full class, Nov. 19).....	25%

The final date for withdrawal from this course without academic penalty is **December 6, 2019**.

Course material:

- We cover the first 12 chapters of the textbook this term.
- This is a fast-paced course that requires students to stay on top of material week by week. Expect to do some work for this course every day: material is best learned in short, but regular study sessions. You will not absorb all the information if you try to cram with a single long study session.
- Every student will be expected to be present and to contribute to each class. Students who do not attend classes or participate are unable to keep up with the pace of the course and fail or do not perform well.
- Supplementary material (corrections to the text, practice forms for vocab quizzes, grammatical explanations) may be supplied to students throughout the term.
- The format of tests in this class will be explained in detail beforehand.

Make-up tests will only be given for valid, documented reasons. The professor must be informed of such cases *immediately*. Make-up tests are normally written within one week of the original test and at the convenience of the professor. They are only offered once for all students who require one.

Academic offences: All students are expected to know what constitutes an academic offence, to avoid committing academic offences, and to take responsibility for their academic actions. Academic offenses include things like plagiarism, cheating, improper research, obstructing academic activity, double submission, unauthorized collaboration, impersonation, falsification etc. When an offence is committed,

penalties will be imposed by the Associate Dean in accordance with the regulations of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences.

A normal penalty for a first offence is a mark of zero for the work affected. Stiffer penalties may be imposed, and are normal for repeat offenders.

Information about academic offences and student discipline can be found in the university calendar under Student Conduct (Section 14.0 Academic Integrity). This policy can be read in full online at:

<http://calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/regulations/academicregulationsoftheuniversity/acadregsuniv14/>

If you need help in learning how to avoid academic offences or clarification of aspects of the discipline policy, ask the professor!

PLEASE NOTE: This course uses cuLearn, Carleton’s learning management system. You can access courses on cuLearn through the Carleton website at www.carleton.ca. Click on the “jump to” tab in the top right corner.

Information posted on cuLearn will include: syllabus, supplementary materials, announcements about the class, and marks for all requirements in the course. If you miss a class, it is your responsibility to make up the missed material. All term work will be returned to students, but beyond that all marks in this course will be released ONLY through cuLearn.

Information posted on cuLearn will be considered to have been provided to all registered students within 24 hours of posting. Students are responsible for reading and responding appropriately to any information distributed through cuLearn.

Approximate Schedule: (pace may vary, test dates will not)

Sept. 5	introduction / alphabet and ch.1
Sept. 10, 12	chapter 2
Sept. 17, 19	chapters 3
Sept. 24, 26	chapter 4
Oct. 1, 3	chapter 5
Oct. 8	test 1
Oct. 10, 15, 17	chapters 6 and 7
Oct. 21-25	fall break – no classes
Oct. 29, 31	chapter 8
Nov.5, 7	chapter 9
Nov. 12, 14	chapter 10
Nov. 19	test 2
Nov. 21, 26, 28	chapter 11
Dec. 3, 5	chapter 12

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