

## **NHSG** Key Stage 3 Unit Overview for Y9 Latin

Scheme of Learning	Year 9 Latin	
Learning Outcome	<ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of         <ul> <li>Grammar headings (see Knowledge below)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Capacity to relate grammatical structures (and related terms) to comparable expression in English and other languages, including for the analysis of meaning.</li> <li>The ability to read and write indicative and modal forms of Latin expression including subjunctive clauses relating ideas and intentions.</li> <li>Incidental knowledge and understanding of the broad structure of Romano-British history and cultural inheritance.</li> </ul>	
Key Question	<ul> <li>How are narratives and ideas expressed in Latin in ways that are either similar to or different from English?</li> <li>Using the ablative case for instrumental meaning? Why different cases for different time phrases?</li> <li>How do Archaeologists and Historians interpret written and archaeological evidence?</li> </ul>	
Knowledge	<ul> <li>Stage 28: Ablative: instrument, agent</li> <li>Stage 28: Time expressions: how long; when</li> <li>Stage 28: Prepositions</li> </ul>	History: Military Fortresses; Historical Evidence
Ongoing Assessment	<ul> <li>In-class: whiteboards for word formation; hands-down checking; arbitrary student selection.</li> <li>Weekly Assessment: On-going short homeworks; self-reviewed; peer-marked; in-class teacher monitoring;</li> <li>Monthly/Half-Termly: vocabulary tests; teacher marking incl. intermediate assessments.</li> <li>Misconceptions: Differences from English, e.g. range of meaning of verb tenses; absence of articles; significance of agreement; word order vs word ending.</li> <li>Homework – weekly.</li> <li>Revision checklists – are in course textbook.</li> </ul>	
Key Assessment	<ul> <li>End-of-module/chapter and end-of-year assessments requiring: vocabulary knowledge, recognition of word formation and understanding of grammar governing word order, usage and idiom: comprehension, translation from and to target language. Criteria are those of GCSE.</li> <li>Assessments can be formal out of class or in class as preferred by school.</li> <li>Assessments will be of sufficient difficulty to separate students across wide range of outcomes.</li> <li>Data will be assessed across cohorts (not just classes) to ensure accurate picking up of difficulty and success.</li> </ul>	
Sequencing of content	<ul> <li>Content moves naturally from the most common and clearest in terms of patterning and familiarity to the least common and most unusual from an English language perspective.</li> <li>Content also moves from simpler to the more complex expression.</li> <li>Exercises repeatedly revisit and reinforce prior grammar and vocabulary.</li> <li>SoL moves inexorably towards GCSE and beyond.</li> <li>Vocabulary is built regularly – a list and test for each of 8 chapters.</li> </ul>	

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Links to Careers	<ul> <li>Regular wisdom from the teacher will promote the true idea that most jobs simply require people who can understand, process and report on information.</li> <li>Such jobs might include: Civil Servant, Lawyer, Politician, Policy Adviser, Business/Strategy Consultant, Marketing Executive, Media Specialist (from TV/Film to Comms/Social), almost any job that involves research and/or analysis.</li> <li>It will then be pointed out that Latin is especially good at developing one's intellectual, analytical, logical and expressive skills.</li> </ul>	
Diversity and Inclusion	<ul> <li>Periodic reference is made and contrasts / comparisons drawn with other cultures globally and historically in relation to:</li> <li>Female agency, e.g. official Roman limitations for women; actual examples of independence.</li> <li>Gender Roles, e.g. express roles for men and women but dovetailing indicated in trade illustrations.</li> <li>Sexual identity, e.g. limited scope within Roman world but sexuality was more fluid and role-based.</li> <li>Cultures: Rome in conflict or trade and diplomacy, e.g. North Africa, Persia/South Asia; also movement of peoples with army across empire, e.g. Syrians on Tyne; Septimius Severus as Emperor.</li> <li>Heritage: consideration of imperial absorption of conquered cultures and dissemination of ideas.</li> </ul>	
Additional support	<ul> <li>Official Website with online books and supporting activities, including vocabulary.         <ul> <li><u>https://www.clc.cambridgescp.com/online-activities</u></li> </ul> </li> <li>Media files – sound files of all texts.</li> <li>Bookmark summarising grammar.</li> <li>PP Support: Focus is literate and cultural: selected lessons dedicated to English grammar and terms; activities dedicated to interaction with historical segments in the text book, incl. projects.</li> <li>SEND Support: Focus is on processing: personal copies / enlargements / coloured backgrounds as appropriate; extra time</li> </ul>	
Challenge	<ul> <li>in assessments as required.</li> <li>Coursebook History segments lead to end-of-term project and/or presentation, e.g.</li> <li>Explore or create and present on a Roman(-style) artefact / inscription.</li> <li>In class enrichment is offered, often with materials: <ul> <li>Wordsearches and Crosswords (for Vocabulary reinforcement)</li> <li>Latin Quick Quizzes for contextual Knowledge</li> <li>Ancient Graffiti for non-aristocratic/non-literary representation (and linguistic interest)</li> <li>Historic Primary Sources in Translation</li> <li>Latin Poetry selections and Art combined with English literary translation</li> <li>Also, and occasional: <ul> <li>'Newspaper' articles on Ancient History</li> <li>Latin Drama – scenes to perform / speaking competitions</li> <li>Looking specifically at Pompeian Art and Archaeology</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>	

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