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## **Latin I Syllabus**

#### Welcome to Latin I!

This is the first in a series of three courses which teach the Latin Language as well as aspects of the ancient Roman culture. This course emphasizes reading. However, you will be developing skills in listening, speaking, reading and writing Latin. Upon successful completion of this course, you should have the beginning skills for reading a simple Latin passage, writing simple sentences, responding to simple commands and asking basic questions.

Topics covered this year include the history of Rome, daily Roman life in Pompeii, geography, and Roman mythology.

This course will cover Stages 1-14 of *The Cambridge Latin Course*.

Students will need an electronic device because the textbook has an excellent online book. In addition classwork will be assigned on the following platforms: Quia, Socrative, Blooket, Gimkit, and Kahoot.

## **Bengal Expectations**

#### Be a graduate!

Grading will be based on total points from quizzes, tests, daily classwork, homework, and projects. Grading scale is 90-100%=A, 80-89%=B, 70-79%=C, 60-69%=D, and below 60%=F. Obtain 23 credits in High School to earn your diploma and to open the door for further education and great adventures.

Each quarter is 40% of the semester average. The semester final exam is 20% of the semester average.

#### Be involved!

#### **Participation:**

Since your active engagement in lessons will dramatically impact your learning, I expect you to be fully engaged throughout each lesson.

### **Electronic Devices:**

Personal electronic device for learning must be brought to class. If you are using your device(s) inappropriately, I will give you a warning. If this happens again you will be asked to take your device(s) to the office where it is officially recorded. Please refer to the student handbook for the full electronic device policy.

### Be respectful!

Be respectful of your teacher and peers. We are all here to learn and grow as individuals. Be respectful of school property and equipment.

# Be responsible!

# **Attendance:**

Please be here and be on time. The more time you spend in class the more I can teach you!

### **Tardies:**

After four tardies (per quarter) I will automatically write a referral. For further tardy policy information please refer to the student handbook.

# Food & Drink:

Food and drink are allowed unless it becomes a distraction to the student or the class.

### **Cheating:**

There is no need for cheating in this class to get a better grade. If you don't know something by the time of the test or quiz, you will have additional support and more opportunities to learn the information for the retake. Therefore, cheating will not be tolerated. Your parents will be contacted and a referral will be written if you are cheating.