

Fall 2021 Classics Courses

CLCS 232 Classical Roots of English Words — E. Mercier

This is an introduction to English etymology with emphasis on building vocabulary. Students will learn English derivatives from both classical Greek and Latin. All texts to be read in English.

CLCS 235 Classical Mythology — C. Campbell

Study of the myths of western antiquity, as represented in ancient Greek and Latin texts and images. Emphasis on how modern habits of thinking — about nature, self, society, power, sexuality, gender, work, death — are influenced by Greco-Roman myths.

CLCS 235 ONLINE Classical Mythology — K. Dickson

Online eight-week version of CLCS 235.

CLCS 239 The Comic Vision — E. Moodie

This course investigates Greek and Roman comedy from their beginnings until today. The course will feature readings in English from representative authors such as Aristophanes, Menander, Plautus, and Terence, as well as later receptions of ancient comedy in drama and other media. This course may include performance, theories of comedy and tragedy, theories of humor, or recent and current expressions of the comic in film and other media.

CLCS 385 ONLINE Roman Religion — K. Dickson

Study of the development of the idea of rationality in the West through examination of the evolution of Greek and Roman sciences, with emphasis on medicine and astronomy.

GREK 101 Ancient Greek Level 1 — E. Mercier

Introduction to Ancient Greek. Focus on grammar, syntax, vocabulary, and elementary readings in the language of classical Athens.

GREK 201 Ancient Greek Level 3 — E. Mercier

Intermediate reading course in ancient Greek, with emphasis on the New Testament, designed to strengthen students' grasp of grammar and syntax, broaden their vocabulary, and develop facility in reading and translation.

LATN 101 (2 sections) Latin Level 1 — C. Campbell and E. Mercier

Introduction to Latin. Focus on grammar, syntax, vocabulary, and elementary readings in the language of classical Latin.

LATN 201 (2 sections) Latin Level 3 — D. Conner and E. Moodie

Intermediate reading course in Latin, designed to strengthen students' grasp of grammar and syntax, broaden their vocabulary, and develop facility in reading and translation.