

**CLU11413 Elementary Latin I
(JF)**

Module Code	CLU11413
Module Name	Elementary Latin 1
ECTS Weighting	10 ECTS
Semester taught	Semester 1
Module Coordinator/s	Dr Charlie Kerrigan
Module Learning Outcomes with embedded Graduate Attributes	<p>On successful completion of this module, students should be able to:</p> <p>LO1 Recognise and translate a substantial Latin vocabulary</p> <p>LO2 Recognise a limited number of features of the morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics of Latin and discuss them as they appear in texts using appropriate linguistic terminology</p> <p>LO3 Translate and analyse the language of simple Latin texts</p> <p>LO4 Translate and discuss simple unadapted Latin texts in ways that show a critical appreciation of the politics and history of Latin and of the ancient Roman world</p> <p>LO5. Work effectively in small groups</p> <p>LO6. Effectively use e-learning tools and electronic resources to support language learning</p>
Module Content	<p>This module provides beginners with the foundations of Latin, an ancient and influential European language. You will learn fundamental aspects of Latin grammar (phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics) and read simple original Latin texts that will enable you to acquire a substantial vocabulary. You will start to consider approaches to analysis and translation, and receive a taste of how Latin was used in different literary and non-literary contexts and genres. Latin is famous for its literature (Cicero, Virgil, and others), and this module is the first step towards your being able to read that literature in its original form; but Latin was also for many centuries an everyday language spoken by ordinary people, and we will uncover some of that Latin too.</p>
Teaching and Learning Methods	<p>Intensive language tuition in a small-group setting, with weekly homework and continuous assessment of knowledge retention. Attendance and completion of all homework is compulsory.</p>

Assessment Details	Assessment Component	Assessment Description	LO Addressed	% of total	Week due
	1	Continuous in-class assignments and tests (vocabulary, grammar, translation, critical reflection)	1–6	75	Weekly
	2.	End of term test (grammar, vocabulary, and key module topics)	1–4	25	12
Reassessment Requirements	50% coursework, 50% written examination.				
Contact Hours and Indicative Student Workload	Contact hours: 33 (one-hour language classes three times per week for eleven weeks)				
	Independent Study (preparation for course and review of materials): 99				
	Independent Study (preparation for assessment, incl. completion of assessment): 118				
Recommended Reading List	<p>Prescribed textbook (please purchase your own copy):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Wheelock's Latin</i>, 7th edition, revised by R. A. LaFleur (Harper Collins, 2011). <p>Additional online resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ K. McGee and others, <i>tabella</i> (TCD 2018) online here. ▪ <i>logeion</i> online Latin dictionary, managed by the University of Chicago and available here: https://logeion.uchicago.edu/lexidium 				
Module Pre-requisite	None. Note that if you have obtained previous qualification in Latin (such as Leaving Certificate or equivalent) you may <u>not</u> enrol in this module.				
Module Co-requisite	None				
Module Website	https://www.tcd.ie/classics/undergraduate/elementary-latin-I.php				
Are other Schools/Departments involved in the delivery of this module? If yes, please provide details.	N/A				