

Grading Policy - Latin Classes

The grade for this course will be determined using the following Greater Egg Harbor Regional High School District Grading Policy.

- 50% Assessments
- 40% Assignments
- 10% Progress Assessment

Assessments

Quizzes: Quizzes will consist of both announced and unannounced quizzes. These quizzes will check the day to day progress in the class by assessing your knowledge of formation, vocabulary and some simple translation.

Tests: Tests will be announced at least 3 days in advance and will occur at the end of major concepts/units. Since this is a language course, tests will be cumulative, meaning that it is important that you review material which was covered in previous weeks. Tests will be similar in form to quizzes except that they will be longer and more in depth (i.e. translations followed by questions about the text, verb parsing, cultural knowledge).

Projects: Throughout the course of the year special projects will be assigned which deal with the history and culture of the classical world. When each project is assigned, you will be given both a project assignment sheet and a rubric which outline the various components of the project and the way in which it will be graded.

Assignments

Homework/Classwork: Your daily homework/classwork is an important component of this class. It is your chance to practice and master the concepts of the class without the pressure of a quiz or test. These assignments will include different exercises in vocabulary and translation as well as word parsing and grammar exercises. These assignments are also your best opportunity to ask questions about the topics which you are learning. Homework assignments are due at the beginning of class on the due date, and classwork assignments are due at the end of the class period in which they are assigned.

Progress Assessment

Each trimester students will take one progress assessment. The goal of the progress assessment is to measure your ability to apply learned knowledge and skills. The specific format of each progress assessment will be announced before it is given.