

Salvete! I would like to extend a warm and enthusiastic welcome to all of you, both moms and students!

You and your student have accomplished so much so far in your Latin adventure together! I truly applaud each of you for your consistent and hard work. It is my goal that each of you will have a rewarding year of Latin study this year as we launch into Lingua Latina chapters 13-24.

There are some helpful things that each of you will need to know before your first day of class. I am going to list those below. Please take the time to read over each item and prepare accordingly. If you have any questions, please feel free to email me.

1. Look over your workbook(s) in its entirety. Parents, it is a very, very good idea to take a little bit of time before class begins to look through the workbook in its entirety. We did a lot of work to the workbook and key for the 2/2 and 3/3 levels and it's important that everyone looks at it and is oriented to what is in there. I think that each of you will benefit from these changes, so if you've ever heard that verbs are difficult you are in for a real treat as you see what we have done to help you in those chapters. So please take the time to orient yourself to the entire workbook!

2. Set-up student, parent, & GRAMMAR binders - See the attachment on instructions for these binders and the attachments with the Grammar binder sheets (note one attachment contains everything that is oriented in portrait for printing and the other is the verb chart that is in landscape; you will need ALL of these.)

3. Begin your summer review. Like all Latin classes at CCS, you need to come into the first day of class fully ready to begin the chapter where you left off in the spring. In order to be ready, you must do review work PRIOR to the first day of class. See page 3 & 13 in either your key or student workbook for a list of what you need to review to begin Latin 2/2.

4. Memory Period - On the CCS website under Latin Study Aids there is a link to a video of Mrs. Schaerer leading memory period. Students in Latin 1 MUST memorize LOTS of charts. The best way to do this is to learn them BEFORE you have to use them. Students should begin watching and chanting these charts with the video 2-3x per week several weeks before class begins and should continue this throughout the entire year. Here is a link to that video:
<http://www.classicalcottageschool.org/memory-period--prayers.html>

5. What to bring to class - Every class you will need to bring your Lingua Latina Textbook, Latin Workbook, Grammar Binder, pencil, and highlighter.

6. Book to purchase for this year - We will be shifting out of "Noun-land" and into "Verb-land" (as I like to call it) in our study of Latin later this year. You will need to purchase a book called *The Big Gold Book of Latin Verbs 555*. I will take time as we move into verbs to walk you

through how to use this book to aid your student and yourself through verbs. This will be a book that you use as a reference through all your days of Latin study.

Link to the Verb Book:

https://www.amazon.com/Big-Gold-Book-Latin-Verbs/dp/0071417575/ref=sr_1_2?dchild=1&keywords=555+Latin+verbs&qid=1597253035&sr=8-2

7. Classics Website - Look for an email from me in a few weeks for a link to our brand new Classics Department Website for everything Latin and Greek! This will serve as a hub for communication and resource for sharing Latin and Greek information, attachments, etc, etc. It will especially serve us well if we are back online at any point during this year.

8. Student Email - If you would like your student added to the email classlist, please send me



their address!!

I am really looking forward to this class with all of you! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out!

His,
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