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Course Syllabus Spring and Summer School 2013

ELEMENTARY GREEK I & II (NEWT 0321 & 0322)

Mondays & Thursdays, 6:30 p.m. -9:20 p.m.

Greek I: April 29 – June 6 (*No class on May 20 Victoria Day*)

Greek II: June 17 – July 25 (*No class on July 1 Canada Day*)

Class Tutorials: Thursdays, 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Room TBA)

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I. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course pairing is an introduction to the fundamentals of New Testament Greek and is intended for students who wish to move quickly into the study of the New Testament in the original language. This course pairing is also a prerequisite for Greek Exegesis (NEWT 0523).

II. LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the end of this course students will:

1. understand the form and function of *Koine* Greek grammar.
2. know most of the vocabulary of the Greek New Testament.
3. be able “to understand better and to communicate more clearly the Word of God” (Mounce, p. 3).

III. COURSE REQUIREMENTS

A. REQUIRED TEXTS

Mounce, William D. *Basics of Biblical Greek: Grammar*. 3rd Rev. ed. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2010.

_____. *Basics of Biblical Greek: Workbook*. 3rd Rev. ed. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2010.

At some point during Greek I students will also receive a *United Bible Society Greek New Testament*, compliments of the Canadian Bible Society.

B. ASSIGNMENTS AND GRADING

1. *Class Attendance and Active Participation* 5% of Final Grade
In order to maximize language learning punctual and consistent attendance, active participation and attentive listening are essential. Students will be evaluated accordingly.

2. *Quizzes* 45% of Final Grade
At the beginning of each class (except the first) there will be a vocabulary and grammar quiz. The vocabulary on the quizzes will be cumulative with each quiz combining previous words with new words. The grammar portion of the quizzes will concentrate on the previous class's lesson, but will also include grammar from previous lessons. Consistent preparation and constant review is essential.

3. *Final Exam I* 50% of Final Grade for Greek I
At the end of Greek 1 there will be a 2-hour exam, which will consist of the material covered in the first part of the course. A detailed explanation of the format and the contents of the exam will be provided in the classes prior to the exam

4. *Final Exam for Greek II* 50% of Final Grade for Greek II
At the end of the course there will be a 2-3 hour final exam, which will consist of all the material covered in Mounce's introductory grammar. A detailed explanation of the format and the contents of the exam will be provided in the classes prior to the exam.

All the quizzes and exams must be written on the scheduled dates.

D. SUMMARY OF ASSIGNMENTS AND GRADING

Elementary Greek is comprised of two courses. Although most people take them together, a separate mark for each course is required. Marks for each course will be calculated based on these percentages.

Evaluation is based upon the completion of the following assignments

Greek I

Class Participation	5%
Quizzes	45%
Final Exam #1	50%
Total Grade	100%

Greek II

Class Participation	5%
Quizzes	45%
Final Exam #2	50%
Total Grade	100%

V. COURSE SCHEDULE

The following schedule lists the topics, workbook homework, textbook readings, quizzes for each class session, and exams.

Greek I: Nouns and Related Forms

Date	Topics	Text	Workbook	Quiz
April 29	Alphabet, Pronunciation	Ch. 3, 4	Ex. 3, 4	None
May 2	Nouns, Nominative, Accusative	Ch. 5, 6	Ex. 6	Alphabet Vocab. pp. 17-18.
May 6	Genitive, Dative	Ch. 7	Ex. 7	Nominative, Accusative Vocab. pp. 39.
May 9	Prepositions, <i>Eimi</i> , Adjectives	Ch. 8, 9	Ex. 8, 9	Genitive, Dative Vocab. pp. 50-51.
May 13	Third Declension Nouns	Ch. 10	Ex. 10	Prepositions, <i>Eimi</i> Adj., Vocab. pp. 61- 62.
May 17	Pers. Pronouns	Ch. 11, 12	Ex. 11, 12	3 rd Declension

autos

Vocab. pp. 70-71; 88-

89.

May 20 **No class due to the Victoria Day holiday**

Date	Topics	Text	Workbook	Quiz	
May 23	Demonstrative & Relative Pronouns		Ch. 13, 14	Ex. 13, 14	Pers. Pronouns, <i>autos</i> Vocab. pp. 96-98; 104-5.
May 27	Verbs, Present	I.A. Contract Verbs	Ch. 15-17	Ex. 16, 17	Dem. & Rel. Pro. Vocab. pp. 111- 117-118.
May 30	Verbs, Pres. Mid/ Pass Fut. Act/ Mid		Ch. 18, 19	Ex. 18, 19	Pres. I. A. Contract Verbs Vocab. pp. 137; 145-146.
June 3	Review		Rev. 1, 2, 3	Pres. Mid/Pass Fut. Act/Mid.	Vocab., pp. 154-155; 164-165.
June 6	Final Exam				

There will be a one week break between Elementary Greek I and II, so there will be **no** classes on June 10 and 13. Class will resume on June 17.

Greek II: Verbs and Related Forms

Date	Topics	Text	Workbook	Quiz
June 17	Verbal Roots Imperfect	Ch. 20, 21	Ex. 20, 21	Extra Vocab. #1
June 20	Aorist A/M	Ch. 22, 23	Ex. 22, 23	Imperfect Vocab. pp. 177-179; 191-192.
June 24	Aor.& Fut. Pass Perfect	Ch. 24, 25	Ex. 24, 25	Aorist A/ M Vocab. pp. 199-200; 209-10.

June 27	MI Verbs	Ch. 34, 36	Rev. Ex. 34, 36	Aor., Fut. Pass., Perf.; Vocab. pp. 218-19; 232. Extra Vocab. #2
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July 1 **No class due to the Canada Day holiday**

Date	Topics	Text	Workbook	Quiz
July 4	Pres. Participles	Ch. 26, 27	Ex. 27	MI Verbs, Vocab. pp. 323-4; 337-8.
July 8	Aorist Participles Adjectival Part.	Ch. 28, 29	Ex. 28, 29	Pres. Part. Vocab. pp. 252-53, Extra Vocab. #3
July 11	Perfect Part. Genitive Absolute Subjunctive	Ch. 30, 31	Ex. 30, 31	Aor. Part. Adj. Part. Vocab. pp. 265-6; 274, Extra Vocab. #4
July 15	Infinitive Imperative	Ch. 32, 33	Ex. 32, 33	Perf. Part. Gen. Abs. Subjunctive Vocab. pp. 284; 297, Extra Vocab. # 5
July 18	Review: Translation (1 John 1:5-10; 4:1-6)			Infinitive, Imperative Vocab. pp. 307; 316; 330.
July 22	Review: Translation (John 14:10-21)			Extra Vocab. # 6

July 25 Final Exam