



## DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

### **LAT112 Introductory Latin Course II, 7.5 higher education credits**

Introduktionskurs i latin II, 7,5 högskolepoäng

*First Cycle*

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#### **Confirmation**

This course syllabus was confirmed by The Faculty of Arts on 2011-04-01 and was last revised on 2016-12-14 by Department of Languages and Literatures to be valid from 2017-01-16, spring semester of 2017.

*Field of education:* Arts 100%

*Department:* Department of Languages and Literatures

#### **Position in the educational system**

The course is given as a freestanding course.

*Main field of studies*

Latin

*Specialization*

G1F, First Cycle, has less than 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements

#### **Entry requirements**

To be admitted to the course, a student who studies both the introductory courses LAT111 and LAT112 the same semester must fulfil the general entry requirements for higher education; or the equivalent thereof. For students who study LAT112 a following semester, a pass grade on LAT111 is the entry requirement for the course LAT112.

#### **Learning outcomes**

On successful completion of the course the student should be able to:

*Knowledge and understanding*

- demonstrate good control of Latin morphology and the fundamental features of Latin syntax;

*Skills and abilities*

- discuss the classification of languages according to different comparative general linguistic models (typologic, genetic);  
 - independently analyse and translate simple Latin text into idiomatic Swedish by means of language aids as well as independently construct Latin sentences with a simple syntactic structure;

*Judgement and approach*

show an independent understanding of Classical Antiquity as a historical epoch as well as the communicative role of Latin and Latin literature.

**Course content**

The course aims to provide advanced knowledge of Latin morphology and syntax in relation to LAT111. In relation to LAT111, the focus in LAT112 is more clearly on Latin syntax, so that the student is trained to independently construct Latin sentences with simple syntax and also to apply this ability at a higher level of independence in order to analyse and translate Latin text. In addition, the student should get a basic orientation in research fields relevant to Latin, such as the history of the language and literature.

**Form of teaching**

The teaching is conducted in the form of lectures and seminars.

*Language of instruction:* Swedish

**Assessment**

To what extent the student has achieved the aims of the course is tested through tests (morphology and vocabulary), written exams and/or oral presentations. Components that involve examination, for example oral presentations, individually or in group, require attendance. Assessment should be based on the individual performance of each student.

Students who have failed any part of the course are given the possibility of a new test. In the case of written assignments, students may be offered the opportunity to do a

supplementary assignment for a pass grade. Such an assignment must be submitted within the stipulated time (usually five working days after the result was announced) or else the student will receive a fail grade.

Those who have passed in a subtest may not undergo a new test for a higher grade. Nor do students have the right to withdraw a submitted test and in such a way avoid being graded.

If a student who has failed a test twice wishes to change examiner, he/she should submit a request in writing to the board of the department. The request should be granted unless there are special reasons not to.

In case the course ceases or goes through major changes, students are guaranteed access to three examination sessions (including the regular examination session) for a period of a year with the previous structure of the course as a starting point.

### **Grades**

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U).

### **Course evaluation**

#### **Additional information**

This course, LAT112, Introductory course in Latin II, 7.5 credits, corresponds to one fourth of the course LAT110, Latin, Basic course, 30 credits, and can therefore not be included in Latin as the main field of study in a degree together with the latter course.

The course is a continuation of LAT111, Introductory course in Latin I, 7.5 credits. These two courses, together with LAT113, Latin, Text course, Ancient Latin texts, 7.5 credits, and LAT115, Latin as a language and bearer of culture, 7.5 credits, are the equivalent to the basic course in the subject of Latin.

Equality aspects should be taken in consideration in content, literature, teaching and evaluation. In addition the course should make students aware of and problematise ecological, economic, cultural and socially sustainable development.