

Study Guide for Latin Tests

Each Latin test covers *vocabulary*, *grammar*, and *translation*. The following information should be studied thoroughly in order to adequately prepare for a Latin test:

- Memorize the new vocabulary list for the chapter.
- Study your grammar notes for the chapter as well as grammar presentations in the textbook; make sure to memorize any new forms or endings (especially those which appeared on the chapter's new grammar quiz).
- Practice conjugating verbs and declining nouns; beginning in chapter 24, also practice verb synopses.
- Know the uses of the cases and be able to identify them within a Latin sentence.
- Be able to identify the person, number, and tense of any verb. Beginning in chapter 30, also be able to identify the voice and mood of any verb.
- Practice translating the chapter's Latin story; read and reread the story until you are familiar with its content and can translate it accurately and efficiently.
- Review the homework assignments from the chapter, making sure that you understand the concepts covered by each assignment.

Nota bene: While Latin tests emphasize new material learned in the current chapter, learning language is by nature a cumulative process. Therefore, old vocabulary and grammar should be reviewed as needed.