GREK2110 - Greek for Historians I
Course Outline

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Semester
Semester 2 - 2007
Unit Weighting
10
Teaching Methods
Lecture

Brief Course Description
Introduces the study of Greek for those needing to read Greek sources, involving basic grammar and syntax, prescribed reading, and problem solving exercises.

Contact Hours
Lecture for 4 Hours per Week for the Full Term
Lectures shared between Hugh Lindsay (weeks 1-4) and Harold Tarrant (the rest)

Learning Materials/Texts

Faculty of Education and Arts
School of Humanities and Social Science
http://www.newcastle.edu.au/school/hss/

Newcastle Campus
University Drive,
Callaghan 2308
NSW Australia
Office hours: 9am - 5pm
Room: MC127 McMullin Building
Phone: +61 2 4921 5155 or 5172
Fax: +61 2 4921 6933
Email: Humanities-SocialScience@newcastle.edu.au
Web: www.newcastle.edu.au/school/hss/
**Course Objectives**
1. To achieve a knowledge of vocabulary and grammar appropriate to 2000 level
2. To gain an understanding of common word order and grammatical constructions employed by Greek writers, and thus facilitate the reading of texts.
3. To read and understand specially prepared and graded Greek texts illustrating Athens at its height, so as to understand the importance of key cultural concepts.
4. To enhance one's command of English by appreciation of its relation to and differences from ancient Greek.

**Course Content**
1. the alphabet
2. simple word-order
3. the most common verb forms (active and middle verbs, four tenses, and participles)
4. basic cases of all nouns and adjectives
5. a basic vocabulary sufficient to enhance understanding of Athenian society
6. problem solving using basic linguistic skills

**Assessment Items**

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<th>Examination: Class</th>
<th>Two two-hour tests or equivalent, 20% each</th>
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<td>Essays / Written Assignments</td>
<td>Regular exercises 50%</td>
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<td>Other: (please specify)</td>
<td>Problem solving task, 10%</td>
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**Assumed Knowledge**
20 units at 1000 level in Ancient History or Latin

**Callaghan Campus Timetable**

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**Lecture**
- Friday 10:00 - 11:00 [MCG25] with GREK1010
- Tuesday 13:00 - 15:00 [MCG25] with GREK1010
- Friday 11:00 - 12:00 [MCG25] with GREK1010

**Plagiarism**

University policy prohibits students plagiarising any material under any circumstances. A student plagiarises if he or she presents the thoughts or works of another as one's own. Without limiting the generality of this definition, it may include:

- copying or paraphrasing material from any source without due acknowledgment;
- using another's ideas without due acknowledgment;
- working with others without permission and presenting the resulting work as though it was completed independently.

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Plagiarism is not only related to written works, but also to material such as data, images, music, formulae, websites and computer programs.

Aiding another student to plagiarise is also a violation of the Plagiarism Policy and may invoke a penalty.

For further information on the University policy on plagiarism, please refer to the Policy on Student Academic Integrity at the following link -


The University has established a software plagiarism detection system called Turnitin. When you submit assessment items please be aware that for the purpose of assessing any assessment item the University may -

· Reproduce this assessment item and provide a copy to another member of the University; and/or
· Communicate a copy of this assessment item to a plagiarism checking service (which may then retain a copy of the item on its database for the purpose of future plagiarism checking).
· Submit the assessment item to other forms of plagiarism checking

Written Assessment Items

Students may be required to provide written assessment items in electronic form as well as hard copy.

Extension of Time for Assessment Items, Deferred Assessment and Special Consideration for Assessment Items or Formal Written Examinations

Students are required to submit assessment items by the due date, as advised in the Course Outline, unless the Course Coordinator approves an extension of time for submission of the item. University policy is that an assessment item submitted after the due date, without an approved extension, will be penalised.

Any student:

1. who is applying for an extension of time for submission of an assessment item on the basis of medical, compassionate, hardship/trauma or unavoidable commitment; or
2. whose attendance at or performance in an assessment item or formal written examination has been or will be affected by medical, compassionate, hardship/trauma or unavoidable commitment;

must report the circumstances, with supporting documentation, to the appropriate officer following the instructions provided in the Special Circumstances Affecting Assessment Procedure - Policy 000641.

Note: different procedures apply for minor and major assessment tasks.

Please go to the Policy at http://www.newcastle.edu.au/policylibrary/000641.html for further information, particularly for information on the options available to you.

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Students should be aware of the following important deadlines:

- **Requests for Special Consideration** must be lodged no later than 3 working days after the due date of submission or examination.

- **Requests for Extensions of Time on Assessment Items** must be lodged no later than the due date of the item.

- **Requests for Rescheduling Exams** must be received in the Student Hub no later than ten working days prior the first date of the examination period.

Your application may not be accepted if it is received after the deadline. Students who are unable to meet the above deadlines due to extenuating circumstances should speak to their Program Officer in the first instance.

**Changing your Enrolment**

The last dates to withdraw without financial or academic penalty (called the HECS Census Dates) are:

- For semester 1 courses: 31 March 2007
- For semester 2 courses: 31 August 2007
- For Trimester 1 courses: 16 February 2007
- For Trimester 2 courses: 8 June 2007

Students may withdraw from a course without academic penalty on or before the last day of semester. Any withdrawal from a course after the last day of semester will result in a fail grade.

Students cannot enrol in a new course after the second week of semester/trimester, except under exceptional circumstances. Any application to add a course after the second week of semester/trimester must be on the appropriate form, and should be discussed with staff in the Student Hubs.

To change your enrolment online, please refer to


**Facility Information**

The Student Hubs are a one-stop shop for the delivery of student related services and are the first point of contact for students on campus.

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The four Student Hubs are located at:

**Callaghan campus**
- Shortland Hub: Level 3, Shortland Union Building
- Hunter Hub: Student Services Centre, Hunter side of campus

**City Precinct**
- City Hub & Information Common: University House, ground floor in combination with an Information Common for the City Precinct

**Ourimbah campus**
- Ourimbah Hub: Administration Building

**Faculty websites**

- **Faculty of Business and Law**

- **Faculty of Education and Arts**

- **Faculty of Engineering and Built Environment**

- **Faculty of Health**

- **Faculty of Science and Information Technology**

**Contact details**

**Callaghan, City and Port Macquarie**

Phone: 02 4921 5000

Email: [EnquiryCentre@newcastle.edu.au](mailto:EnquiryCentre@newcastle.edu.au)

**Ourimbah**

Phone: 02 4348 4030

Email: [EnquiryCentre@newcastle.edu.au](mailto:EnquiryCentre@newcastle.edu.au)

**The Dean of Students**

Resolution Precinct

Phone: 02 4921 5806
Fax: 02 4921 7151
Email: [resolutionprecinct@newcastle.edu.au](mailto:resolutionprecinct@newcastle.edu.au)

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Various services are offered by the University Student Support Unit:

Alteration of this Course Outline

No change to this course outline will be permitted after the end of the second week of the term except in exceptional circumstances and with Head of School approval. Students will be notified in advance of any approved changes to this outline.

Web Address for Rules Governing Undergraduate Academic Awards

Web Address for Rules Governing Postgraduate Academic Awards

Web Address for Rules Governing Professional Doctorate Awards

STUDENTS WITH A DISABILITY OR CHRONIC ILLNESS

The University is committed to providing a range of support services for students with a disability or chronic illness.

If you have a disability or chronic illness which you feel may impact on your studies, please feel free to discuss your support needs with your lecturer or course coordinator.

Disability Support may also be provided by the Student Support Service (Disability). Students must be registered to receive this type of support. To register please contact the Disability Liaison Officer on 02 4921 5766, or via email at: student-disability@newcastle.edu.au

As some forms of support can take a few weeks to implement it is extremely important that you discuss your needs with your lecturer, course coordinator or Student Support Service staff at the beginning of each semester.

For more information related to confidentiality and documentation please visit the Student Support Service (Disability) website at: www.newcastle.edu.au/services/disability