

## Program Description

Our Latin courses provide students with a foundation needed to be able to communicate effectively. Students in our Latin courses develop reading, writing, and speaking skills as well as aural comprehension. Additionally, students will gain an acquaintance with the literature, history and culture of Latin influenced languages and cultures. All courses in Latin are transfer-level. Latin fosters new job opportunities, careers in the arts and humanities, and offers salary increments in certain occupations.

### Staff

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## Career Options

Banking	Nursing
Consular and Junior Foreign Service Officer	Overseas Employment
Import and Export Business	Police Work
International Business	Social Security Office
International Relations	Teacher
Medicine	Translating and Interpreting
	Social Services

(Careers may require education beyond the two-year college level.)

## Certificate Program

Certificate not applicable.

## Associate Degree

An associate degree with a major in Latin is not available. Latin courses can be included in the 18 units necessary for an associate degree with a major in Liberal Arts and Sciences or toward the General Education Requirements. (See Graduation/Associate Degree Requirements.)

## Transfer

Students planning to continue studies at a four-year college or university after AVC should visit the Transfer Resource Center and consult with a counselor as soon as possible. Additional information on official transfer articulation agreements from AVC to many CSU/UC campuses can be found at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org).

## Prerequisite Completion

All prerequisite courses must be completed with a satisfactory grade in order to enroll in the next course. According to Title 5, Section 55200(d), a satisfactory grade is a grade of "A," "B," "C" or "P". Classes in which the Pass/No Pass option is available are indicated with an asterisk (\*) before the course title. See "Pass/No Pass Option" in the catalog for full explanation.

## Latin Courses

### LATN 101 \*ELEMENTARY LATIN 1

5 units

5 hours weekly

**Advisory:** Eligibility for ENGL 101 or placement by multiple measures.

A transfer-level, foundation course providing an introduction to reading, writing, and comprehension of elementary Latin, including a survey of Roman culture during the time of the Republic and Augustan periods. The course emphasizes the relationship of Latin to the vocabulary, spelling, and grammar of modern English and Romance languages. (CSU, UC, AVC)

### LATN 102 \*ELEMENTARY LATIN 2

5 units

5 hours weekly

**Prerequisite:** Completion of LATN 101.

A transfer-level, foundation course building on Latin 101 and providing further introduction to reading, writing, and comprehension of elementary Latin, including a survey of Roman culture during the time of the Republic and Augustan periods. The course emphasizes the relationship of Latin to the vocabulary, spelling, and grammar of modern English and Romance languages. (CSU, UC, AVC)

### LATN 201 \*INTERMEDIATE LATIN

5 units

5 hours weekly

**Prerequisite:** Completion of LATN 102.

A transfer-level, intermediate course in Latin, continuing the concepts introduced in Latin 101 and 102. In addition to reviewing Latin grammar and syntax, the student will translate and analyze selected readings from Cicero, Livy, Ovid, Pliny, the Vulgate Bible, Bede, Caedmon, and Medieval poetry. (CSU, UC, AVC)