



Intensive Greek 1

Semester 1

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Activity	Hours	Percentage
Independent Learning	300	100%
TOTAL	300	100%

For distance learners, the module is 100% independent learning

Supported Independent Learning

- The Moodle page is the hub of the course – it has sections for:
 - Assessments
 - Syllabus and practicalities
 - Individual tiles for each week's work
- Use the Moodle page to:
 - Communicate with me and your fellow students (it makes it much easier)!
 - Access course materials and read announcements
 - Find and submit assignments

Joining as a distance learner

- Distance learners are invited to join feedback seminars live online wherever possible: Microsoft Teams
- Our feedback seminars will be recorded and available via Moodle
- Please note that vidcast lectures and webinars will be **our most important means of communication**: even if you aren't able to join the class live, please do use the vidcasts!

Non-assessed assignments

- During the semester, you will be asked to submit non-assessed homework assignments
- These are either extracts from *Reading Greek: Text and Vocabulary* or the Reading/Test Exercises in *Reading Greek: Grammar and Vocab*
 - These exercises are designed to use all new elements of the week's learning
- The schedule for submitting the assignments is mentioned on the moodle page
- The homework is submitted via file upload under each week's section and 'Assignment'
- In general the deadline is Sunday evening, but please let me know if you are unable to make that

Assessments

- The assessments for Intensive Greek 1 are in three parts:
 - Time test 1 & 2: Each 1 hour, together counting for 50% of the total mark
 - End-of-semester exam: 2 hours, counting for 50% of the total mark
- All details of material covered and dates are in the module syllabus

Assessments

- Assessment 1 (25%):
 - One-hour online time test to be held 4th November (marks returned 11th November), covering material up to and including section 2 in *Reading Greek*
- Assessment 2 (25%):
 - One-hour online time test to be held 9th December (marks returned 16th December), covering material up to and including section 5 in *Reading Greek*
- Assessment 3 (50%):
 - Two-hour exam in January exam period, covering material up to and including section 7 in *Reading Greek*
- Time tests and the exam must be taken between 09:00 and 23:59 on the given date

Online Tests

- All of the assessment is 'open book': you will have access to all the usual aids –vocab lists, text books, feedback
- •So what matters?
- –Preparation & timing: you will have to deal with a higher number of questions than in a normal time test/exam
- –You can use aids to double-check things, but in order to be able to complete the test/exam successfully you need to be well prepared
- •Everyone's online quiz will be different: questions are randomised
- –This means that off-campus students do not need to be invigilated
- •Each quiz (time test, exam) can only be attempted once and must be completed within the set time limit (1/2 hours)
- •We will discuss (and more importantly, practice!) the type of online quizzes used for time tests and the exam during the module

Reading

- Throughout the module, we will use JACT's *Reading Greek*
- If you haven't already, please make sure to get a copy of this book as soon as possible
- Initially, we will be using the Grammar volume more, but both volumes will be used for the module

Learning Vocabulary

- Each chapter in *Reading Greek* has a vocabulary section divided into:
 - Running vocabulary: helps you resolve vocab questions for the textbook chapters
 - Learning vocabulary: this is the vocabulary you need to master actively each week
- The overview grammar at the end of the Grammar volume will become increasingly helpful as you go through the modules
- The section headings in the Grammar volume also makes a useful checklist of what we cover each week