6 LATIN SYLLABUS

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Sixth grade students in the exploratory Latin classes will spend one trimester studying the language.  All students will receive three periods of language instruction per six-day rotation.  Students will be exposed to Latin language, Roman culture and history, and geography of the Roman Empire while learning basic vocabulary, conversational and translation skills.  The Latin will be embedded in classical literature, mythology and art.

**Course Expectations**

●      Be respectful and responsible

●      (Virtually) raise your hand to be called upon

●      Participate actively / Listen when others are talking / Do your own work / Do your share in group activities

●      Arrive to class on time with required materials & begin bellwork / stay entire time

●      Follow homework policy as delineated in *STS Middle School Handbook*

●      Refer to *6 Latin Classroom Start-up Guidelines* for more details

 **Explanation of Grades**

E = Student routinely arrives prepared with all class materials.  Student puts forth extra effort and always does his/her best work.  Student completes work and consistently achieves or goes beyond the objectives.  Class participation is excellent.

S = Student routinely arrives prepared with all class materials.  Student puts forth good effort and tries to do his/her best work.  Student completes work and meets class objectives.  Class participation is consistent.

P = Student may not consistently show his/her best work or effort.  Student may not always complete class work or meet class objectives.

N = Student consistently does not make an effort to meet class objectives or participate in class. Student may habitually arrive unprepared for class.

**Academic Procedures**

●  Absences, missed classes, late work and discipline procedures – Refer to Family Handbook. *Go Guardian* will be utilized on a regular basis to assure class attendance.

●  No extra credit will be offered due to the timely and cumulative nature of learning a language

●  Extra help available during office hours and by appointment.

●  Written or oral assessments will be given periodically in the form of quizzes & projects.  Classwork/homework will be assigned on a regular basis