8 LATIN COURSE SYLLABUS 20-21

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*Ecce Romani I*, Longman Publishing Group, 2005

Course Description

Eighth grade Latin is a year of building on the foundations established in seventh grade.  Students study Latin grammar and vocabulary in greater detail, with the emphasis on the ability to read continuous narratives.  Students are also introduced to selected topics in Roman history and culture. In March, students sit for the National Latin exam.

Course Expectations

• Be respectful & responsible

• 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 “Bell Work” / stay entire time

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

• Refer to *8 Latin Classroom Start-up Guidelines* for more details

Grading System:

            A:  93 – 100

            B:  85 – 92

            C:  77 – 84

            D:  70 – 76

            F:  Below 70

Academic Procedures

• Absences, missed classes, late work & discipline procedures – Follow policy as delineated in Family Handbook. *Go Guardian* will be employed 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:  Each student will be expected to come prepared to extra help sessions.

            Times Available: TBA

• Assessments taken on a chapter-by-chapter basic & additional at the teacher’s discretion

• Homework/classwork will be given on a regular basis, usually daily.