University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	Elements of the Classical Language II, PG_00200711		
Field of study	Religious Studies		
Date of commencement of studies	October 2026	Academic year of realisation of subject	2026/2027
Education level	Master's studies	Subject group	Obligatory subject group in the field of study
Mode of study	full-time studies	Mode of delivery	at the university
Year of study	1	Language of instruction	Polish
Semester of study	2	ECTS credits	4.0
Learning profile	academic	Assessment form	exam
Conducting unit			
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr hab. Anna Marchewka, prof. UG	
	Teachers	dr hab. Anna Marchewka, prof. UG	

Lesson types

Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30

E-learning hours included: 0.0

Learning activity and number of study hours

Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan	Participation in consultation hours	Self-study	SUM
Number of study hours	30	10.0	60.0	100

Subject objectives

To learn the basics of Greek grammar and acquire the ability to read and translate Greek ancient religious texts.

Learning outcomes

Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
[RELMU2_W05] Possesses advanced knowledge of religious terminology in a selected language associated with a specific religious tradition and understands its significance for the interpretation of religious sources.	Knows the basic Greek vocabulary of the New Testament.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[RELMU2_U08] Possesses language competences related to selected religious traditions.	Able to translate simple New Testament and Septuagint texts.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work

Subject contents

Declension of I-III nouns, adjectives and participlesDeclension of pronouns (personal, relative, indicative)Conjugation of regular verbs in the active, passive and reflexive sidesConjugation of aorist II and perfectum IIConjugation of verbs with vowel subjectsTranslation of selected New Testament and Septuagint texts

Prerequisites and co-requisites

Knowledge of the Greek alphabet.

Assessment methods and criteria

Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
Final test	51.0%	50.0%
Class work	51.0%	40.0%
Class attendance	80.0%	10.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	Whitacre, R.A., A Grammar of New Testament Greek, Grand Rapids, Michigan: William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company, 2021 Jeong, M., A Greek Reader: Companion to a Primer of Biblical Greek, Grand Rapids, Michigan: William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company, 2022
	Supplementary literature	Tomarchio, J., A Sourcebook for Ancient Greek: Grammar, Poetry, and Prose, Washington, DC: The Catholic Education Press, 2022. Mathewson, D.L. Emig, E.B., Intermediate Greek Grammar: Syntax for Students of the New Testament, Grand Rapids: Baker Book House, 2019
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Declension I-III: noun and adjectiveConjugation I - regular verbConjugation of verbs with vowel subjectsTranslation of selected NT and LXX texts	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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