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BIBL 5109/GRK 1019:
Beginning NT Greek II
Spring 2012/13 Syllabus

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Catalog Description
A survey of the essentials of biblical Greek. The focus is on basic grammar, vocabulary, and the development of readings skills. (3 semester units)

Objectives and Relevance
This course, the second half of a year-long curriculum, is designed to give the student a basic and foundational knowledge of New Testament Greek grammar, primarily morphology, and secondarily syntax and semantics. By the end of the course, you will be on your way to reading the Greek of the New Testament fluently with the help of a lexicon and other resources.

Required Texts
Jeremy Duff, *The Elements of New Testament Greek* (3rd Edition; Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2005)

There is also a companion audio-CD available narrated by Jonathan Pennington. The book and audio-CD can be purchased separately or as a package. I have not yet used the audio-CD (it was not available when I last taught Introductory Greek) but I expect it to be good and worth the extra investment.

The publishers also make various support materials available free online (e.g. free vocabulary tests for those for whom Stephen's tests are not enough!). Go to http://www.nt-greek.net/

Recommended Texts
Lamerson, Samuel. *English Grammar to Ace New Testament Greek* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2004) [ISBN: 0310255341]
Mounce, William D. *Basics of Biblical Greek Vocabulary Cards* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2004) [IBSN: 0310259878] **OR**
Gromacki, *Biblical Greek Vocabulary Cards* (Springfield, Ohio: Visual education Association, 1979)

Both of the sets of vocabulary cards are keyed to other Introductory Greek Grammars so you may need to re-arrange the order of the cards for them to be in the order that you need. Probably better is a very helpful and free way of putting vocabulary cards onto your computer, which is keyed to *The Elements of New Testament Greek.* It involves downloading material from the following sites:

http://ankisrs.net
http://arotau.com/nt-greek/

Do not worry if you encounter difficulties in downloading the correct files. The instructor can provide a printed step by step guide.

You will soon need a basic Greek-English Dictionary to supplement the one provided in Duff. You can buy new:

W. Trenchard, *A Concise Dictionary of New Testament Greek* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003)

However, despite its age, I still find satisfactory:

Alexander Souter, *A Pocket Lexicon to the Greek New Testament* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1916)

This volume can be downloaded free at
http://www.textkit.com/learn/ID/155/author_id/73/

There are a number of other texts that you will not be required to use this semester, but which you will certainly need either next semester or when you take the class in Greek Exegesis. You may wish to consider purchasing some of the following now:

Aland, K. et al. *The Greek New Testament.* 4th rev. ed. United Bible Societies, 2002 [red cover]

Gingrich FW, and Danker FW. *Shorter Lexicon of the New Testament* Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1983

Kubo S, *A Reader's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament* Leiden: EJ Brill,1971

Metzger BM, *Lexical Aids for Students of New Testament Greek* (3rd ed.; Edinburgh: T&T Clark, 1990)

Requirements

1. Weekly Homework. Learning a language requires daily study and review. It is very important *not* to fall behind in your reading or your homework/assignments. You are expected to hand in homework at the beginning of the following class. Each chapter in the textbook by Duff includes practices and exercises attached and we will make use of selections from these. In translation Greek-English translation sentences all nouns and verbs must be parsed.
2. Weekly Quizzes. We will have a quiz every week with very few exceptions. The quiz will cover vocabulary, paradigms, parsing, and translations. You will be able to drop your two lowest or missed quizzes.
3. Two Exams. We will have one midterm and a final exam. Greek grammar by nature is accumulative, and so the midterm and final exam will cover all material from day 1 up

until the time of the exam. However, there will be an emphasis in the second exam on new material introduced since the previous exam. The final exam will take place on one of the exam days, May 9 and May 10 at the end of semester.

Grading

Weekly Homework	20%
Weekly Quizzes	20%
Mid-Term exam	20%
Final Exam	40%

Please note that MDiv students take Introductory Greek on a PASS / NOT PASS basis. To pass you must achieve a grade of at least C-. *Undergraduates should take Greek for a letter grade, especially if Greek fulfills a language requirement.*

Accommodations

North Park Theological Seminary provides services for students with documented disabilities to ensure equal access to programs, services, facilities, and activities. Students with a disability who believe that they may need accommodations in this class are encouraged to contact Seminary Academic Services as soon as possible. If desired or necessary, discussion pertaining to documentation and accommodation can take place at another suitable location or by telephone. Further information about the American Disabilities Act Services is found in the Student Academic Handbook.

Class Schedule

There are no classes on February 4 and February 7 (Mid-winter), March 11 and March 14 (Reading Week), April 1 (Faculty/Staff Development Day), and April 18 (Nyvall Lectures).

Session 1 – Monday January 14

Topic: Second Aorists (Duff 11.1).
Homework: Half-Way Practice (pp. 128-9, nos 1-7, 12) **(Due January 17)**
Vocabulary: Learn the 2nd Aorists in Vocabulary 11. Add `manqanw` and `pascw)`

Session 2 – Thursday January 17

Topic: Second Aorists (Duff 11.1).
Homework: Exercise A (p.132, nos. 1-3, 6-7) **(Due January 21)**
Vocabulary: Learn the Unusual 2nd Aorists in Vocabulary 11.

Session 3 – Monday January 21

<u>Quiz 1</u>

Topic: The Future and Aorist of Liquid Verbs (Duff 11.2)
Homework: Exercise B (pp.132-33, nos. 1-8) **(Due January 24)**
Vocabulary: Learn the Liquid Verbs in Vocabulary 11. Add `avpokteinw)`

Session 4 – Thursday January 24

Topic: The Third Declension: Masculine &Feminine Nouns with Consonant Stems (Duff 12.1-2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.138, nos. 1-4, 6-7, 9, 11) **(Due January 28)**
Vocabulary: Learn the nouns with an asterisk in Vocabulary 12

Session 5 – Monday January 28
<u>Quiz 2</u>
Topic: The Third Declension: Neuter nouns with Consonant Stems (Duff 12.3)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.138, nos. 5, 8, 10) and Exercise B (p.143, nos. 2-5) **(Due January 31)**
Vocabulary: Learn the remaining nouns in Vocabulary 12

Session 6 – Thursday January 31
Topic: Adjectives with Consonant Stems, `tij` and `ti,j` (Duff 12.4-5)
Homework: Exercise A (p.142-3, no. 8), Exercise B (p.143, no. 8) and Exercise C (p. 144) **(Due February 11)**
Vocabulary: Learn the other items in Vocabulary 12

Session 7 – Monday February 11
<u>Quiz 3</u>
Topic: The Third Declension: Nouns with Vowel Stems, Contracting Nouns and Adjectives (Duff 13:1-2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (pp.147-8) **(Due February 14)**
Vocabulary: Learn the neuter and masculine nouns in Vocabulary 13

Session 8 – Thursday February 14
Topic: `paj( ei`j(ouvdeij` and `mhdeij` (Duff 13.3-4)
Homework: Exercise A (p.152, nos. 1-6, 9) (**Due February 18)**
Vocabulary: Learn the remaining items in Vocabulary 13. Add `avnastasij`.

Session 9 – Monday February 18
<u>Quiz 4</u>
Topic: Participles: Forms (Duff 14.1-2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.161) **(Due February 21)**
Vocabulary: Learn the nouns in Vocabulary 14.

Session 10 – Thursday February 21
Topic: Participles: Meaning and Uses (Duff 14.3-4)
Homework: Exercise A (p. 164, nos. 3-9), Exercise C (p.165) **(Due February 25)**
Vocabulary: Learn the verbs in Vocabulary 14. Add `evlpizw( skandalizw(` and `fulassw)`

Session 11 – Monday February 25
<u>Quiz 5</u>
Topic: The Passive and Voices (Duff 15.1-3)
Homework: Practice 15.3 (p. 168) **(Due February 28)**
Vocabulary: Learn the nouns in Vocabulary 15

Session 12 – Thursday February 28
Topic: The Meaning and Endings of the Passive (Duff 15.4-5)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.172) **(Due March 4)**
Vocabulary: Learn the normal verbs in Vocabulary 15.

Session 13 – Monday March 4
<u>Quiz 6</u>
Topic: Understanding the Middle and Passive Deponents (Duff 15.6-7)
Homework: Exercise A (p.175-6, nos. 3, 5, 6, 7, 10) and Exercise C (p.177) **(Due March 7)**
Vocabulary: Learn the Passive Deponent verbs in Vocabulary 15

Session 14 – Thursday March 7
Topic: The Perfect Tense (Duff 16.1-2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (pp. 181-2) **(Due March 18)**
Vocabulary: Learn the feminine nouns in Vocabulary 16

Session 15 – Monday March 18
Mid-Term Exam

Session 16 – Thursday March 21
<u>Quiz 7</u>
Topic: The Meaning of the Perfect Tense (Duff 16.3)
Homework: Exercise A (p.186, nos. 1-7, 11) **(Due March 25)**
Vocabulary: Begin learning the remaining items in Vocabulary 16

Session 17 – Monday March 25
Topic: The Pluperfect Tense (Duff 16.4)
Homework: Exercise C (p.187) **(Due March 28)**
Vocabulary: Complete learning the remaining items in Vocabulary 16

Session 18 – Thursday March 28
<u>Quiz 8</u>
Topic: The Idea, Formation, and Some Uses of the Subjunctive (Duff 17.1-3.2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.194) **(Due April 4)**
Vocabulary: Learn the first column of Vocabulary 17. Add `avcri( o`pwj(o`tan)`

Session 19 – Thursday April 4
Topic: Other Uses of the Subjunctive (Duff 17.3.3-7)
Homework: Exercise B (pp. 198-9, nos. 1, 2, 4, 7, 8) and Exercise C (p.199) **(Due April 8)**
Vocabulary: Learn the feminine nouns in Vocabulary 17.

Session 20 – Monday April 8
<u>Quiz 9</u>
Topic: Unusual Verbs (Duff 18.1)
Homework: Practice 18.1 (p.202) **(Due April 11)**
Vocabulary: Learn the adjectives in Vocabulary 18

Session 21 – Thursday April 11
Topic: Uses of the Infinitive (Duff 18.2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.206) **(Due April 15)**
Vocabulary: Learn the nouns and verbs in Vocabulary 18. Add `kaqarizw)`

Session 22 – Monday April 15
<u>Quiz 10</u>
Topic: Third Person Imperatives, Principal Parts, Aspect and Time in Tenses (Duff 18.3-5)
Homework: Exercise B (pp.212-3, nos. 2, 3, 5) and Exercise C (p.213) **(Due April 22)**
Vocabulary: Learn the remaining items in Vocabulary 18

Session 23 – Monday April 22
Topic: -mi verbs (Duff 19.1)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.220, nos. 1-8) **(Due April 25)**
Vocabulary: Learn the -mi verbs in Vocabulary 19

Session 24 – Thursday April 25
<u>Quiz 11</u>
Topic: -aw and –ow Verbs (Duff 19.2)
Homework: Exercise B (pp.223-4, nos. 3-6, 8) and Exercise C (p.224) **(Due April 29)**
Vocabulary: Learn the –aw and the –ow verbs in Vocabulary 19

Session 25 – Monday April 29
Topic: Conditional Sentences and the Genitive Absolute (Duff 20.1-2)
Homework: Half-Way Practice (p.230, nos. 1-8) **(Due May 2)**
Vocabulary: Learn Vocabulary 20

Session 26 – Thursday May 2
<u>Quiz 12</u>
Topic: Periphrastic Tenses, Comparison and Formation of Adjectives and Adverbs, the Optative Mood (Duff. 20.3-5)
Homework: Prepare for Final exam

Session 27 – Monday May 6
Final Exam Revision