## GRE 1120 - ANCIENT GREEK 1 (Sec. 3716)

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**Course Objectives**: The aim of this course is to develop the skills necessary to understand written ancient Greek and translate it into proper English. Syntax and vocabulary will be emphasized, as well as the correct pronunciation of ancient Greek. Ultimately, the aim of this course is to read, understand, and enjoy Greek texts.

## **Required Textbooks:**

## Greek: An Intensive Course Hardy Hansen, Gerald M. Quinn

Course Preparation: Daily preparation and review is a must! Allow yourself enough time to look over new material while also reviewing past material. Daily preparation is the key to building vocabulary and grammar skills in Greek. There will be both in-class and home assignments, as well as a short quiz EVERYDAY. Three quiz scores will be dropped, but there are NO MAKEUPS. No quiz will be counted unless the student stays until the end of the class period. Five points extra credit will added to each vocabulary quiz that the student makes flashcards for, folded pieces of paper do not count for extra credit and the cards must be presented before the quiz.

**Attendance**: Missing class makes the learning any foreign language difficult. Even if you will not do well on the daily quiz, it is in your best interest to show up to class. Three quizzes will be dropped, but missing class will make it difficult for you to do well on the tests and find out what the next quiz will be over. Attendance and participation will count for 10% of your grade, for each absence after two a point will be deducted from your final grade and your attendance grade will drop dramatically! If a student misses an extended amount of time, an official excuse must be presented for any make-up work.

**Honor Code**: The University of Florida Student Honor Code can be found in the Student Guide at: <a href="http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/honorcodes/honorcode.php">http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/honorcodes/honorcode.php</a>. Please familiarize yourself with the UF Student Honor Code and obey it at all times.

**Student Disability Notice**: Support services for students with disabilities are coordinated by the Disability Resource Center in the Dean of Students Office. Information can be obtained at the Disability Resource Center website: http://www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/.

**UF Harassment Policy**: Information on the University of Florida harassment policy can be found at http://www.hr.ufl.edu/eeo/harassment.htm.

**Course Website:** Check the course website (plaza.ufl.edu/hendren) for further information on testing accommodations, university excused absences, and university-wide emergencies, as well as weekly assignments.

**Grading:** For the UF grade point policy see: <a href="https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx">https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx</a>

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10% Attendance & Participation
40% Daily Quizzes
30% 3 Tests Thursday Sep. 22, Thursday Nov 3, Thursday Dec. 1 (subject to change)
20% Final Exam, Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup> 5:30-7:30 p.m.
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