

# New Testament Greek

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## Academic credits

9 CP (13.5 ECTS)

## Prerequisites

None

## Approved by

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## Content (Course Annotation)

The course aims to present students of the Bachelor of Theology with the Greek Koine language of the New Testament so that they can read the texts of the New Testament independently with the help of the dictionary. The course is designed to present Greek grammar in the New Testament, the most important rules of phonetics and morphology, and to give an insight into the major rules of Greek syntax inherent in the New Testament, as well as to teach the vocabulary.

## Aims

- provide insight and knowledge in the grammar and vocabulary of the Greek of the New Testament;
- develop skills of the New Testament reading in Greek.

## Learning Outcomes

### ***Knowledge***

*The students:*

- know and understand Greek grammar and vocabulary.

### ***Assessment***

1-6 test  
examination

### ***Skills***

*The students:*

- students are able to read and translate the New Testament texts using the grammar and vocabulary they have learned;
- students are able to explain and analyze grammatical forms.

1-6 test  
examination

**Competencies**

*The students:*

- translate and understand the Greek text of NT. examination

**FULL-TIME STUDIES**

**Lesson Plan**

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Academic hours (45 min)</i>
1 Alphabet, pronunciation, accents, diacritics	6
2 II declension (m); indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus praesentis activi	2
3 Declension of nouns and adjectives of II declension; rules of accents	4
4 Indicativus, infinitivus futuri activi (sigmatic, fluvial nasal)	4
5 Declension of nouns and adjectives of the group a purum I decl., rules of accents	4
6 Indicativus imperfecti activi; augment rules	6
7 Indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus aorists activi (sigmatic)	4
8 I Decline: a purum, a impurum, words with h; I declension masculine nouns with endings aj, hj; adjectives	4
9 Indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus aoristi activi (fluvial nasal, root's)	4
10 Personal and demonstrative pronouns	4
11 Indicativus, infinitivus perfecti activi (I and II tense)	4
12 Indicativus plusquamperfecti activi (I and II tense); interrogative and indefinite pronoun	4
13 Indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus praesentis medii et passivi; indicativus futuri medii (sigmatic; fluvial nasal); deponent verbs	6
14 Indicativus imperfecti medii et passivi; indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus, aoristi medii (sigmatic, root's, fluvial nasal)	4
15 Reflexive pronoun	2
16 Indicativus, infinitivus perfecti medii et passivi; indicativus plusquamperfecti medii et passivi	6
17 Indicativus, imperativus, infinitivus aoristi passivi (I and II tense); indicativus, infinitivus futuri passivi (I and II tense)	6
18 Monosyllable nouns of declension III; stems of labial, palatal, dental, nasal and ni tau.	4
19 Participium praesentis et futuri activi; future participles of sigmatic and fluvial/nasal stems; Adjectives of the II declension with double endings	4
20 Participium aoristi activi (sigmatic, fluvial/nasal; root's); Polysyllabic words of the III declension; <b>numeral dÚo</b>	6
21 Participium perfecti activi (I–II); fluvial nasal stems with alternation and	4

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	sigma stems of III declension; <b>ba ... nw and ginèskw</b> declension in aorist.	
22	Participium praesentis medii et passivi; participium perfecti medii et passivi; participium futuri medii; participium aoristi medii	6
23	Participium aorists passivi; participium futuri passivi; genetivus absolutus; declension of <b>çn» r</b>	4
24	III declension diphthongs, i and u stems; attitude and mutually reversible pronoun; construction accusativus cum infinitivo	4
25	Participium praesentis activi from the word <b>e “m ...; gun”</b> declension; comparable grades of adjectives; formation and use of conjunctive	6
26	Contracted verbs with e.	4
27	Indirect interrogative pronoun Óstij; <b>negative pronoun “oÙde ... j”.</b>	2
28	Contracted verbs with o.	4
29	Contracted verbs with a.	4
30	Adjective <b>polÚj</b> ; II conjugation verbs with ending – numi; defective verb <b>o da.</b>	4
31	Review of adjectives; adjectives <b>barÚj; çlhç» j</b>	6
32	II conjugation verbs in present and imperfect	2
33	II conjugation verbs in aorist	2
	<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>144</i>

## Individual studies

	Individual studies	Number of hours
1	Translation of texts	180
2	1. Test on I and II declension.	6
3	Test 2 on the verb in the active mood.	6
4	Test 3 on the verb in middle and passive.	6
5	Test 4 on infinitives, participles and subjunctive	6
6	Test 5 on contracted verbs	6
7	Test 6 on characteristics of adjectives and nouns of I, II and III declensions	6
	<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>216</i>

## Assessment

	Learning Outcomes			% of the final score
	Knowledge	Skills	Competence	
Test 1	+	+		10
Test 2	+	+		10
Test 3	+	+		10
Test 4	+	+		10
Test 5	+	+		10
Test 6	+	+		10
examination	+	+	+	40

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Total

100%

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## Readings

### *Mandatory Readings*

Clarence B. Hale. *Let's Study Greek*. Chicago, 1966.

### *Additional Readings*

Ķiņauka, P. *Grieķu gramatika; pirmā daļa; skaņu un formu mācība*. Rīga, 1934.

Rāta, A. *Īss senGrieķus kurss*. Rīga, 1983.

Liddell H.G. And Scott R. *Greek-english lexicon*. London, 1897.

Bauere W. *Griechisch-deutsches Wörterbuch*. Berlin, 1971.