

# “Teacher for a Day” Project

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## **“Teacher for a Day” Project**

You have the opportunity to lead a lesson in your Latin class! You and your group will cover a lesson together, explaining the concepts in the way you deem best. This allows you to be creative and also help your classmates. You will have **35 minutes** to teach your lesson.

Your group **must** include the following items for the **written component** of the project:

- A vocabulary list
- A thorough explanation of the grammar in the chapter
- Drills or exercises to practice the grammar
- A quiz to be handed out and taken after the lesson has been given
- A carefully prepared key for the quiz

Your **presentation** must consist of:

- A review of the vocabulary in the chapter
- An explanation of the grammar in the chapter
- Drills or exercises to practice the grammar
- A quiz

### **Timeline:**

- Thursday, January 30<sup>th</sup>: Class time to work in groups on VOCAB and GRAMMAR. **HW: continue classwork.**
- Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>: Class time to work in groups on guided practice (worksheets, classwork, games). **HW: continue classwork.**
- Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>: Class time to work in groups on quiz and key for quiz. **HW: continue classwork and/or finish presentation.**
- Wednesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>: All groups must turn in the written part of the project. **Ch. 18 group presents**
- Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>: **Ch. 19 group presents**
- Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>: **Ch. 20/21 group presents**

**Grading Criteria:**

Weight: 2 quizzes

**GROUP** \_\_\_\_\_

**Written Component (100 points)**

- Grammar is thoroughly and clearly explained in handout: / 25 points
- Grammar is accurately explained in handout: / 25 points
- Vocabulary sheet is complete and accurate: / 15 points
- Appearance of packet: / 10 points
- Pertinence and usefulness of guided practice on handout: / 15 points
- Pertinence, usefulness and accuracy of quiz (includes key): / 10 points

**Presentation (Teaching) Component (100 points)**

- Ability to break down and explain material: / 40 points
- All group members are equally involved in all parts of presentation: / 15 points
- Creativity of lesson: / 25 points
- Length of lesson: / 10 points
- Ability to keep class on track and engaged: / 10 points

**TOTAL**

**/200 points**