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Theme A: A Day at the Races

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Theme A: A Day at the Races

Candidates are expected to be familiar with the following aspects of Roman chariot-racing:

- the layout and features of the Circus Maximus;
- the number of participants, their organisation, technique and equipment;
- the number and length of the races, the start, the rewards for winners.

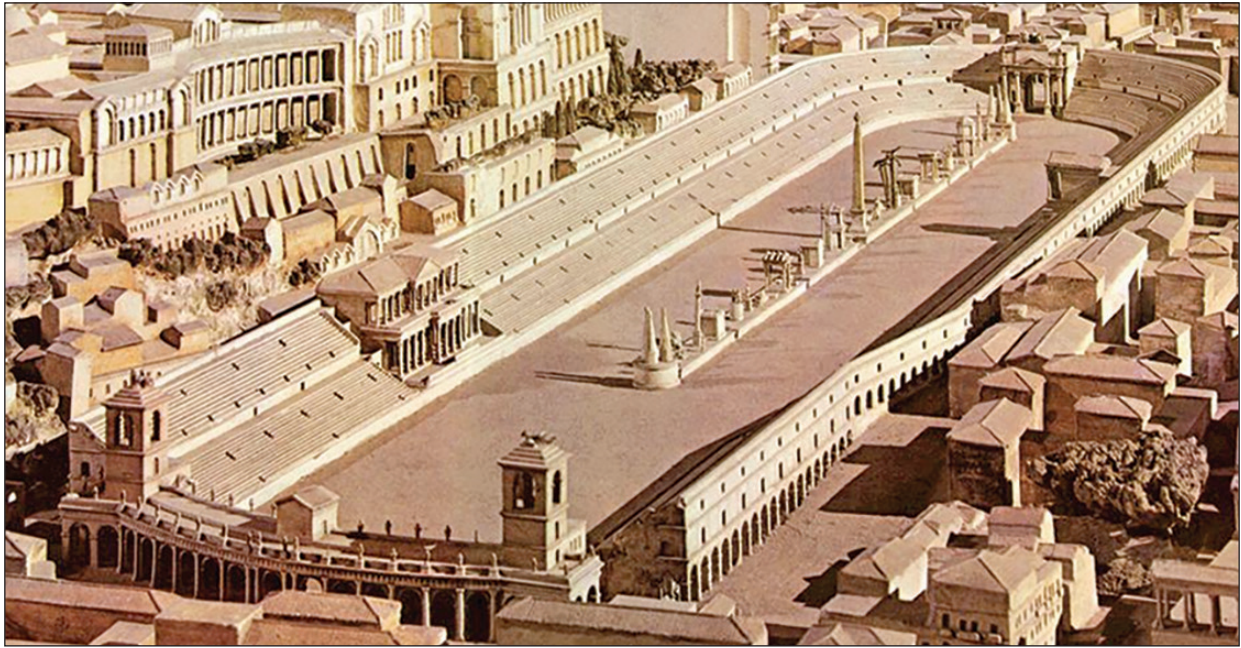
Candidates should study the following pictures, one or more of which will be used as a basis for questions in each question paper.

Picture 1



Four teams

Picture 2



Model of the Circus Maximus

Picture 3



The *spina*

Picture 4



Preparing to turn at the *meta*

Picture 5



A crash

Picture 6



The winner

**Ovid, *A good day at the Circus*
(*Amores* 3.2)**

non ego nobilium sedeo studiosus equorum;
 cui tamen ipsa faves, vincat ut ille, precor.
 ut loquerer tecum veni, tecumque sederem,
 ne tibi non notus, quem facis, esset amor.
 tu cursus spectas, ego te: spectemus uterque 5
 quod iuvat atque oculos pascat uterque suos.
 o, cuicumque faves, felix agitator equorum!
 ergo illi curae contigit esse tuae?
 hoc mihi contingat, sacro de carcere missis
 insistam forti mente vehendus equis 10
 et modo lora dabo, modo verberare terga notabo,
 nunc stringam metas interiore rota;
 si mihi currenti fueris conspecta, morabor,
 deque meis manibus lora remissa fluent.
 maxima iam vacuo praetor spectacula Circo 15
 quadriiugos aequo carcere misit equos.
 cui studeas, video; vincet, cuicumque favebis:
 quid cupias, ipsi scire videntur equi.
 me miserum, metam spatioso circuit orbe;
 quid facis? admoto proxumus axe subit. 20
 quid facis, infelix? perdis bona vota puellae;
 tende, precor, valida lora sinistra manu.
 favimus ignavo. sed enim revocate, Quirites,
 et date iactatis undique signa togis.
 en, revocant; ac, ne turbet toga mota capillos, 25
 in nostros abdas te licet usque sinus.
 iamque patent iterum reserato carcere postes,
 evolat admissis discolor agmen equis.
 nunc saltem supera spatioque insurge patenti:
 sint mea, sint dominae fac rata vota meae. 30
 sunt dominae rata vota meae, mea vota supersunt;
 ille tenet palmam, palma petenda mea est.

Martial, *Lament for a dead charioteer*
(*Epigrams* 10.50)

frangat Idumaeas tristis Victoria palmas,
 plange, Favor, saeva pectora nuda manu;
 mutet Honor cultus, et iniquis munera flammis
 mitte coronatas, Gloria maesta, comas.
 heu facinus! prima fraudatus, Scorpe, iuventa 5
 occidis et nigros tam cito iungis equos.
 curribus illa tuis semper properata brevisque
 cur fuit et vitae tam prope meta tuae?

Pliny, *Not at the races*
(*Letters* 9.6)

omne hoc tempus inter pugillares ac libellos iucundissima
 quiete transmisi. 'quemadmodum' inquis 'in urbe potuisti?'
 circenses erant, quo genere spectaculi ne levissime quidem
 teneor. nihil novum nihil varium, nihil quod non semel
 spectasse sufficiat. quo magis miror tot milia virorum tam 5
 pueriliter identidem cupere currentes equos, insistentes
 curribus homines videre. si tamen aut velocitate equorum aut
 hominum arte traherentur, esset ratio non nulla; nunc favent
 panno, pannum amant, et si in ipso cursu medioque certamine
 hic color illuc ille huc transferatur, studium favorque transibit, 10
 et repente agitadores illos equos illos, quos procul noscitant,
 quorum clamitant nomina relinquent. tanta gratia tanta
 auctoritas in una vilissima tunica, mitto apud vulgus, quod
 vilius tunica, sed apud quosdam graves homines; quos ego
 cum recordor, in re inani frigida assidua, tam insatiabiliter 15
 desiderare, capio aliquam voluptatem, quod hac voluptate non
 capior. ac per hos dies libentissime otium meum in litteris
 colloco, quos illi otiosissimis occupationibus perdunt.

Juvenal, *The crowd in the Circus*
 (*Satire 11, lines 197-204*)

totam hodie Romam circus capit, et fragor aurem
 percutit, eventum viridis quo colligo panni.
 nam si deficeret, maestam attonitamque videres
 hanc urbem veluti Cannarum in pulvere victis
 consulibus. spectent iuvenes, quos clamor et audax
 sponso, quos cultae decet adsedis puellae:
 nostra bibat vernum contracta cuticula solem
 effugiatque togam.

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Suetonius, *Caligula's favourite racehorse*
 (*Caligula 55*)

prasinae factioni ita addictus et deditus, ut assidue in stabulo
 cenaret et maneret, agitatori Eutycho comisatione quadam in
 apophoretis vicies sestertium contulit. pridie circenses, ne
 Incitatus equus inquietaretur, silentium vicinia per milites
 indicere solebat. ei praeter equile marmoreum et praesaepe
 eburneum praeterque tegumenta purpurea ac monilia e
 gemmis facta domum et familiam et supellectilem dedit, ut
 hospites nomine eius invitati eleganter acciperentur;
 consulatum etiam traditur ei destinasse.

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**Suetonius, *Nero's passion for chariot-racing*
(*Nero 22*)**

equorum studio vel praecipue ab ineunte aetate flagavit plurimusque illi sermo, quamquam vetaretur, de circensibus erat; et quondam tractum prasinum agitatore inter condiscipulos querens, obiurgante paedagogo, de Hectore se loqui ementitus est. sed cum inter initia imperii eburneis quadrigis cotidie in abaco luderet, ad omnes etiam minimos circenses e secessu commeabat, primo clam, deinde palam, ut nemini dubium esset eo die utique affuturum. neque dissimulabat velle se palmarum numerum ampliari; quare spectaculum multiplicatis missibus in serum protrahebatur, ne dominis quidem iam factionum dignantibus nisi ad totius diei cursum greges ducere. mox et ipse aurigare atque etiam spectari saepius voluit positoque in hortis inter servitia et sordidam plebem rudimento universorum se oculis in Circo Maximo praebuit, aliquo liberto mittente mappam unde magistratus solent.

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Virgil, A boat race
(*Aeneid* 5, lines 139-159)

Four boats compete in the race:

*the **Pristis**, commanded by Mnestheus*

*the **Chimaera**, commanded by Gyas*

*the **Centaur**, commanded by Sergestus*

*the **Scylla**, commanded by Cloanthus.*

The aim is to make one circuit of a rock far out to sea, which acts like the meta in the Circus.

inde ubi clara dedit sonitum tuba, finibus omnes (haud mora) prosiluere suis; ferit aethera clamor nauticus, adductis spumant freta versa lacertis. infindunt pariter sulcos, totumque dehiscit convulsum remis rostrisque tridentibus aequor.	5
non tam praecipites biiugo certamine campum corripuere ruuntque effusi carcere currus, nec sic immissis aurigae undantia lora concussere iugis pronique in verbera pendent.	10
tum plausu fremituque virum studiisque faventum consonat omne nemus, vocemque inclusa volutant litora, pulsati colles clamore resultant. effugit ante alios primisque elabitur undis turbam inter fremitumque Gyas; quem deinde Cloanthus consequitur, melior remis, sed pondere pinus	15
tarda tenet. post hos aequo discrimine Pristis Centaurusque locum tendunt superare priorem; et nunc Pristis habet, nunc victam praeterit ingens Centaurus, nunc una ambae iunctisque feruntur frontibus et longa sulcant vada salsa carina.	20

Gyas is first to reach the rock, but his helmsman takes such a wide course round the rock that Gyas becomes angry and throws him overboard – thus allowing the Scylla to take the lead. Far behind them, the Pristis and the Centaur are battling for third place. However, Sergestus steers the Centaur too close to the rock and the boat is so badly damaged that he has to drop out of the race. Mnestheus in the Pristis then seizes his chance to close the gap on the other two boats.

(Lines 223-243)

inde Gyan ipsamque ingenti mole Chimaeram consequitur; cedit, quoniam spoliata magistro est. solus iamque ipso superest in fine Cloanthus, quem petit et summis adnixus viribus urget.	
tum vero ingeminat clamor cunctique sequentem instigant studiis, resonatque fragoribus aether. hi proprium decus et partum indignantur honorem ni teneant, vitamque volunt pro laude pacisci; hos successus alit: possunt, quia posse videntur.	25
et fors aequatis cepissent praemia rostris, ni palmas ponto tendens utrasque Cloanthus fudissetque preces divosque in vota vocasset: 'di, quibus imperium est pelagi, quorum aequora curro, vobis laetus ego hoc candentem in litore taurum constituam ante aras voti reus, extaque salsos proiciam in fluctus et vina liquentia fundam.'	30
dixit, eumque imis sub fluctibus audiit omnis Nereidum Phorcique chorus Panopeaque virgo, et pater ipse manu magna Portunus euntem impulit: illa Noto citius volucrique sagitta ad terram fugit et portu se condidit alto.	35 40

List of abbreviations used

abl.	ablative
acc.	accusative
dat.	dative
f.	feminine
m.	masculine
n.	neuter
pl.	plural

A

ab + abl. - from, by
abacus, abacī, m. - board
abdō, abdere, abdidī, abditus - shelter
ac - and
accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - welcome
ad + acc. - at, to
addictus, addicta, addictum - obsessed
addūcō, addūcere, addūxī, adductus - draw up, pull towards
admittō,mittere, admīsī, admissus - release
admoveō, admovēre, admōvī, admōtus - move near
adnitor, adnītī, adnīxus sum - strain
adsidēo, adsidēre, adsēdī - sit beside
adsum, adesse, adfuī - be present
aequātus, aequāta, aequātum - side by side
aequor, aequoris, n. - sea, surface of the sea, waves, waters
aequus, aequa, aequum - equal, level
aetās, aetātis, f. - age
aethēr, aetheris, m. - sky
agitātor, agitātōris, m. - charioteer, driver
agmen, agminis, n. - crowd
aliquī, aliqua, aliquod - a certain, some
alius, alia, aliud - other
alō, alere, aluī, altus - encourage
altus, alta, altum - deep, high
ambō, ambae, ambō - both
amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - love
amor, amoris, m. - love
ampliō, ampliāre, ampliāvī, ampliātus - increase
ante + acc. - before, in front of
apophorēta, apophorētōrum, n.pl. - presents
apud + acc. - among
āra, ārae, f. - altar
ars, artis, f. - skill
assiduē - regularly
assiduus, assidua, assiduum - never-ending
atque - and
attonitus, attonita, attonitum - astonished
auctōritās, auctōritātis, f. - power
audāx, gen. audācis - daring
audiō, audīre, audīvī, audītus - hear
aurīga, aurīgae, m. - charioteer
aurīgō, aurīgāre, aurīgāvī, aurīgātus - be a charioteer
auris, auris, f. - ear
aut - or
aut ... aut - either ... or
axis, axis, m. - chariot

B

bibō, bibere, bibī - absorb
biiugus, biiuga, biiugum - two-horse
bonus, bona, bonum - good
brevis, breve - short

C

campus, campī, m. - field
candēns, gen. candentis - snow-white
Cannae, Cannārum, f.pl. - Cannae, a village in Apulia, where Hannibal defeated the Romans
capillī, capillōrum, m.pl. - hair
capiō, capere, cēpī, captus - hold, take
carcer, carceris, m. - starting-gate
carīna, carīnae, f. - keel
cēdō, cēdere, cessī - give way
cēnō, cēnāre, cēnāvī, cēnātus - have dinner
Centaurus, Centaurī, m. - Centaurus (the name of Sergestus' boat)
certāmen, certāminis, n. - competition, race
Chimaera, Chimaerae, f. - Chimaera (the name of Gyas' boat)
chorus, chorī, m. - choir, chorus
circēnsēs, circēnsium, m.pl. - games in the circus
circueō, circuire, circuiīcircuivī, circuītus - go round
circus, circī, m. - circus, stadium
Circus Maximus, m. - the Circus Maximus (stadium at Rome)
cito - quickly, soon
clam - secretly
clāmitō, clāmitāre, clāmitāvī, clāmitātus - shout out
clāmor, clāmōris, m. - shout, uproar
clārus, clāra, clārum - loud
Cloanthus, Cloanthī, m. - Cloanthus
colligō, colligere, collēgī, collēctus - understand
collis, collis, m. - hill
collocō, collocāre, collocāvī, collocātus - spend
color, colōris, m. - colour
coma, comae, f. - hair
cōmisātiō, cōmisātiōnis, f. - party
commeō, commeāre, commeāvī, commeātus - travel
concutiō, concutere, concussī, concussus - shake violently
condiscipulus, condiscipulī, m. - classmate
condō, condere, condidī, conditus - anchor
cōnferō, cōnferre, contulī, collātus - give
cōnsequor, cōnsequī, cōnsecūtus sum - chase, chase after
cōnsonō, cōnsonāre, cōnsonuī - resound
cōnspiciō, cōnspicere, cōnspexī, cōnspēctus - catch sight of
cōnstituō, cōnstituere, cōnstituī, cōnstitutus - set up, place
cōnsul, cōnsulis, m. - consul
cōnsulātus, cōnsulātūs, m. - consulship
contingō, contingere, contigī, contāctus - happen
contractus, contracta, contractum - wrinkled
convellō, convellere, convellī, convulsus - tear apart
corōnō, corōnāre, corōnāvī, corōnātus - crown
corripiō, corripere, corripuī, correptus - tear across
cōtīdiē - every day
cultus, culta, cultum - stylish
cultus, cultūs, m. - clothes
cum - although, when
cūctus, cūcta, cūctum - all
cupiō, cupere, cupīī/cupīvī, cupītus - want
cūr? - why?

cūra, cūrae, f. - attention
 currō, currere, cucurrī, cursus - run, race
 currus, currūs, m. - chariot
 cursus, cursūs, m. - course, race, track
 cutīcula, cutīculae, f. - skin

D

dē + abl. - about, down from, from
 decet, decēre, decuit - it is right
 decus, decoris, n. - glory
 dēditus, dēdita, dēditum - dedicated
 dēficiō, dēficere, dēfēcī, dēfectus - lose
 dehīscō, dehīscere, dehīvī - split open
 deinde - then
 dēsīdō, dēsīdere, dēsēdī - sit idly
 dēstinō, dēstināre, dēstināvī, dēstinātus - plan
 deus, deī, m. - god
 dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - say, speak
 diēs, diēī, m. - day
 dignor, dignārī, dignātus sum - consider worthwhile
 discolor, discoloris - with different colours
 discrīmen, discrīminis, n. - distance
 dissimulō, dissimulāre, dissimulāvī, dissimulātus - disguise
 dīvus, dīvī, m. - god
 dō, dare, dedī, datus - give, relax
 domina, dominae, f. - mistress
 dominus, dominī, m. - manager
 domus, domūs, f. - house
 dubium, dubīī, n. - doubt
 dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - bring

E

ē + abl. - from, out of
 eburneus, eburnea, eburneum - of ivory
 effugiō, effugere, effūgī - escape, speed forward
 effundō, effundere, effūdī, effūsus - let go
 ego, meī - I, me
 ēlābor, ēlābī, ēlāpsus sum - glide ahead
 ēleganter - stylishly
 ēmentior, ēmentīrī, ēmentītus sum - pretend
 ēn - see! look!
 enim - really
 eō, īre, īī - go
 equīle, equīlis, n. - stable
 equus, equī, m. - horse
 ergō - for that reason
 et - also, and, even
 etiam - also, even
 Eutyclus, Eutychnī, m. - Eutyclus
 ēventus, ēventūs, m. - victory
 ēvolō, ēvolāre, ēvolāvī, ēvolātus - rush off
 exta, extōrum, n.pl. - entrails

F

facinus, facinoris, n. - outrage
 faciō, facere, fēcī, factus - cause, do, make
 factiō, factiōnis, f. - team
 familia, familiae, f. - household of slaves
 faveō, favēre, fāvī, fautus + dat. - back, support
 Favor, Favōris, m. - Favour
 favor, favōris, m. - support
 fēlix, gen. fēlicis - lucky
 feriō, ferīre, ferīvī, ferītum - strike
 ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus - carry
 finis, finis, m. - end, starting position
 flagrō, flagrāre, flagrāvī, flagrātus - be excited
 flamma, flammae, f. - flame
 flūctus, flūctūs, m. - wave
 fluō, fluere, flūxī, flūxus - drop
 fors - perhaps
 fortis, forte - brave
 fragor, fragōris, m. - noise, roar
 frangō, frangere, frēgī, frāctus - break
 fraudō, fraudāre, fraudāvī, fraudātus - cheat
 fremitus, fremitūs, m. - noise, roar
 fretum, fretī, n. - sea
 frīgidus, frīgida, frīgidum - boring
 frōns, frontis, f. - prow
 fugiō, fugere, fūgī - speed
 fundō, fundere, fūdī, fūsus - pour out

G

gemma, gemmae, f. - jewel
 genus, generis, n. - kind
 Glōria, Glōriae, f. - Glory
 grātia, grātia, f. - attraction
 gravis, grave - respectable
 grex, gregis, m. - team
 Gyās, Gyae, m. - Gyas

H

habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - have
 haud - not
 Hector, Hectoris, m. - Hector, husband of Andromache, son
 of Priam and Hecuba
 heu - oh! alas! (exclamation of grief or pain)
 hic, haec, hoc - that, this
 hodiē - today
 homō, hominis, m. - man
 Honor, Honōris, m. - Honour
 honor, honōris, m. - honour
 hortus, hortī, m. - garden
 hospes, hospitis, m. - guest
 hūc - here, to this place

I

iactō, iactāre, iactāvī, iactātus - wave
iam - now
identidem - again and again
Idūmaeus, Idūmaea, Idūmaeum - Idumean, Judean (Judea was a Roman province, and the source of fine palms)
ignāvus, ignāva, ignāvum - slow
ille, illa, illud - he, she, that, that one
illūc - there, to that place
immittō, immittere, immīsī, immissus - let loose
impellō, impellere, impulī, impulsus - push
imperium, imperī, n. - power, reign, rule
īmus, īma, īmum - deep
in + acc. - into, onto
in + abl. - in, on
inānis, ināne - pointless
Incitātus, Incitātī, m. - *Incitus*, meaning 'swift, rapid', the name of a horse
inclūdō, inclūdere, inclūsī, inclūsus - enclose
inde - then
indīcō, indicere, indīxī, indictus - enforce
indignor, indignārī, indignātus sum - feel shame
ineō, inīre, inīī/inīvī, inītus - begin
īnfēlix, gen. infēlicis - foolish
īnfindō, īnfindere, īnfidī, īnfissus - cut
ingeminō, ingemināre, ingemināvī - increase
ingēns, gen. ingentis - huge
inīquus, inīqua, inīquum - unkind
initium, initī, n. - beginning
inter initia - at the beginning
inquiētō, inquiētāre, inquiētāvī, inquiētātus - disturb
inquis - you say
īnsatiābiliter - greedily
īnsistō, īnsistere, īnsitī - stand on, urge on
īnstīgō, īnstīgāre, īnstīgāvī, īnstīgātus - urge on
īnsurgō, īnsurgere, īnsurrēxī, īnsurrēctus - move into
inter + acc. - among, between, during
inter initia - at the beginning
interior, interius - inner
invītō, invītāre, invītāvī, invītātus - invite
ipse, ipsa, ipsum - herself, himself, identical, itself; very
is, ea, id - he, she, it; that
ita - so
iterum - again
iūcundus, iūcunda, iūcundum - pleasant
iugum, iugī, n. - pair of horses
iūnctus, iūncta, iūnctum - side by side
iungō, iungere, iūnxī, iūnctus - harness
iuvenis, iuvenis, m. - young man
iuventa, iuventae, f. - youth
iuvō, iuvāre, iūvī, iūtus - please

L

lacertus, lacertī, m. - arm, muscle
laetus, laeta, laetum - happy
laus, laudis, f. - fame
leviter - slightly
libellus, libellī, m. - book
libenter - gladly
libertus, libertī, m. - freedman
licet, licēre - be allowed
liqueō, liquēre, liquī - clear
litterae, litterārum, f.pl. - writing
lītus, lītoris, n. - sea-shore, shore
locus, locī, m. - position
longus, longa, longum - long
loquor, loquī, locūtus sum - speak, talk
lōra, lōrōrum, n.pl. - reins
lūdō, lūdere, lūsī, lūsus - play

M
maestus, maesta, maestum - sad, unhappy
magis - more, rather
magister, magistrī, m. - helmsman
magistrātus, magistrātūs, m. - magistrate
magnus, magna, magnum - great
maneō, manēre, mānsī - stay
manus, manūs, f. - hand
mappa, mappae, f. - napkin, the cloth dropped as a signal to start a race in the circus
marmoreus, marmorea, marmoreum - of marble
maximus, maxima, maximum - greatest
Circus Maximus, m. - the Circus Maximus (stadium at Rome)
medius, media, medium - middle
melior, melius - better
mēns, mentis, f. - heart
mēta, mētae, f. - turning post
meus, mea, meum - mine, my
mīles, mīlitis, m. - soldier
mīlia, n. - thousands
minimus, minima, minimum - insignificant
mīror, mīrārī, mīrātus sum - be amazed
miser, misera, miserum - miserable
missus, missūs, m. - race
mittō, mittere, mīsī, missus - dismiss, let go, release, throw
modo - just, now
modo ... modo - one moment ... the next moment
mōlēs, mōlis, f. - bulk
monīle, monīlis, n. - collar
mora, morae, f. - delay
moror, morārī, morātus sum - hesitate
moveō, movēre, mōvī, mōtus - move
mox - before long
multiplicō, multiplicāre, multiplicāvī, multiplicātus - multiply
mūnus, mūneris, n. - offering
mūtō, mūtāre, mūtāvī, mūtātus - change

N

nam - for
 nauticus, nautica, nauticum - made by the sailors
 nē - not, so that...not
 nec - and not, nor
 nēmō, nēminis, m. - no one
 nemus, nemoris, n. - wood
 neque - and not, nor
 Nērēis, Nērēidos, f. - sea nymph
 nī - (= nisi) if... not
 niger, nigra, nigrum - black
 nihil, n. - nothing
 nisi - unless
 nōbilis, nōbile - well-bred
 nōmen, nōminis, n. - name
 nōn - not
 nōscitō, nōscitāre, nōscitāvī, nōscitātus - know
 noster, nostra, nostrum - my
 notō, notāre, notāvī, notātus - mark
 Notus, Notī, m. - South wind
 nōtus, nōta, nōtum - known
 novus, nova, novum - new
 nūdus, nūda, nūdum - bare
 nūllus, nūlla, nūllum - no
 numerus, numerī, m. - number
 nunc - as it is, now

O

ō - O!
 obiurgō, obiurgāre, obiurgāvī, obiurgātus - tell off
 occidō, occidere, occidī, occāsus - die
 occupātiō, occupātiōnis, f. - activity
 oculus, oculī, m. - eye
 omnis, omne - all, every, the whole
 orbis, orbis, m. - circle
 ōtiōsus, ōtiōsa, ōtiōsum - lazy
 ōtium, ōtī, n. - free time

P

pacīscor, pacīscī, pactus sum - exchange
 paedagōgus, paedagōgī, m. - paedagogus (slave who accompanied a child to school)
 palam - openly
 palma, palmae, f. - hand, palm, palm (of victory), prize
 pannus, pannī, m. - coloured tunic worn by charioteers
 Panopēa, Panopēae, f. - Panopea (one of the sea nymphs)
 pariō, parere, peperī, partus - gain
 pariter - together
 pāscō, pāscere, pāvī, pāstus - feast
 pateō, patēre, patuī - be open
 pater, patris, m. - father
 pectus, pectoris, n. - chest
 pelagus, pelagī, n. - sea

pendeō, pendēre, pependī - lean over
 per + acc. - through, during
 percutiō, percutere, percussī, percussus - strike
 perdō, perdere, perdidī, perditus - destroy, waste
 petō, petere, petīvī, petītus - make for, win
 Phorcus, Phorcī, m. - Phorcus (a sea god)
 pīnus, pīnī, f. - pine tree i.e. boat (made from pine wood)
 plangō, plangere, plānxī, plānctus - strike
 plausus, plausūs, m. - applause
 plēbs, plēbis, f. - common people
 plūrimus, plūrima, plūrimum - most
 pondus, ponderis, n. - weight
 pōnō, pōnere, posuī, positus - arrange
 pontus, pontī, m. - sea
 Portūnus, Portūnī, m. - Portunus (god of harbours)
 portus, portūs, m. - harbour
 possum, posse, potuī - be able, can
 post + acc. - after, behind
 postis, postis, m. - gate
 praebeō, praebēre, praebuī, praebitus - present
 praeceps, praecipitis - fast
 praecipuē - especially
 praemium, praemī, n. - prize, reward
 praesaepe, praesaepe, n. - manger
 praeter + acc. - in addition to
 praetereō, praeterīre, praeterīī - overtake
 praetor, praetōris, m. - a Roman magistrate, praetor
 prasinus, prasina, prasinum - green
 precor, precārī, precātus sum - beg, pray
 prex, precis, f. - prayer
 prīdiē - on the day before
 prīmō - at first
 prīmus, prīma, prīmum - earliest, first
 prior, prius - better
 Pristis, Pristis, f. - Pristis (the name of Mnestheus' boat)
 prō + abl. - in return for
 procul - from afar
 prōiciō, prōicere, prōiēcī, prōiectus - cast (as an offering)
 prōnus, prōna, prōnum - bending forward
 prope + acc. - near
 properō, properāre, properāvī, properātus - be quick
 proprius, propria, proprium - one's own
 prōsiliō, prōsilīre, prōsiluī - speed forward
 prōtrahō, prōtrahere, prōtrāxī, prōtractus - extend
 proximus, proxima, proximum - next
 puella, puellae, f. - girl
 puerīliter - childishly
 pugillārēs, pugillārium, m.pl. - writing tablets
 pulsō, pulsāre, pulsāvī, pulsātus - strike
 pulvis, pulveris, m. - dust
 purpureus, purpurea, purpureum - purple

Q

quadrigae, quadrigarum, f.pl. - chariot with four horses
 quadriugus, quadriuga, quadriugum - in a team of four
 quamquam - although
 quare - and therefore
 -que - and
 quemadmodum? - how?
 queror, queri, questus sum - complain
 qui, quae, quod - which, who
 quia - because
 quicumque, quaecumque, quodcumque - whoever
 quidam, quaedam, quoddam - certain
 quidem - even, indeed
 quiēs, quiētis, f. - tranquillity
 Quiritēs, Quiritum, m.pl. - citizens of Rome
 quis? quid? - who? what?
 quod - because, that
 quondam - once
 quoniam - since

R

ratiō, ratiōnis, f. - reason
 ratus, rata, ratum - confirmed
 recordor, recordari, recordatus sum - think
 relinquō, relinquere, reliqui, relictus - abandon
 remittō, remittere, remisī, remissus - loosen
 rēmus, rēmī, m. - crew, oar
 repente - suddenly
 rēs, rei, f. - business, thing
 reserō, reserāre, reserāvī, reserātus - unlock
 resonō, resonāre, resonāvī - resound
 resultō, resultāre, resultāvī, resultātus - echo
 reus, rei, m. - debtor
 revocō, revocāre, revocāvī, revocātus - call back
 Rōma, Rōmae, f. - Rome
 rōstrum, rōstrī, n. - prow (of a ship)
 rota, rotae, f. - wheel
 rudimentum, rudimentī, n. - trial run
 ruō, ruere, ruī - rush

S

sacer, sacra, sacrum - sacred
 saepe - frequently
 saevus, saeva, saevum - cruel
 sagitta, sagittae, f. - arrow
 salsus, salsa, salsum - salty
 saltem - at least
 scio, scire, sciiscivi, scitus - know
 Scorpūs, Scorpī, m. - Flavius Scorpūs, a famous charioteer
 sē - herself, himself, themselves
 sēcessus, sēcessūs, m. - country retreat
 sed - but
 sedeō, sedere, sēdī, sessus - sit

semel - once
 semper - always
 sequor, sequi, secutus sum - follow, pursue
 sermō, sermōnis, m. - conversation
 sērum, sērī, n. - late time
 servitium, servitiī, n. - group of slaves
 sēstertium, sēstertiī, n. - a hundred thousand sesterces
 sī - if
 sīc - in this way
 signum, signī, n. - signal
 silentium, silentiī, n. - silence
 sinister, sinistra, sinistrum - left
 sinus, sinūs, m. - arms
 sōl, sōlis, m. - sun
 soleō, solere, solitus sum - be accustomed, usually be
 sōlus, sōla, solum - alone, on one's own, only
 sonitus, sonitūs, m. - signal
 sordidus, sordida, sordidum - dirty
 spatiōsus, spatiōsa, spatiōsum - wide
 spatium, spatiī, n. - space
 spectāculum, spectāculī, n. - show, spectacle
 spectō, spectāre, spectāvī, spectātus - look (at), watch
 spoliō, spoliāre, spoliāvī, spoliātus - deprive
 spōnsiō, spōnsiōnis, f. - bet
 spūmō, spūmare, spūmāvī - foam
 stabulum, stabulī, n. - stable
 stringō, stringere, strinxī, strictus - scrape
 studeō, studere, studui - support
 studiōsus, studiōsa, studiōsum - be a fan of
 studium, studiī, n. - cheer of support, enthusiasm, passion,
 shout of support
 sub + abl. - beneath, under
 subeō, subire, subiī/subivī, subitus - approach
 successus, successūs, m. - success
 sufficiō, sufficere, suffēcī - be enough
 sulcō, sulcāre, sulcāvī - plough through
 sulcus, sulcī, m. - (watery) furrow
 sum, esse, fui - be
 summus, summa, summum - greatest
 supellex, supellectilis, f. - furniture
 superō, superāre, superāvī, superātus - gain, win
 supersum, superesse, superfuī - be left, be still alive
 suus, sua, suum - their, their own

T

tam - *so*
tamen - *however*
tantus, tanta, tantum - *such a great*
tardus, tarda, tardum - *slow*
taurus, taurī, m. - *bull*
tegumentum, tegumentī, n. - *cloak*
tempus, temporis, n. - *time*
tendō, tendere, tetendī, tentus - *pull, stretch out, strain*
teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentus - *captivate, hold back, hold, keep*
tergum, tergī, n. - *back*
terra, terrae, f. - *ground, land*
toga, togae, f. - *toga*
tot - *so many*
tōtus, tōta, tōtum - *entire, whole*
trādō, trādere, trādīdī, trādītus - *tell*
trahō, trahere, trāxī, tractus - *attract, drag*
trānseō, trānsire, trānsīī, trānsītus - *change sides*
trānsferō, trānsferre, trānstulī, trānslātus - *exchange, swap*
trānsmittō, trānsmittēre, trānsmīsī, trānsmīssus - *send*
tridēns, tridentis - *three-pronged*
trīstis, trīste - *sad*
tū, tuī - *you (singular)*
tēcum - *with you (singular)*
tuba, tubae, f. - *trumpet*
tum - *then*
tunica, tunicae, f. - *tunic*
turba, turbae, f. - *confusion*
turbō, turbāre, turbāvī, turbātus - *mess up*
tuus, tua, tuum - *your (singular), yours*

U

ubi - *when*
ūnā - *together*
unda, undae, f. - *water*
unde - *from where*
undique - *on all sides*
undō, undāre, undāvī, undātus - *ripple*
ūniversus, ūniversa, ūniversum - *all*
ūnus, ūna, ūnum - *one*
urbs, urbis, f. - *city*
urgeō, urgēre, ursī - *pursue*
usque - *right up against*
ut - *so that, that*
uterque, utraque, utrumque - *both, each, each (of two)*
utīque - *definitely*

V

vacuus, vacua, vacuum - *empty*
vadum, vadī, n. - *water*
validus, valida, validum - *strong*
varius, varia, varium - *different*
vehor, vehī, vectus sum - *be carried*
vel - *indeed*
vēlōcitās, vēlōcitātis, f. - *speed*
velutī - *like*
veniō, venīre, vēnī, ventus - *come*
verber, verberis, n. - *whip*
vernus, verna, vernum - *of the spring*
vērō - *indeed*
vertō, vertere, vertī, versus - *churn up*
vetō, vetāre, vetuī, vetītus - *forbid*
vīciēs - *twenty times*
vīcīnia, vīcīniae, f. - *neighbourhood*
Victōria, Victōriae, f. - *Victory*
videō, vidēre, vidī, vīsus - *see*
videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - *seem, think*
vīlis, vīle - *cheap*
vincō, vincere, vīcī, victus - *be victorious, defeat, win*
vīnum, vīnī, n. - *wine*
vir, virī, m. - *man*
vīrēs, vīrium, f.pl. - *strength*
virgō, virginis, f. - *virgin*
viridis, viride - *green*
vīta, vītae, f. - *life*
vocō, vocāre, vocāvī, vocātus - *call*
volō, velle, voluī - *want*
volucer, volucris, volucre - *flying*
voluptās, voluptātis, f. - *pleasure*
volūtō, volūtāre, volūtāvī, volūtātus - *send out*
vōs - *you (plural)*
vōtum, vōtī, n. - *plea, vow, wish*
vōx, vōcis, f. - *shout*
vulgus, vulgī, n. - *common people*

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- the various types of Roman school;
- subjects and methods of study;
- the relevance of their education to pupils' later careers.

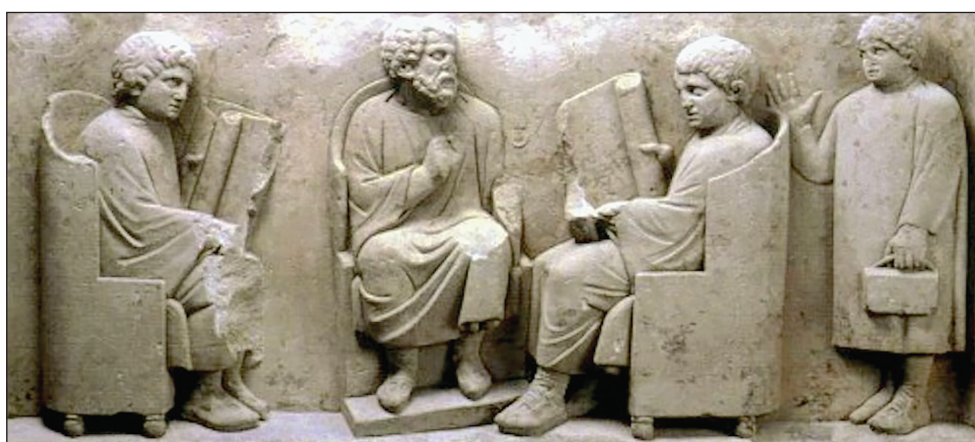
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Picture 1



Stages in growing-up, illustrated on a sarcophagus

Picture 2



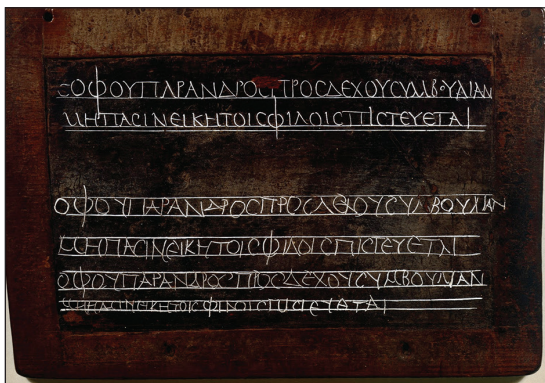
School scene

Picture 3



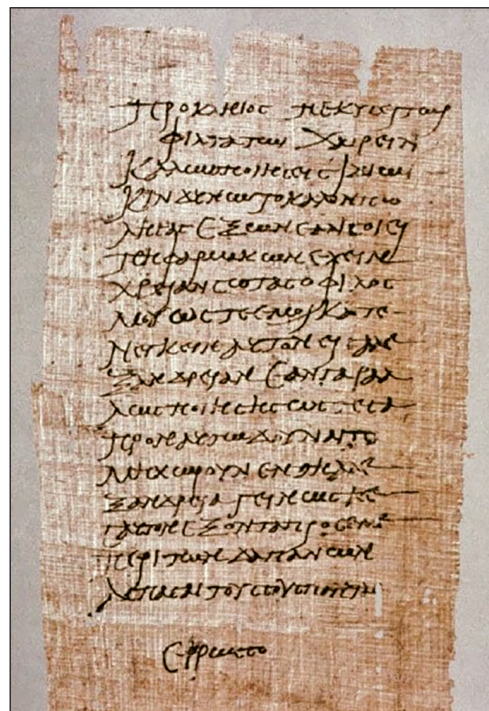
A boy orator

Picture 4



Writing exercise on a wax tablet

Picture 5



Letter on papyrus

Seneca, *The debt we owe to our parents*
(De Beneficiis 5.5)

a parentibus fere vincimur. nam tam diu illos habemus, quam diu iudicamus graves et quam diu beneficia illorum non intellegimus. cum iam aetas aliquid prudentiae collegit et apparere coepit eos amari a nobis debere propter illa ipsa quae non amabantur – admonitiones, severitatem et inconsultae adulescentiae diligentem custodiam – nobis rapiuntur. paucos ad verum fructum a liberis percipiendum perduxit aetas; ceteri filios oneri senserunt. 5

Pliny, *The traditional Roman education*
(Letters 8.14)

erat autem antiquitus institutum, ut a maioribus natu non auribus modo verum etiam oculis disceremus quae ipsi faceremus ac per vices quasdam minoribus traderemus. inde adulescentuli statim castrensibus stipendiis imbuebantur ut imperare parendo, ducere dum sequuntur adsuescerent; ei qui honores petituri erant adsistebant curiae foribus, et consilii publici spectatores ante quam consortes erant. suus cuique parens pro magistro, aut cui parens non erat maximus quisque et vetustissimus pro parente. quae potestas referentibus, quod censentibus ius, quae vis magistratibus, quae ceteris libertas, omnem denique senatorium morem – quod fidissimum percipiendi genus – exemplis docebantur. 5 10

Martial, *I'm not a child any more!*
(*Epigrams* 11.39)

cunarum fueras motor, Charideme, mearum et pueri custos assiduusque comes. iam mihi nigrescunt tonsa sudaria barba et queritur labris puncta puella meis;	
sed tibi non crevi: te noster vilicus horret, te dispensator, te domus ipsa pavet.	5
ludere nec nobis nec tu permittis amare; nil mihi vis et vis cuncta licere tibi. corripis, observas, quereris, suspiria ducis, et vix a ferulis temperat ira tua.	10
si Tyrios sumpsisti cultus unxisti capillos, exclamas 'numquam fecerat ista pater'; et numeras nostros astricta fronte trientes, tamquam de cella sit cadus ille tua.	
desine; non possum libertum ferre Catonem. esse virum iam me dicet amica tibi.	15

Cicero, *Boys will be boys*
(*Pro Caelio* 43)

multi et nostra et patrum maiorumque memoria, summi homines et clarissimi cives fuerunt, quorum cum adolescentiae cupiditates defervissent, eximiae virtutes firmata iam aetate exstiterunt. ex quibus neminem mihi libet nominare; vosmet vobiscum recordamini. nolo enim cuiusquam fortis atque illustris viri ne	5
minimum quidem erratum cum maxima laude coniungere. quod si facere vellem, multi a me summi atque ornatissimi viri praedicarentur, quorum partim nimia libertas in adolescentia, partim profusa luxuries, magnitudo aeris alieni, sumptus, libidines nominarentur, quae multis postea virtutibus obiecta adolescentiae, qui vellet, excusatione defenderet.	10

Apuleius, *The three phases of education*
(Florida 20.4)

sapientis viri super mensam celebre dictum est: 'prima creterra ad sitim pertinet, secunda ad hilaritatem, tertia ad voluptatem, quarta ad insaniam.' verum enimvero Musarum creterra versa vice quanto crebrior quantoque meracior, tanto propior ad animi sanitatem. prima creterra litteratoris rudimento eximit, secunda grammatici doctrina instruit, tertia rhetoris eloquentia armat. 5

Horace, *Gratitude for a good education*
(Satire 1.6, lines 71-88)

causa fuit pater his qui, macro pauper agello,
 noluit in Flavi ludum me mittere, magni
 quo pueri magnis e centurionibus orti,
 laevo suspensi loculos tabulamque lacerto,
 ibant octonos referentes Idibus aeris: 5
 sed puerum est ausus Romam portare, docendum
 artes quas doceat quivis eques atque senator
 semet prognatos. vestem servosque sequentes,
 in magno ut populo, si quis vidisset, avita
 ex re praeberi sumptus mihi crederet illos. 10
 ipse mihi custos incorruptissimus omnes
 circum doctores aderat. quid multa? pudicum,
 qui primus virtutis honos, servavit ab omni
 non solum facto, verum opprobrio quoque turpi;
 nec timuit sibi ne vitio quis verteret olim 15
 si praeco parvas aut, ut fuit ipse, coactor
 mercedes sequer; neque ego essem questus: at hoc nunc
 laus illi debetur et a me gratia maior.

Petronius, *A pushy father*
(*Satyricon* 46)

tu, Agamemnon, prae litteris fatuus es. aliquo die te persuadeam ut ad villam nostram venias? tibi discipulus crescit filius meus: iam quattuor partes dicit; si vixerit, habebis bonum discipulum. nam quicquid illi vacat, caput de tabula non tollit. ingeniosus est, etiam si in aves morbosus est. ego illi tres cardeles occidi et dixi 'mustella eos comedit'. invenit tamen alias nenias et libentissime pingit. ceterum iam litteris Graeculis calcem impingit et Latinas coepit non male appetere. emi ergo puero aliquot libros rubricatos, quia volo illum aliquid de iure gustare. habet haec res panem. si noluerit, destinavi illum artificium docere – aut tonstrinum aut praeconem, aut certe causidicum – quod illi auferre possit nihil nisi Orcus. ideo illi cotidie clamo: 'fili, crede mihi, quicquid discis, tibi discis. litterae thesaurus est, et artificium numquam moritur.'

Juvenal, *Who would be a teacher?*
(*Satire* 7, lines 215-232 with omissions)

quis gremio Celadi doctique Palaemonis adfert
quantum grammaticus meruit labor? et tamen ex hoc,
quodcumque est (minus est autem quam rhetoris aera),
discipuli custos praemordet acoenonoetus
et qui dispensat frangit sibi. cede, Palaemon,
dummodo non pereat totidem olfecisse lucernas
quot stabant pueri, cum totus decolor esset
Flaccus et haereret nigro fuligo Maroni.
rara tamen merces quae cognitione tribuni
non egeat. sed vos saevas inponite leges,
ut praeceptorum verborum regula constet,
ut legat historias, auctores noverit omnes
tamquam ungues digitosque suos.

Quintilian, *A tricky point of law*
(Institutio Oratoria 7.1.42)

An example of the kind of topic debated at the school of a rhetor.

'is qui patri prodicionis accusato non adfuerit, exheres sit: is qui prodicionis damnatus erit cum advocato in exilium abeat.'

patri prodicionis reo disertus filius adfuit, rusticus non adfuit.
 damnatus abiit cum advocato in exilium. rusticus cum aliquid
 fortiter fecisset, praemii nomine impetravit restitutionem patris et
 fratris. pater domum reversus intestatus decessit: petit rusticus
 partem bonorum, orator totum vindicat sibi.

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List of abbreviations used

abl.	ablative
acc.	accusative
dat.	dative
f.	feminine
m.	masculine
n.	neuter
pl.	plural

A

ā, ab + abl. - *by, from*
abeō, abīre, abīi/abīvī - *go away*
ac - *and*
accumulō, accumulāre, accumulāvī, accumulātus - *heap up (for), honour*
accūsō, accūsāre, accūsāvī, accūsātus - *accuse*
acoenonoētus, acoenonoētī, m. - *inconsiderate, without common sense*
ad + acc. - *at, to, towards*
pertinēre ad - *to lead to, take care of*
adferō, adferre, attulī, adlātus - *bring*
admonitiō, admonitiōnis, f. - *criticism, rebuke*
adsistō, adsistere, adstitī - *stand by*
adsuēscō, adsuēscere, adsuēvī, adsuētus - *learn*
adsum, adesse, adfui - *appear in defence, be at hand, be near, be present*
adulēscētia, adulēscētiaē, f. - *youth*
adulēscētulus, adulēscētulī, m. - *young man*
advocātus, advocātī, m. - *legal advisor*
Aenēas, Aenēae, m. - *Aeneas*
aes, aeris, n. - *bronze, copper, money, pay, wage*
aes aliēnum - *debt*
aetās, aetātis, f. - *age, life*
Agamemnon, Agamemnonis, m. - *Agamemnon*
agellus, agellī, m. - *farm*
agō, agere, ēgī, āctus - *bring (forth)*
aliēnus, aliēna, aliēnum - *belonging to another*
aes aliēnum - *debt*
aliquī, aliqua, aliquod - *any, some*
aliquis, aliquid - *one, someone, something*
aliquot - *a number of, some*
alius, alia, aliud - *different, other*
alumnus, alumnī, m. - *offspring*
amīca, amīcae, f. - *girlfriend*
amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - *love*
Anchīsēs, Anchīsae, m. - *Anchises (father of Aeneas)*
anima, animae, f. - *spirit*
animus, animī, m. - *mind*
anne - *or*
ante - *before*
ante ... quam - *before*
antīquitus - *in former times*
appāreō, appārēre, appāruī, appāritus - *be clear, be evident*
appetō, appetere, appetīvī, appetītus - *grasp*
arma, armōrum, n.pl. - *arms, weapons*
armātus, armāta, armātum - *armed*
armō, armāre, armāvī, armātus - *arm, equip*
armus, armī, m. - *forequarter (of an animal), side*
ars, artis, f. - *skill; (in a school) a subject*
artificium, artificiī, n. - *trade*
asper, aspera, asperum - *cruel, harsh*
assiduus, assidua, assiduum - *constant*
astringō, astringere, astrīnxī, astrictus - *furrow*
at - *but, on the contrary, yet*
āter, ātra, ātrum - *black*
atque - *and, and also*
auctor, auctōris, m. - *author*
audeō, audēre, ausus sum - *dare, venture*
auferō, auferre, abstulī, ablātus - *take away*
auris, auris, f. - *ear*
aut - *or, or else*

aut ... aut - *either ... or*

autem - *and indeed, but*
avis, avis, f. - *bird*
avītus, avīta, avītum - *ancestral*
avus, avī, m. - *ancestor*

B

barba, barbae, f. - *beard*
bellum, bellī, n. - *war*
beneficium, beneficiī, n. - *kindness, support*
bona, bonōrum, n.pl. - *inheritance*
bonus, bona, bonum - *good*

C

cadus, cadī, m. - *large jar of wine*
calcar, calcāris, n. - *spur*
calx, calcis, f. - *foot, heel*
calcem impingere - *make a step, get stuck into*
campus, campī, m. - *field, plain*
campus Māvortis - *the Campus Martius, the field of Mars (public area in Rome used as military exercise ground)*
capillus, capillī, m. - *hair*
caput, capitis, n. - *head*
cardēlis, cardēlis, f. - *goldfinch*
castrēnsis, castrēnse - *in military camp*
Cato, Catōnis, m. - *Cato (= M. Porcius Cato the Elder, who was very serious and austere)*
causa, causae, f. - *cause, reason*
causidicus, causidicī, m. - *advocate*
cēdō, cēdere, cessī, cessus - *accept*
Celadus, Celadī, m. - *Celadus*
celeber, celebris, celebre - *famous*
cella, cellae, f. - *cellar*
cēnsēō, cēnsēre, cēnsuī, cēnsus - *vote*
centuriō, centuriōnis, m. - *captain, centurion, commander of a century*
certē - *at least*
cēteri, cēterae, cētera - *the others, the rest*
cēterum - *besides, for the rest*
Charidēmus, Charidēmī, m. - *Charidemus*
circā - *around*
circum - *about, among, around*
circumvolō, circumvolāre, circumvolāvī, circumvolātus - *fly around, surround*
cīvis, cīvis, m. - *citizen*
clāmō, clāmāre, clāmāvī - *shout*
clārus, clāra, clārum - *distinguished, famous*
coāctor, coāctoris, m. - *tax collector*
coepī, coepisse - *begin*
cognitiō, cognitiōnis, f. - *investigation*
colligō, colligere, collēgī, collēctus - *acquire, gain*
comedō, comēsse, comēdī, comēsus - *eat*
comes, comitis, m. - *companion*
comitor, comitārī, comitātus sum - *accompany*
coniungō, coniungere, coniūnxī, coniūctus - *connect, link*
cōnsilium, cōnsiliī, n. - *council*
cōsors, cōsorsis, m. - *participant*

cōnstō, cōnstāre, cōnstītī, cōnstātus - *be consistent*
 corripīō, corripere, corripuī, correptus - *scold, tell off*
 cōtīdiē - *daily, every day*
 crēber, crēbra, crēbrum - *frequent, often*
 crēdō, crēdere, crēdidī + dat. - *believe, think, trust*
 crēscō, crēscere, crēvī, crētus - *grow, grow up*
 crēterra, crēterrae, f. - *bowl for wine, cup*
 cultus, cultūs, m. - *clothing*
 cum - *because, since, when, while*
 cum + abl. - *with*
 -cum - *with*
 cūnae, cūnārum, f.pl. - *cradle*
 cūnctus, cūncta, cūnctum - *all, everything*
 cupiditās, cupiditātis, f. - *passion*
 cūria, cūriae, f. - *Senate house*
 custōdia, custōdiae, f. - *guard, supervision*
 custōs, custōdis, m. - *attendant, guardian, protector*

D

damnō, damnāre, damnāvī, damnātus - *condemn, find guilty (of)*
 dē + abl. - *about, from, out of, to do with*
 dēbeō, dēbere, dēbuī, dēbitus - *ought, owe, should*
 dēcēdō, dēcēdere, dēcēssī, dēcēssus - *die*
 dēcōlor, dēcōloris - *discoloured*
 dēfendō, dēfendere, dēfendī, dēfēnsus - *defend*
 dēfervēscō, dēfervēscere, dēfervi - *cool down, wear off*
 dēiciō, dēicere, dēiēcī, dēiectus - *cast down*
 dēnique - *in short*
 dēsīnō, dēsīnere, dēsī - *cease, stop*
 dēstinō, dēstināre, dēstināvī, dēstinātus - *decide*
 dextera, dexterae, f. - *right hand*
 dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - *recite, say, tell*
 dictum, dictī, n. - *saying*
 diēs, diē, m. - *day*
 digitus, digitī, m. - *finger*
 dīligēns, dīligentis - *attentive, careful*
 discipulus, discipulī, m. - *pupil*
 discō, discere, didicī - *learn*
 disertus, diserta, disertum - *eloquent, skilful in speaking*
 dispēnsātor, dispēnsātoris, m. - *treasurer*
 dispēnsō, dispēnsāre, dispēnsāvī, dispēnsātus - *pay out*
 diū - *long*
 dō, dare, dedī, datus - *give*
 doceō, docēre, docuī, doctus - *teach*
 doctor, doctōris, m. - *teacher*
 doctrīna, doctrīnae, f. - *learning*
 doctus, docta, doctum - *well-educated, wise*
 domus, domūs, f. - *house, home*
 dōnum, dōnī, n. - *gift, present*
 dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - *draw out, heave, lead*
 dum - *while*
 dummodo - *so long as*

E

ē, ex + abl. - *from, by, out of*
 egeō, egēre, eguī + abl. - *need, require*
 ego, meī - *I, I myself, me*
 mihi libet - *I wish*
 ēgregius, ēgregia, ēgregium - *outstanding*
 ēloquentia, ēloquentiae, f. - *eloquence*
 emō, emere, emī, emptus - *buy*
 enim - *for*
 enimvērō - *in fact*
 eō, ire, ī - *go, march, walk*
 eques, equitis, m. - *equestrian (person of equestrian status)*
 equus, equī, m. - *horse*
 ergō - *so, therefore*
 errātum, errātī, n. - *blemish, error*
 et - *also, and, even*
 et ... et - *both, and*
 etiam - *also, even*
 nōn modo ... vērum etiam - *not only ... but also*
 exclāmō, exclāmāre, exclāmāvī - *exclaim, shout*
 excūsātiō, excūsātiōnis, f. - *excuse*
 exemplum, exemplī, n. - *example*
 exhērēs, exhērēdis - *disinherited*
 exilium, exiliī, n. - *exile*
 eximius, eximia, eximum - *excellent, outstanding*
 eximō, eximere, exēmī, exēptus - *take beyond*
 existō, existere, existī, existitus - *appear, stand out*

F

faciō, facere, fēcī, factus - *do*
 factum, factī, n. - *deed*
 fātum, fātī, n. - *death, fate*
 fatuus, fatua, fatuum - *crazy, mad*
 ferē - *commonly, generally, usually*
 ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus - *bear, bring*
 sē obvius ferre - *to carry oneself against, go up against, confront*
 ferula, ferulae, f. - *rod (for punishing slaves or schoolboys), whip*
 fidēs, fidē, f. - *faith, honour*
 fidus, fida, fidum - *reliable*
 filiū, filiī, m. - *son*
 firmō, firmāre, firmāvī, firmātus - *establish, settle*
 Flaccus, Flaccī, m. - *(the writings of) Flaccus (= Horace)*
 Flāvius, Flāvī, m. - *Flavius*
 flōs, flōris, m. - *flower*
 fodiō, fodere, fōdī, fossus - *dig into, stab*
 forēs, forium, f.pl. - *doors*
 fōrma, fōrmae, f. - *beauty, looks, physique*
 fortis, forte - *brave*
 fortiter - *bravely*
 frangō, frangere, frēgī, frāctus - *break off*
 frāter, frātris, m. - *brother*
 frōns, frontis, f. - *brow, expression, forehead*
 frūctus, frūctūs, m. - *benefit, profit, reward*
 fulgeō, fulgēre, fulsī - *shine*
 fūligō, fūliginis, f. - *soot*
 fungor, fungī, fūctus sum + abl. - *perform*
 fūnus, fūneris, n. - *funeral rite*

G

gemitus, gemitūs, m. - groan
gēns, gentis, f. - family, race, tribe
genus, generis, n. - method
gnātus, gnātī, m. - child, son
Graeculus, Graecula, Graeculum - Greek
grammaticus, grammatica, grammaticum - of a school teacher
grammaticus, grammaticī, m. - grammar teacher, grammarian
grātia, grātia, f. - gratitude
gravis, grave - harsh, severe
gremium, gremiī, n. - pocket
gustō, gustāre, gustāvī - taste

H

habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - have, provide
haereō, haerēre, haesī, haesus - cling, stick
heu - alas! alas for!
hīc - at this point, here
hic, haec, hoc - he, it, she, this
hilaritās, hilaritātis, f. - good humour
historia, historiae, f. - history
homō, hominis, m. - man
honor, honōris, m. - office, public honour
honōs, honoris, m. - dignity, honour
horreō, horrēre, horruī - tremble at
hostis, hostis, m. - enemy

I

iactō, iactāre, iactāvī, iactātus - boast
sē iactāre - to speak boastfully about oneself, to boast
iam - already, at last, now
ideō - for that reason, therefore
Īdus, Īdūs, f. - the Ides
Īliacus, Īliaca, Īliacum - Trojan
ille, illa, illud - he, she, it, this, that
illūstris, illūstre - famous, notable
imbuō, imbuere, imbuī, imbūtus - instruct, train
imperō, imperāre, imperāvī - command, order
impetrō, impetrāre, impetrāvī, impetrātus - gain, obtain
impingō, impingere, impēgī, impāctus - press, stamp
calcem impingere - make a step, get stuck into
impūne - safely, unharmed, with impunity
in + acc. - against, into, to, in
in + abl. - among, in, on
inānis, inānis, ināne - thankless, useless, vain
incōnsultus, incōnsulta, incōnsultum - heedless, inconsiderate, rash
incorruptus, incorrupta, incorruptum - incorruptible, pure, uncorrupted
inde - then
ingeniōsus, ingeniōsa, ingeniōsum - clever, gifted
ingēns, gen. ingentis - huge

ingredior, ingredī, ingressus sum - begin
inpōnō, inpōnere, inposuī, inpositus - impose
īnsānia, īnsāniae, f. - madness
īnstar - appearance
īnstitūtum, īnstitūtī, n. - custom, tradition
īnstruō, īnstruere, īnstrūxī, īnstrūctus - equip, provide
intellegō, intellegere, intellēxī, intellēctus - perceive, understand
intestātus, intestāta, intestātum - intestate, without a will
inveniō, invenīre, invēnī, inventus - discover, find
invictus, invicta, invictum - invincible, undefeated
ipse, ipsa, ipsum - he, she, it; himself, herself, itself; the same, the very
īra, īrae, f. - anger
is, ea, id - he, she, it; this, that
iste, ista, istud - that
iūdicō, iūdicāre, iūdicāvī, iūdicātus - consider, judge
iūs, iūris, n. - law, right
iuvenis, iuvenis, m. - young man, youth

L

labor, labōris, m. - toil, work
labrum, labrī, n. - lip
lacertus, lacertī, m. - shoulder, upper arm
lacrima, lacrimae, f. - tear
laetus, laeta, laetum - happy
laevus, laeva, laevum - left
Latīnus, Latīna, Latīnum - Latin, of the Latini
laus, laudis, f. - achievement, glory, praise
legō, legere, lēgī, lēctus - read
lēx, lēgis, f. - law
libenter - willingly, with pleasure
liber, librī, m. - book
liber rubricātus - legal book, book on law
līberī, līberōrum, m.pl. - children
lībertās, lībertātis, f. - freedom, liberty, licentiousness
lībertus, lībertī, m. - freedman
libet, libēre, libuit - be pleasing
mihī libet - I wish
libīdō, libīdinis, f. - lust, pleasure
licet, licēre, licuit - it is allowed
līlium, līlī, n. - lily
littera, litterae, f. - letter (of the alphabet), literature
litterātor, litterātōris, m. - reading and writing teacher
loculus, loculī, m. - bag or case for carrying writing materials
lucerna, lucernae, f. - oil lamp
lūctus, lūctūs, m. - grief, tragedy
lūdō, lūdere, lūsī, lūsus - play
lūdus, lūdī, m. - school
lūmen, lūminis, n. - eye
luxuriēs, luxuriēi, f. - extravagance, luxury

M

macer, macra, macrum - meagre, poor, small
magister, magistrī, m. - teacher
magistrātus, magistrātūs, m. - magistrate, public official
magnitūdō, magnitūdinis, f. - great size, magnitude
magnus, magna, magnum - big, great, important, large
maior, maius - greater, older
maiōrēs, māiōrum, m.pl. - ancestors, grandfathers
maiōrēs nātū - elders
male - badly
manus, manūs, f. - hand
Marcellus, Marcellī, m. - Marcellus
Marō, Marōnis, m. - (the writings of) Maro (= Virgil)
Māvors, Māvortis, m. - Mars, god of war
campus Māvortis - the Campus Martius, the field of Mars (public area in Rome used as military exercise ground)
maximus, maxima, maximum - esteemed, greatest, very great
memoria, memoriae, f. - memory
mēnsa, mēnsae, f. - dinner
merācus, merāca, merācum - strong, undiluted
mercēs, mercēdis, f. - pay, salary, wages
mereō, merēre, meruī, meritus - deserve
meus, mea, meum - my
minimus, minima, minimum - least, smallest
minor, gen. minōris - younger
minus - less
miserandus, miseranda, miserandum - pitiable, unfortunate
mittō, mittere, mīsī, missus - send
modo - only
nōn modo ... vērum etiam - not only ... but also
morbōsus, morbōsa, morbōsum - unnaturally interested
morior, morī, mortuus sum - die
mōs, mōris, m. - custom, practice
mōtor, mōtōris, m. - mover, person who rocks (a cradle)
multus, multa, multum - much
multī, multae, multa - many
quid multa? - why should I say more?
mūnus, mūneris, n. - duty
Mūsa, Mūsae, f. - Muse
mustella, mustellae, f. - weasel

N

nam - for
nātus, nātūs, m. - birth
maiōrēs nātū - elders
nē - lest, that, not
nē ... quidem - not even
nec - and not, nor
nec ... nec - neither ... nor
nēmō, nēminis, m. - no one, nobody
nēnia, nēniae, f. - (in plural) fixations, hobbies
nepōs, nepōtis, m. - descendant
neque - and not, nor
niger, nigra, nigrum - black, blackened
nigrēscō, nigrēscere, nigrū - become black
nihil, n. - nothing
nīl, n. - = nihil
nimius, nimia, nimium - too much
nimium - excessively, too
nisi - except
nōlō, nōlle, nōluī - be unwilling, not want, refuse
nōmen, nōminis, n. - name
nōminō, nōmināre, nōmināvī, nōminātus - mention, name
nōn - not
nōn modo ... vērum etiam - not only ... but also
nōs - us, we
noster, nostra, nostrum - our, our own
nōvī, nōvisse - know
nox, noctis, f. - darkness, night
numerō, numerāre, numerāvī - count
numquam - never
nunc - now

O

ō - O!
oborior, oborīrī, obortus sum - spring up, well up
observō, observāre, observāvī, observātus - spy, watch
obtegō, obtegere, obtēxī, obtēctus - hide
obvius, obvia, obvium + dat. - (going) against, meeting with
sē obvius ferre - to carry oneself against, go up against, confront
occidō, occidere, occidī, occisus - kill
octōnī, octōnae, octōna - eight, eight each
oculus, oculī, m. - eye
olfaciō, olfacere, olfēcī, olfactus - smell
ōlim - some day, sometime
omnis, omne - all, every
onus, oneris, n. - burden, load
opprobrium, opprobriī, n. - insult, slander
ōrātor, ōrātōris, m. - orator
Orcus, Orcī, m. - death, the god of the underworld
orior, orīrī, ortus sum - be born
ōrnātus, ōrnāta, ōrnātum - distinguished
ostendō, ostendere, ostendī, ostentus - show

P

Palaemōn, Palaemonis, m. - *Palaemon*
pānis, pānis, m. - *bread, food*
parēns, parentis, m. - *father, parent*
pāreō, pārere, pārui - *obey*
pars, partis, f. - *part*
quattuor partēs - *four times table (in arithmetic)*
partim - *in part, partly*
partim ... partim - *some ... some*
parum - *not very, too little*
parvus, parva, parvum - *little, small*
passim - *far and wide*
pater, patris, m. - *father*
paucī, paucae, pauca - *few*
pauper, pauperis, m. - *poor man*
paveō, pavere, pāvī - *fear*
pedes, peditis, m. - *foot-soldier*
per + acc. - *after, through*
percipiō, percipere, percēpī, perceptus - *get, learn, obtain*
perducō, perducere, perdūxī, perductus - *bring, lead*
pereō, perire, perī, peritus - *count for nothing*
permittō,mittere, permīsī, permissus - *allow, permit*
persuādeō, persuādere, persuāsī - *persuade*
pertineō, pertinere, pertinui - *lead*
pertinere ad - *to lead to, take care of*
petō, petere, petīvī, petitus - *ask for, claim, seek*
pietās, pietātis, f. - *duty, piety*
pingō, pingere, pīnxī, pictus - *paint*
plēnus, plēna, plēnum - *full*
populus, populī, m. - *people, populace*
portō, portare, portāvī, portātus - *bring, take*
possum, posse, potui - *be able, can*
postea - *afterwards*
potēns, gen. potentis - *powerful*
potestās, potestātis, f. - *ability, authority*
prae + abl. - *because of, from*
praebeō, praebere, praebuī, praebitus - *give, offer, provide, supply*
praeceptor, praeceptoris, m. - *instructor, teacher*
praecō, praecōnis, m. - *auctioneer*
praedicō, praedicare, praedicāvī, praedicātus - *make known, name*
praemium, praemii, n. - *reward*
praemordeō, praemordere, praemorsī, praemorsus - *nibble away*
praeterlābor, praeterlābī, praeterlāpsus sum - *glide past*
prīmus, prīma, prīmum - *first, foremost, most important*
prīscus, prīscā, prīscum - *ancient*
prō + abl. - *acting as, as*
prōditiō, prōditiōnis, f. - *treason*
profūsus, profūsa, profūsum - *excessive, unrestrained*
prōgnātus, prōgnāta, prōgnātum, m. - *child, offspring*
propāgō, propāginis, f. - *race*
propior, propius - *closer, nearer*
proprius, propria, proprium - *lasting, permanent*
propter + acc. - *because of*
prūdentia, prūdentiae, f. - *sense, wisdom*

pūblicus, pūblica, pūblicum - *public*
puḍicus, puḍica, puḍicum - *innocent, virtuous*
puella, puellae, f. - *girl, girlfriend*
puer, puerī, m. - *boy, boyhood, son, young man*
pungō, pungere, pupugī, pūctus - *prick*
purpureus, purpurea, purpureum - *brilliant, purple*

Q

quā - *in any way, somehow*
quaerō, quaerere, quaesivī, quaesitus - *ask about*
quam - *how, so, than*
ante ... quam - *before*
tam ... quam - *as ... so*
quantus, quanta, quantum - *how big, how great*
quantō - *by as much as, by how much*
quantō ... tantō - *by how much ... by that much*
quantum - *as much as*
quārtus, quārta, quārtum - *fourth*
quattuor - *four*
quattuor partēs - *four times table (in arithmetic)*
-que - *and*
queror, querī, questus sum - *complain, protest*
quī, quae, quod - *who, what, which, that*
quia - *because*
quicumque, quaecumque, quodcumque - *whatever*
quid? - *why?*
quid multa? - *why should I say more?*
quīdam, quaedam, quoddam - *certain, some*
quidem - *even*
nē ... quidem - *not even*
quis? quid? - *who? which? what?*
quis, quid - *anyone, someone*
quisque, quidque - *anyone, someone*
quisquam, quicquam - *anyone, anything, any*
quisque, quaeque, quodque - *each*
quisquis, quicquid - *whatever, whoever*
quīvis, quaevis, quodvis - *any*
quō - *(to) where*
quod - *because*
quod sī - *but if*
quondam - *ever, in time to come, one day*
quoque - *also*
quot - *as many, how many*
totidem ... quot - *the same number ... as*

R

rapiō, rapere, rapuī, raptus - seize, snatch away, take
rārus, rāra, rārum - rare
recēns, gen. recentis - fresh, recent
recordor, recordārī, recordātus sum - recall, remember
referō, referre, rettulī, relātus - bring, carry, pay an account, propose a motion
regiō, regiōnis, f. - region
rēgula, rēgulae, f. - principle, rule
rēs, rei, f. - business, property
restitūtiō, restitūtiōnis, f. - reinstatement, restoration
reus, rei, m. - accused party, defendant (against a charge)
revertor, revertī, reversus sum - come back, return
rhētor, rhētoris, m. - a teacher of public speaking, rhetor, rhetorician
Rōma, Rōmae, f. - Rome
Rōmam - to Rome
Rōmānus, Rōmāna, Rōmānum - Roman
Rōmulus, Rōmula, Rōmulum - of Romulus
rubricātus, rubricātum, rubricātum - with headings drawn in red
liber rubricātus - legal book, book on law
rudīmentum, rudīmentī, n. - first lesson, the basics
rumpō, rumpere, rūpī, ruptus - break (free), burst, shatter
rūsticus, rūstica, rūsticum - simple, uneducated

S

saevus, saeva, saevum - harsh
saltem - at least
sānitās, sānitātis, f. - health, soundness
sapiēns, gen. sapientis - wise
sē - herself, himself, itself, themselves, (the '-met' suffix adds emphasis)
sē iactāre - to speak boastfully about oneself, to boast
sē obvius ferre - to carry oneself against, go up against, confront
secundus, secunda, secundum - second
sed - but, however, instead, yet
senātor, senātoris, m. - member of the Senate, senator
senātorius, senātorīa, senātorium - of the Senate
sentiō, sentīre, sēnsī, sēnsus - consider, feel
sequor, sequī, secūtus sum - aim at, attend, follow, pursue
servō, servāre, servāvī, servātus - keep, preserve, protect
servus, servī, m. - slave
seu - or
seu ... seu - whether ... or
sevērītās, sevērītātis, f. - sternness, strictness
sī - if, if only
quod sī - but if
sīc - in this way, so, thus
sinō, sinere, sīvī, situs - allow, let
sitis, sitis, f. - thirst
sōlum - merely, only

spargō, spargere, sparsī, sparsus - scatter, spread
spectātor, spectātōris, m. - observer, spectator
spēs, spēi, f. - hope
spūmō, spūmare, spūmāvī, spūmātus - foam
statim - immediately
stīpendia, stīpendiōrum, n.pl. - military service
stirps, stirpis, f. - family, line
stō, stāre, stetī, status - attend, stand
strepitus, strepitūs, m. - chatter
sūdārium, sūdārii, n. - towel
sum, esse, fuī - be
summus, summa, summum - great, important
sūmō, sūmere, sūmpsī, sūmptus - put on
sūmptus, sūmptūs, m. - expenditure, expense
super + acc. - at, over
superī, superōrum, m.pl. - gods
suspendō, suspendere, suspendī, suspēnsus - dangle, hang
suspīrium, suspīrii, n. - sigh
suus, sua, suum - her, his, their own

T

tabula, tabulae, f. - writing-tablet
tam - as
tam ... quam - as ... so
tamen - however, nevertheless, yet
tamquam - as if, as well as
tantō - by so much
quantō ... tantō - by how much ... by that much
tantum - only, so much, to such an extent
tellūs, tellūris, f. - land
temperō, temperāre, temperāvī, temperātus - hold back, restrain oneself
terra, terrae, f. - world
tertius, tertia, tertium - third
thēsaurus, thēsaurī, m. - treasure
Tiberīnus, Tiberīna, Tiberīnum - river Tiber
timeō, timēre, timuī - be afraid, fear
tollō, tollere, sustulī, sublātus - lift, raise
tondeō, tondēre, totondī, tōnsus - shave
tonstrīnum, tonstrīnī, n. - a career as a barber
totidem - the same number
totidem ... quot - the same number ... as
tōtus, tōta, tōtum - whole
trādō, trādere, trādidī, trādītus - pass on
trēs, tria - three
tribūnus, tribūnī, m. - tribune
triēns, trientis, m. - drinking cup
trīstis, trīste - sad
tū, tuī - you (singular)
tum - then
tumulus, tumulī, m. - tomb
turpis, turpis, turpe - disgraceful, dishonourable, shameful
tuus, tua, tuum - your (singular), yours
tuī, tuōrum - your men, your descendants
Tyrius, Tyria, Tyrium - Tyrian (referring to the famous purple dye), of Tyre

U

ūllus, ūlla, ūllum - any

ultrā - longer, more

umbra, umbrae, f. - shade, shadow

ūnā - together

unguis, unguis, m. - fingernail

unguō, unguere, ūnxī, ūnctus - anoint with oil

urbs, urbis, f. - city

ut - as, as is the way, so that, that, to

V

vacō, vacāre, vacāvī - (of time) is available, is free

vagor, vagārī, vagātus sum - roam, wander

-ve - or

vel - indeed

veniō, venīre, vēnī - come

verbum, verbī, n. - word

vertō, vertere, vertī, versus - change, turn, turn
around

versā vice - in turn, on the other hand

vitiō vertere - find fault with, turn the blame on

vērūm - but

nōn modo ... vērum etiam - not only ... but also

vērus, vēra, vērum - real, true

vestis, vestis, f. - clothes, clothing

vetustus, vetusta, vetustum - senior

vicis, f. - change

versā vice - in turn, on the other hand

videō, vidēre, vidī, vīsus - observe, see

videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - seem

vīlicus, vīlicī, m. - farm manager

vīlla, vīllae, f. - house, villa

vincō, vincere, vīcī, victus - outdo, surpass

vindicō, vindicāre, vindicāvī, vindicātus - claim

vir, virī, m. - man

virtūs, virtūtis, f. - excellence, goodness, virtue

vīs, f. - power

vitium, vitīi, n. - error, fault

vitiō vertere - find fault with, turn the blame on

vīvō, vīvere, vīxī - live, survive

vix - scarcely, with difficulty

volō, velle, voluī - want, wish

voluptās, voluptātis, f. - passion

vōs - you (plural) (the -met suffix adds emphasis)

vultus, vultūs, m. - expression, face