

CAMWS Attendees are invited to stop in and observe our

Let's Learn Latin Workshop

Anytime on Friday to see Ascanius in action!

Friday, April 13 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Turquoise Room

The Let's Learn Latin workshop will introduce non-Latin teachers at the elementary school and middle school levels to the world of Latin and the ancient Romans through a series of engaging lessons. Teachers get to play the role of students, learning the material through the same activities and lessons that they will be able to use in their own classrooms. Participants will enjoy learning the basics of Latin, by working through 50% or more of a colorful, interesting, kid-friendly text called Minimus, richly supplemented by effective and innovative activities to practice the material. Other topics include Latin vocabulary, word roots, and Roman culture and mythology - all of which integrate seamlessly with Minimus. No previous experience with Latin is needed!

Ascanius is a nonprofit organization dedicated to advancing the knowledge of and inspiring lifelong learning about Latin, Greek, and the ancient Greco-Roman world, especially at the elementary and middle school levels. We offer workshops to introduce children to Classical Studies, scholarships to assist older students in creating their own programs, and publications and a membership program to give teachers the resources they need.



Selected Programs & Publications for 2017-2018

Classical Promise Scholarships: Funding Available!

Your high school or college Latin students can apply for funding, materials, and mentorship to support them in bringing a Latin and Classical Studies program to elementary & middle school children in their hometown! Great for Latin Clubs or Eta Sigma Phi chapters!

Become an Ascanius Member!

Want a 20% discount on e-book publications and a 10% discount on the SCRĪBŌ contest? Want free e-copies of selected Ascanius publications? Want to receive a bi-monthly e-newsletter including advice, tips, and a brandnew, ready-to-use Classical Studies activity (with ancillary materials!) for the elementary or middle grades in every issue? Want access to an exclusive "Members-Only" site with teaching materials and resources? Want to support our programs for students and teachers? If so, become an Ascanius member for only \$25 per year! (Membership lasts one year from the season in which you join.)

We offer a wide range of publications, including:

Activitates Liberis Our curriculum guide series includes exciting lessons and hands-on activities. Over 100 pages of lessons, worksheets, and handouts in each volume. Slideshows and audio recordings available online. Background information included for each lesson: no previous experience with Classics necessary!

Vocabula Picta This Latin picture dictionary provides illustrated definitions for hundreds of Latin vocabulary words. The selection creates a bridge between the ancient and modern world by including vocabulary as used in Classical Latin, as well as words for modern objects and ideas. Words are arranged thematically so that they can be accessed easily during written and spoken activities in the classroom.

Alpha is for Anthropos An alphabet book in Ancient Greek with an original Greek nursery rhyme for each letter of the Greek alphabet. Exquisite and playful illustrations in the style of Greek red-figure vase paintings complement the verses. Alpha is for Anthropos is a joyous introduction to Ancient Greek and the art and iconography of vase painting. A coloring book and teacher's guide are also available.

