MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

LATIN III

Montgomery County Public Schools

Reading for Understanding

- LIII.1 The student will comprehend and interpret adapted and authentic Latin texts based on a variety of topics.
 - 1 Read for information.
 - 2 Interpret increasingly complex language structures, and expand vocabulary.
 - 3 Recognize and explain some figures of speech and stylistic features in Latin texts.
 - 4 Identify social, political, and historical implications of the work(s) read.

Using Oral and Written Language for Understanding

- LIII.2 The student will increase skills in reading and interpreting Latin orally.
 - 1 Read Latin aloud with consistent pronunciation, meaningful phrase grouping, and appropriate voice inflection.
 - 2 Begin to incorporate rhythm, meter, and rhetorical devices in oral presentation.

Cultural Perspectives, Practices, and Products

- LIII.3 The student will examine interrelationships among the perspectives, practices, and products of Roman civilization.
 - 1 Understand that literary and nonliterary products reflect practices and perspectives of the Roman world.
 - 2 Expand knowledge of archaeological evidence, art forms, and artifacts as reflections of Roman perspectives and practices.
 - 3 Analyze the role of geography and the military in the history and development of the Roman world.
 - 4 Examine the effect of Roman political and social systems on private and public life.
 - 5 Analyze the multicultural aspects of the Roman world---for example, Cleopatra and Egypt, the Jews and Masada, Vercingetorix and Gaul---and their effects on the perspectives and practices of the Romans.

Making Connections through Language

- LIII.4 The student will reinforce and broaden knowledge of connections between Latin and other subject areas.
 - 1 Analyze aspects of Roman cultures that are also found in modern cultures, such as art, architecture, and language.
 - 2 Relate topics studied in other subject areas to those studied in Latin class, such as the use of Latin words in scientific and legal terminology.

- LIII.5 The student will strengthen knowledge of the English language through analysis of complex linguistic and syntactical elements of the Latin language.
 - 1 Apply principles of word building and analysis.
 - 2 Analyze the structure of English by applying knowledge of linguistic concepts and terminology, such as subjunctive uses, indirect discourse, and verbals.
- LIII.6 The student will discuss why similarities and differences exist within and among cultures.
 - 1 Compare and contrast aspects of Roman culture, such as social, military, political, and economic systems, with those of other cultures.
 - 2 Explain the relationships between historical events and the development of culture(s) in the Roman world and in the United States, for example transitions from monarchic rule to representative government.

Interacting in School and Global Communities

- LIII.7 The student will continue to apply knowledge of the Latin language and Roman culture beyond the classroom setting for recreational, educational, and occupational purposes.
 - 1 Expand Latin language skills and cultural knowledge through the use of media, entertainment, and occupations.
 - 2 Locate and use resources, such as technology, individuals, organizations, and institutions to broaden cultural understanding.