

The Final Exam

The Final Exam will focus on the following:

- A. ALL Latin and Greek forms (BASES, affixes) studied in the class
- B. the process of analyzing words from Classical languages
- C. linguistic principles and terminology (assimilation, reduplication, etc.)
- D. the material covered in the last part of the class
 - 1. words from various ("idiomatic") sources
 - 2. Medical/Scientific terminology (Chpts. XX-XXV)
 - 3. definitions of particular words (Chpts. IX-XIX)

Diathesis of the Final Exam

I. **Matching** (130 pts. total)

A. **Medical and Scientific Terms** (40 pts.)

- 1. match word (left) to its definition (right)
- 2. two sections of 10 items
 - a. 2 pts. each
 - b. use each word/definition only once
- 3. concentrating on BASES and affixes in Chapters 20-25 (pp. 257-280)

B. **Linguistic Terms** (30 pts.)

- 1. match term (left) to examples of the term (right)
- 2. three examples for each term
- 3. one section of 15 items
 - a. 2 pts. each
 - b. use each term/set of examples only once
- 4. Terms To Know:

ACRONYM

AFFIX

APHERESIS

ASSIMILATION

BACK FORMATION

BASE/ROOT

BLEND

CHANGE FROM CONCRETE TO
ABSTRACT

CHANGE FROM ABSTRACT TO
CONCRETE

CIRCUMLOCUTION

CLIP(PED WORD)

COGNATE(S)

DEGENERATION

DERIVATIVE

DIMINUTIVE

DISSIMILATION

DOUBLET(S)

ELEVATION

ETYMOLOGY

EUPHEMISM

FOLK ETYMOLOGY

FUNCTIONAL CHANGE

GENERALIZATION

HOMONYM

HYBRID (WORD)

HYPERBOLE

INCHOATIVE

LOAN WORD

METAPHOR

METATHESIS

ONOMATOPOEIA
PARTICIPLE
PREFIX
REDUPLICATION
SPECIALIZATION

SUBSTANTIVE
SUFFIX
VOWEL GRADATION
WEAKENING

C. Definitions (40 pts.)

1. match word (left) to its definition (right)
2. two sections of 10 words
 - a. 2 pts. each
 - b. use each word/definition only once
 - c. separate sections for 3.a and 3.b (below)
3. Words To Know (by definition!)
 - a. from Greek (Ayers, pp. 250-256):
 - p.250: 2, 3, 4
 - p.251: 5, 8, 2, 4-7, 9
 - p.252: 10, 4-6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14
 - p.253: 15
 - p.255: 4, 9, 10, 12, 15
 - p.256: 17, 21
 - b. from idiomatic sources: Ayers, Chpts. 8-19, pp. 204-256

D. Sources of Words (20 pts.)

1. match three words or expressions (right) with their source (left)
 - a. Chapters 9-19 (Greek)
 - b. examples may include terms in the book, as well as those mentioned in class and on the web site
2. one section of 10 words
 - a. 2 pts. each
 - b. use each word/source only once
3. Sources To Know:

Place Names
Expressions
Christian Sources
Non-Christian Sources
Sea-Terms

Sports and Games
Military Terms
The Arts
The Law
Literary Terms

II. Word Components (70 pts. total)

A. Prefixes (20 pts.)

1. identify and define the prefixes in given words
2. from Latin and Greek

B. BASES (30 pts.)

1. identify and define the BASES in given words
2. from Latin and Greek

C. Suffixes (20 pts.)

1. identify and define the suffixes in given words
2. from Latin and Greek

III. Sentences (100 pts. total)

- A. Break words into components, give part of speech, then define components and word in context
- B. 3-6 points for definition with one third credit for each of the following:
 1. etymological definition
 2. attempt to create a contextual definition
 3. correct contextual definition
- C. Words will consist of Latin and Greek bases and affixes (hybrids, too!)
- D. Eight (8) sentences total
 1. n.b. BE SURE TO ACCOUNT FOR EVERY LETTER IN A WORD and DO NOT USE ANY (SINGLE) LETTER TWICE!!!