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**LEVEL 1**

**UNIT 9531 (Themes)**

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1 hour

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Theme A <b>or</b> B	Total Mark
	50

**ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

Text and vocabulary booklet.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

You should answer **either** on Theme A (*otium*) **or** Theme B (*Love and Marriage*).

Make sure that you have the text and vocabulary booklet provided for use in this examination.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The total mark available in this paper is 50.

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers that involve extended writing, i.e. question 5 in Theme A and question 6 in Theme B.

**Theme A***otium*

Answer **all** the following questions, referring to the text and the vocabulary provided.

Your answers should be in English unless you are asked to quote the Latin.

1. The following questions are about MARTIAL, *The Good Life* and HORACE, *The pleasures of country life*.

- (a) Both poets mention visiting the homes of powerful people. Why do they make these visits? [2]

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- (b) Why do you think they dislike making these visits? [1]

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- (c) According to the passages, are the following statements true or false? Write either T (true) or F (false) in the box beside each statement. [4]

A Horace likes the idea of spending time in the country

B The poet Martial has plenty of spare time

C The poet Martial would like to spend time with his friend

D Horace likes visiting the forum

2. The following questions are about OVID, *A good place to find a girl*.

- (a) In **line 2** (*haec ... tuo*), which **Latin** word suggests that theatres are good places to find a girlfriend? [1]

- (b) In **lines 3-4** (*illic ... velis*), Ovid lists four types of girlfriend. Which of the following is the Latin for 'someone you would like to hold onto'?

Tick the box  next to your chosen answer. [1]

A *quod ames*

B *quod ludere possis*

C *quodque semel tangas*

D *quodque tenere velis*

- (c) In **lines 5-9** (*ut redit ... ludos*), Ovid compares the crowds going to the theatre with two creatures.

- (i) What are they? [2]

- (ii) What is each doing?

creature 1: ..... [2]

creature 2: ..... [2]

- (iii) Why do you think he chooses these examples? [2]

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(d) Look at **line 11** (*spectatum ... ipsae*).

(i) What **two** reasons does Ovid give for the women coming to the theatre? [2]

Reason 1: .....

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Reason 2: .....

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(ii) What makes this line stand out? Give **two** examples. [2]

Example 1: .....

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Example 2: .....

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3. The following questions are about OVID, *How ordinary people enjoy a festival*.

(a) **Line 1** (*Idibus ... Perennae*):

(i) whom does this festival honour? [1]

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(ii) when does it take place? [1]

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(b) **In line 2** (*non ... tuis*), why is the river described as *advena*? [1]

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(c) (i) **In lines 7-8** (*pars ... togas*), in your own words, explain what this section of the crowd is doing. Give full details. [2]

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(ii) **In line 9** (*sole ... calent*), what **two** things warm up the people? [2]

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(d) **Lines 9-12** (*annosque ... suos*):

(i) what do the people hope to get in return for each drink they have? [1]

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(ii) why does Ovid mention Nestor and Sibylla? [1]

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(e) **In lines 13-17** (*illic ... titubant*), Ovid describes the effects the drink has on the people. Give **three** things they do. [3]

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(f) **In lines 17-18** (*et sunt ... vocat*), what impression do the festival-goers give to the public? Make **two** points. [2]

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**Theme B*****Love and Marriage***

Answer **all** the following questions, referring to the text and the vocabulary provided.

Your answers should be in English unless you are asked to quote the Latin.

1. The following questions are about *Epitaph to Claudia*.

(a) What is an epitaph? [1]

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(b) In **line 1**, why do you think this epitaph is addressed to a stranger? [1]

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(c) **Lines 5-6** (*'she bore ... the earth'*): in your own words describe the different fortunes of Claudia's two sons. [1]

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(d) What impression of Claudia and her family do you think the epitaph was intended to give? Make **three** points and give evidence for each. [3]

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2. The following questions are about CATULLUS, *Poem 5*.

(a) In **line 3**, what was an '*as*'? [1]

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(b) In **lines 4-6** (*'suns ... through'*) what contrast does Catullus make between the sun and human life? [2]

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(c) How do the last two lines of the poem explain why Catullus asks for so many kisses? [1]

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3. The following questions are about CATULLUS, *Poem 8*.

(a) In **lines 1-2** (*miser ... ducas*), what has happened to make Catullus *miser*? [1]

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(b) In **line 2**, why do you think Catullus puts *perisse* and *perditum* next to each other? [2]

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(c) Which is the best translation of **line 3** *fulsere quondam candidi tibi soles*?

Tick the box  next to your chosen answer. [1]

A Truly the white sun gleamed on you

B Once the suns shone brightly for you

C Once you alone shone bright

D Once you used to shine brightly

(d) Pick out and write down the **Latin** word in **line 9** which Catullus uses to show how he feels. [1]

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(e) In **lines 9-11** (*tu ... obdura*), Catullus gives himself a lot of orders. Give **three** (in English). [3]

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(iii) .....

(f) In lines 12-14 (*vale ... nulla*), are the following statements about the girl true or false? Write either T (true) or F (false) in the box beside each statement. [4]

A Catullus says that she will be sad

B He will still call on her

C Catullus says goodbye to her

D Lots of people will ask her out

(g) In lines 15-18 (*scelesta ... mordebis*), Catullus asks the girl a series of questions.

(i) Why do you think he does this? [1]

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(ii) What do you think makes these questions stand out? Make **two** points. [2]

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(iii) What do you think is the answer to the questions in lines 16-18? [1]

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4. The following questions are about CATULLUS, *Poem 70*.

(a) In lines 1-2 (*'my woman ... ask her'*), who is Jupiter? [1]

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(b) Explain in your own words why Catullus mentions wind and water in line 4. [3]

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5. The following questions are about PLINY, *To Calpurnia Hispulla, his wife's aunt*.

(a) In lines 1-2 (*cum sis ... diligis*), what evidence does Pliny give for calling Calpurnia Hispulla *pietatis exemplum* ('an example of dutifulness')? [2]

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(b) (i) In lines 3-6 (*maxime ... frugalitas*), for what **three** reasons does he say Calpurnia Hispulla will rejoice? [3]

Reason 1: .....

Reason 2: .....

Reason 3: .....

(ii) In lines 5-6 (*summum est acumen, summa frugalitas*), how does Pliny draw attention to Calpurnia's shrewdness and thrift? [1]

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(c) Pliny is confident that this marriage will work.

(i) From lines 17-19 (*illa ... meam*), give **two** reasons why he thinks this. [2]

Reason 1: .....

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Reason 2: .....

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(ii) Do you think Pliny is right to be so confident? Explain your answer. [2]

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THEME A: *otium***Martial, *Epigrams V.20*  
*The good life***

If I were allowed, my dear Martial,  
 To enjoy carefree days with you,  
 If I were allowed to arrange leisure time  
 And to have time for a real life together,  
 We should not be familiar with the halls nor the houses of the powerful, 5  
 Nor grim lawsuits and the melancholy forum,  
 Nor proud statues,  
 But riding, plays, little books,  
 The Campus Martius, colonnades, shade, the Virgo aqueduct, baths,  
 These would be our constant haunts, these our occupations. 10  
 For the moment, neither of us lives for himself,  
 But each notices the good days fly by and vanish,  
 Days which are gone from us, but which are charged against our account.  
 Does anyone delay when he knows how to live?

**Horace, *Epodes II.1-8, 23-28*  
*The pleasures of country life***

Blessed is he who, far from business,  
 Like the ancient race of mortals,  
 Ploughs his family fields with his own oxen,  
 Free from all debt; 5  
 He is neither a soldier, roused by the stern war-trumpet,  
 Nor does he shudder in fear at the angry sea,  
 And he keeps clear of the forum and  
 The proud doorsteps of more powerful citizens.  
 It is pleasant to lie sometimes beneath an ancient holm-oak,  
 Sometimes in the firm grass. 10  
 Meanwhile the rivers slide between high banks,  
 Birds chatter in the woods,  
 Springs babble with trickling waters  
 Inviting gentle slumbers.

**Catullus, Poem 13**  
***Catullus invites a friend to dinner***

You will dine well with me, my dear Fabullus,  
 In a few days (if the gods favour you),  
 If you bring with you a good, big meal,  
 Nor forgetting a pretty girl,  
 And wine and salt-wit and all kinds of laughter. 5  
 If, as I say, you bring these things, my charming friend,  
 You will dine well; for your Catullus' purse  
 Is full of cobwebs.  
 But in return, you will receive my undiluted affection,  
 Or what is sweeter and more elegant: 10  
 For I shall give you a perfume, which  
 The Venuses and Cupids gave to my girlfriend,  
 And when you smell this perfume, Fabullus,  
 You will ask the gods to make you all nose.

**Ovid, *Ars Amatoria* 1.89-100**  
***A good place to find a girl***

sed tu praecipue curvis venare theatris;  
 haec loca sunt voto fertilia tuo.  
 illic invenies quod ames, quod ludere possis,  
 quodque semel tangas, quodque tenere velis. 5  
 ut redit itque frequens longum formica per agmen,  
 granifero solitum cum vehit ore cibum,  
 aut ut apes saltusque suos et olentia nactae  
 pascua per flores et thyma summa volant,  
 sic ruit ad celebres cultissima femina ludos;  
 copia iudicium saepe morata meum est. 10  
 spectatum veniunt, veniunt spectentur ut ipsae;  
 ille locus casti damna pudoris habet.



**Ovid, *Fasti* III.523-540**  
***How ordinary people enjoy a festival***

Idibus est Annae festum geniale Perennae  
 non procul a ripis, advena Thybri, tuis.  
 plebs venit ac virides passim disiecta per herbas  
 potat et accumbit cum pare quisque sua;  
 sub love pars durat, pauci tentoria ponunt, 5  
 sunt quibus e ramis frondea facta casa est;  
 pars, ubi pro rigidis calamos statuere columnis,  
 desuper extentas imposuere togas.  
 sole tamen vinoque calent annosque precantur,  
 quot sumant cyathos, ad numerumque bibunt; 10  
 invenies illic qui Nestoris ebibat annos,  
 quae sit per calices facta Sibylla suos.  
 illic et cantant quidquid didicere theatris,  
 et iactant faciles ad sua verba manus  
 et ducunt posito duras cratera choreas, 15  
 cultaque diffusis saltat amica comis.  
 cum redeunt, titubant et sunt spectacula vulgi,  
 et fortunatos obvia turba vocat.

**Pliny, *Letters* 3.5**  
***A day in the life of Pliny the Elder***

Before dawn, my uncle Pliny used to go to the emperor Vespasian (for he too was accustomed to work through the night), then on to the duty assigned to him. When he returned home, he devoted his remaining time to his studies. Often after a snack (which being during the day was a light and easily digested meal as in the manner of our forefathers) in the summer, if 5  
 there was any time for leisure, he used to lie in the sun; a book was read to him, and he would make notes and take extracts; for he read nothing from which he did not take extracts. Indeed he used to say that there was no book so bad that it was not useful in some part. After lying in the sun, he usually 10  
 took a bath in cold water, then had a snack and had a very short nap; soon, as if it were a new day, he would study until dinner-time. During dinner, a book was read and notes taken, all very quickly.  
 These activities took place in the midst of his work and the bustle of the city. When he was away from the city, it was only bath-time that interrupted his 15  
 studies (when I say "baths", I am speaking of the inner rooms, for while he was being scraped and dried he used to listen to or dictate something). On a journey, as though released from all other cares, he devoted himself to this one thing; at his side with a book and writing tablets, was a secretary whose hands were protected in winter by gloves, so that not even the harshness of

the season should snatch any time away from study. For this reason he used to travel in Rome too in a litter. I recall that I was scolded by him, because I was walking; "You could have avoided," he said, "wasting these hours", for he believed that any time not spent on studies was wasted. Goodbye. 20

**Pliny, Letters 7.24**  
***Ummidia Quadratilla***

Ummidia Quadratilla paulo minus octogesimo aetatis anno decessit; erat femina usque ad novissimum morbum viridis, cuius corpus compactum et robustum erat, ultra matronalem modum.

testamentum eius erat optimum: reliquit heredes ex besse nepotem, ex tertia parte neptem. neptem vix novi, nepotem familiarissime diligo, iuvenem singularem quem etiam ei quos sanguine non attingit tamquam propinquum amant. nam primum, quamquam pulcherrimus erat, et puer et iuvenis omnes sermones malignorum vitavit; deinde intra quartum et vicensimum annum maritus fuit et, si deus adnuisset, fuisset pater. 5 10

vixit apud aviam delicatam severissime et tamen obsequentissime. habebat illa pantomimos fovebatque, effusius quam decorum erat feminae nobili. hos Quadratus non in theatro, non domi spectabat, nec illa postulabat. cum studia nepotis sui mihi mandaret, dixit se solere, ut feminam in illo otio sexus, laxare animum lusu calculorum, solere spectare pantomimos suos, sed cum factura esset alterutrum, semper se nepoti suo imperavisse ut abiret studeretque; quod mihi non solum amore facere sed etiam reverentia videbatur. 15 20

miraberis, et ego miratus sum: proximis sacerdotalibus ludis, productis in commissione pantomimis, cum simul ego et Quadratus theatro egrederemur, dixit mihi: 'scisne me hodie primum vidisse saltantem aviae meae libertum?' hoc nepos. at hercle alienissimi homines in honorem Quadratillae (pudet me dixisse honorem) adulatione in theatrum cursitabant exsultabant plaudebant mirabantur; deinde singulos gestus dominae cum canticis reddebant; qui nunc minima legata pro praemio accipient ab herede, qui eos numquam spectabat. vale. 25 30



## Unit 9531 Theme A: otium - Complete Vocabulary

## A

ā, ab + *abl.* - *from*  
 abeō, abire, abiī - *go away*  
 ac - *and*  
 accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - *receive*  
 accumbō, accumbere, accubūī - *lie down*  
 ad + *acc.* - *to*  
 adnuō, adnuere, adnuī, adnūtus - *assent, approve, grant*  
 adulātiō, adulātiōnis - *flattery*  
 advena, advenae - *foreigner*  
 aetās, aetātis - *life*  
 agmen, agminis - *procession*  
 aliēnus, aliēna, aliēnum - *unknown, strange; aliēnissimī*  
 hominēs: *complete strangers*  
 alteruter, alterutra, alterutrum - *either of the two*  
 amīca, amīcae - *girl, girl-friend*  
 amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - *love*  
 amor, amoris - *love*  
 animus, animī - *mind*  
 Anna, Annae - *Anna Perenna, a goddess of the year*  
 annus, annī - *year*  
 apis, apis - *bee*  
 apud + *acc.* - *with, at the house of*  
 at - *but*  
 attingō, attingere, attingī - *be related to*  
 aut - *or*  
 avia, aviae - *grandmother*

## B

bes, bessis - *two-thirds*  
 bibō, bibere, bibī - *drink*

## C

calamus, calamī - *reed*  
 calculī, calculōrum - *draughts*  
 caleō, calēre, caluī - *be flushed, be warm*  
 calix, calicis - *cup*  
 canticum, canticī - *song*  
 cāntō, cāntāre, cāntāvī - *sing, chant*  
 casa, casae - *house*  
 castus, casta, castum - *chaste*  
 ceber, cebris, celebre - *crowded*  
 chorēa, chorēae - *dance*  
 cibus, cibī - *food*  
 columna, columnae - *column*  
 coma, comae - *hair*  
 commissiō, commissiōnis - *opening event*  
 compāctus, compācta, compāctum - *strong*  
 cōpia, cōpiae - *abundance*  
 corpus, corporis - *body*  
 crātēr, crātēris - *wine bowl*  
 cultus, culta, cultum - *elegant, smart, well-dressed, dolled up*  
 cum (1) - *when*  
 cum (2) + *abl.* - *with*  
 cursitō, cursitāre, cursitāvī - *stream*  
 curvus, curva, curvum - *rounded, curved*  
 cyathus, cyathī - *servicing of wine*

## D

damnum, damnī - *loss, damage*  
 decēdō, decēdere, decēssī - *die*  
 decōrus, decōra, decōrum - *right, proper*  
 deinde - *then*  
 dēlicātus, dēlicāta, dēlicātum - *luxury-loving*  
 dēsuper - *over*  
 deus, deī - *god*  
 dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - *say*  
 diffūsus, diffūsa, diffūsum - *let down, streaming*  
 dīligō, dīligere, dīlēxī, dīlēctus - *be fond of, love*

discō, discere, didicī - *learn*  
 disiciō, disicere, disicēcī, disiectus - *scatter*  
 domina, dominae - *mistress*  
 domus, domī - *home*  
 dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - *lead*  
 dūrō, dūrāre, dūrāvī - *endure, brave it, rough it*  
 dūrus, dūra, dūrum - *clumsy*

## E

ē, ex + *abl.* - *out of*  
 ēbibō, ēbibere, ēbibī - *drink*  
 effūsē - *extravagantly*  
 ego, meī - *I*  
 ēgredior, ēgredī, ēgressus sum - *leave*  
 eō, ire, īī - *go forth*  
 et - *and; -que ... et = both ... and*  
 et ... et - *both ... and*  
 etiam - *even*  
 ex, ē + *abl.* - *out of; inheriting*  
 exsultō, exsultāre, exsultāvī - *prance about*  
 extendō, extendere, extendī, extensus - *spread out*

## F

facilis, facile - *uninhibited*  
 faciō, facere, fēcī, factus - *make, do*  
 familiārīter - *closely*  
 fēmina, fēminae - *lady, woman*  
 fertilis, fertile - *productive*  
 fēstum, fēstī - *festival*  
 flōs, flōris - *flower*  
 formīca, formīcae - *ant*  
 fortunātus, fortunāta, fortunātum - *lucky, blessed*  
 foveō, fovēre, fōvī, fōtus - *dote*  
 frequēns, gen. frequentis - *numerous*  
 frondeus, frondea, frondeum - *leafy*

## G

geniālis, geniāle - *merry, joyful, jolly*  
 gestus, gestūs - *gesture*  
 grānifer, grānifera, grāniferum - *grain-bearing*

## H

habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - *have, involve*  
 herba, herbae - *grass*  
 hercle! - *by Hercules!*  
 hērēs, hērēdis - *heir*  
 hic, haec, hoc - *this*  
 hodiē - *today*  
 homō, hominis - *man; aliēnissimī hominēs: complete strangers*  
 honor / honōs, honōris - *honour*

## I

iactō, iactāre, iactāvī, iactātus - *wave*  
 īdūs, īduum - *the Ides (of March)*  
 ille, illa, illud - *he, she, it, that*  
 illic - *there*  
 imperō, imperāre, imperāvī + *dat.* - *order*  
 impōnō, impōnere, imposuī, impositus - *put, place*  
 in (1) + *acc.* - *into*  
 in (2) + *abl.* - *with, in*  
 intrā + *acc.* - *in, during*  
 inveniō, invenīre, invēnī, inventus - *find*  
 ipse, ipsa, ipsum - *himself, herself, itself*  
 is, ea, id - *he, she, it*  
 iūdicium, iūdicī - *choice, decision*  
 Iuppiter, Iovis - *Jupiter*  
 iuvenis, iuvenis - *young man*



**L**

laxō, laxāre, laxāvī, laxātus - *relax*  
 lēgātum, lēgātī - *legacy, bequest*  
 lībertus, lībertī - *freedman*  
 loca, locōrum - *places*  
 locus, locī - *place*  
 longus, longa, longum - *long*  
 lūdī, lūdōrum - *games, drama competitions*  
 lūdō, lūdere, lūsī, lūsus - *string along, play with, deceive*  
 lūsus, lūsūs - *game*

**M**

malignus, maligna, malignum - *spiteful*  
 mandō, mandāre, mandāvī, mandātus = *entrust*  
 manus, manūs - *hand*  
 marītus, marītī - *husband*  
 mātrōnālis, mātrōnāle - *female, of a woman*  
 meus, mea, meum - *my*  
 minimus, minima, minimum - *very small*  
 minus - *less*  
 mīror, mīrārī, mīrātus sum - *admire, be amazed*  
 modus, modī - *measure*  
 morbus, morbī - *illness*  
 moror, morārī, morātus sum - *delay*

**N**

nam - *for*  
 nancīscor, nancīscī, nactus sum - *find*  
 nec - *and not*  
 nepōs, nepōtis - *grandson*  
 neptis, neptis - *granddaughter*  
 Nestōr, Nestoris - *Nestor, a Homeric king of great age*  
 nōbilis, nōbile - *noble, of noble birth*  
 nōn - *not*  
 nōn ... nōn - *neither ... nor*  
 nōn solum ... sed etiam - *not only ... but also*  
 nōvī, nōvisse - *know*  
 novissimus, novissima, novissimum - *last*  
 numerus, numerī - *a great number; number*  
 numquam - *never*  
 nunc - *now*

**O**

obsequenter - *obediently*  
 obvius, obvia, obvium - *along the route*  
 octōgēnsimus, octōgēnsima, octōgēnsimum - *eightieth*  
 olēns, gen. olentis - *fragrant*  
 omnis, omne - *all*  
 optimus, optima, optimum - *excellent, very good*  
 ōs, ōris - *mouth*  
 ōtium, ōtīī - *leisure*

**P**

phantomīmus, phantomīmī - *pantomime actor*  
 pār, paris - *partner*  
 pars, partis - *some; part*  
 pāscuum, pāscuī - *pasture*  
 passim - *here and there, everywhere*  
 pater, patris - *father*  
 pauci, paucae, pauca - *a few*  
 paulō - *a little*  
 per + acc. - *through, all over, among; in*  
 Perenna, Perennae - *Anna Perenna, a goddess of the year*  
 plaudō, plaudere, plausī, plausus - *clap, applaud*  
 plēbs, plēbis - *people*  
 pōnō, pōnere, posuī, positus = *put up, put down*  
 possum, posse, potuī - *be able, can*  
 postulō, postulāre, postulāvī, postulātus - *insist, demand*  
 pōtō, pōtare, pōtāvī, pōtus - *drink*  
 praecipuē - *especially*  
 praemīum, praemīī - *reward*

precor, precārī, precātus sum = *pray for*  
 p̄mum - *firstly, the first time*  
 p̄ + abl. - *in place of, as*  
 procul - *far*  
 prōdūcō, prōdūcere, prōdūxī, prōductus - *enter (for a contest)*  
 propinquus, propinquī - *relation, relative*  
 proximus, proxima, proximum - *most recent*  
 pudet, pudēre, puduīt - *shame*  
 pudor, pudōris - *modesty, sense of shame*  
 puer, puerī - *boy*  
 pulcher, pulchra, pulchrum - *handsome*

**Q**

Quadrātilla, Quadrātillae - *Ummidia Quadratilla, friend of Pliny*  
 The Younger  
 Quadrātus, Quadrātī - *Quadratus, Quadratilla's grandson*  
 quam - *than*  
 quamquam - *although*  
 quārtus, quārtā, quārtum - *fourth; quārtum et vicēsimum:*  
*twenty-fourth*  
 -que - *and; -que ... et = both ... and*  
 quī, quae, quod - *who, which*  
 quidquid - *whatever*  
 quisque, quidque - *each one, every one*  
 quot - *as many as*

**R**

rāmus, rāmī - *branch*  
 reddō, reddere, reddidī, redditus - *copy; give back*  
 redeō, redīre, redīī - *return, go back*  
 relinquō, relinquere, reliquī, relictus - *leave*  
 reverentia, reverentiae - *respect*  
 rīgidus, rigida, rigidum - *firm, sturdy*  
 rīpa, rīpae - *bank*  
 rōbustus, rōbusta, rōbustum - *sturdy*  
 ruō, ruere, ruī - *rush*

**S**

sacerdōtālis, sacerdōtāle - *sacerdotal, given by priests*  
 saepe - *often*  
 saltō, saltāre, saltāvī - *dance*  
 saltus, saltūs - *glade*  
 sanguis, sanguinis - *blood*  
 scio, scīre, scīvī - *know*  
 sē - *himself, herself, itself*  
 sed - *but*  
 semel - *once*  
 semper - *always*  
 sermō, sermōnis - *gossip*  
 sevērē - *austerely*  
 sexus, sexūs - *sex*  
 sī - *if*  
 Sibylla, Sibyllae - *Sibyl, a prophetess of great age*  
 sīc - *so*  
 simul - *together*  
 singulāris, singulāre - *remarkable*  
 singulus, singula, singulum - *all*  
 sōl, sōlis - *sun*  
 soleō, solēre, solitus sum - *be accustomed*  
 solītus, solīta, solītum - *usual, customary*  
 spectāculum, spectāculī - *sight, spectacle*  
 spectō, spectāre, spectāvī, spectātus - *watch*  
 statuō, statuere, statuī, statūtus - *put up, set up*  
 studeō, studēre, studuī - *study*  
 studium, studiī - *study*  
 sub + abl. - *under*  
 sum, esse, fuī - *be*  
 summus, summa, summum - *tips*  
 sūmō, sūmere, sūmpsī, sūmptus - *take*  
 suus, sua, suum - *his, her, its own*

**T**

tamen - *however, yet*  
 tamquam - *as*  
 tangō, tangere, tetigī, tāctus - *touch*  
 teneō, tenere, tenuī, tentus - *keep hold of*  
 tentōrium, tentōriū - *tent*  
 tertius, tertia, tertium - *third*  
 testāmentum, testāmentī - *will*  
 theātrum, theātrī - *theatre*  
 Thybris, Thybris - *River Tiber*  
 thymum, thymī - *thyme*  
 titubō, titubāre, titubāvī - *stagger*  
 toga, togae - *toga*  
 tū, tuī - *you (singular)*  
 turba, turbae - *crowd*  
 tuus, tua, tuum - *your (singular)*

**U**

ubi - *when*  
 ultrā + acc. - *beyond*  
 Ummidia, Ummidiae - *Ummidia Quadratilla, friend of Pliny  
 The Younger*  
 usque - *right up*

ut (1) - *just as, as*  
 ut (2) - *so that, to*

**V**

valē - *goodbye, farewell*  
 vehō, vehere, vexī, vectus - *carry*  
 veniō, venīre, venī - *come*  
 vēnor, vēnārī, vēnātus sum - *go hunting, hunt*  
 verbum, verbī - *word*  
 vīcēsimus, vīcēsimā, vīcēsimum - *twentieth; quārtum et  
 vīcēsimum: twenty-fourth*  
 videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsus - *see*  
 videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - *seem*  
 vīnum, vīnī - *wine*  
 viridīs, viride - *green; vigorous*  
 vītō, vītāre, vītāvī, vītātus - *avoid*  
 vīvō, vīvere, vīxī - *live*  
 vix - *scarcely*  
 vocō, vocāre, vocāvī, vocātus - *call*  
 volō, velle, voluī - *wish, want*  
 volō, volāre, volāvī - *fly*  
 vōtum, vōtī - *wish, prayer*  
 vulgus, vulgī - *public*



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**CIL 1.2.1211**  
***Epitaph to Claudia***

Stranger, what I have to say will not take long; stand close by and read it through.  
 Here is the not very beautiful tomb of a beautiful woman:  
 Her parents gave her the name, Claudia.  
 She loved her husband with all her heart:  
 She bore two sons; one of them  
 She leaves on earth, the other she has placed beneath the earth.  
 With charming conversation and a fine way of walking too,  
 She looked after the house. She spun wool. I have spoken. Now go on your way.

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**Cicero, ad Att. 5.1**  
***Letter to his friend Atticus***

I have seen nothing so mild, nothing so calm as my brother was on that day, towards your sister. If any offence had been taken as a result of the calculation of her expenditure, it was not apparent. On the next day, we set out from Arpinum and ate lunch at Arcanum. Very considerately Quintus said, "Pomponia, you call in the women, and I shall summon the men." Nothing could have been sweeter, not only in his words but also in his behaviour and expression. But she, in our hearing, said, "I myself am a guest here." Simply, I think, because Statius had gone ahead to take care of lunch for us! Then Quintus said to me, "You see, this is the kind of thing I endure every day." I myself was extremely upset by this situation; as you can see she had responded harshly and bitterly in both her words and her expression. So we all reclined at table except for her. Quintus sent something from the table to her, which however she sent back. What more is there to say? There seemed to me nothing milder than my brother, and nothing more prickly than your sister; and I am passing over many similar events.

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**Catullus, Poem 5**

Let us live, my Lesbia, and let us love,  
 And value all the gossip of those  
 rather strict old men at one as!  
 Suns can set and rise again:  
 But when once the brief light has set for us, 5  
 There is one everlasting night to sleep through.  
 Give me a thousand kisses, then a hundred,  
 Then another thousand, and then a second hundred,  
 Then yet another thousand, and then a hundred,  
 Then when we have kissed many thousands of times, 10  
 We shall mix them all up, so that we do not know,  
 Nor can some evil person cast his curse upon us,  
 When he knows what the number of kisses is.

**Catullus, Poem 8**

miser Catulle, desinas ineptire,  
 et quod vides perisse perditum ducas.  
 fulsere quondam candidi tibi soles,  
 cum ventitabas quo puella ducebat  
 amata nobis quantum amabitur nulla. 5  
 ibi illa multa cum iocosa fiebant,  
 quae tu volebas nec puella nolebat,  
 fulsere vere candidi tibi soles.  
 nunc iam illa non vult: tu quoque impotens noli,  
 nec quae fugit sectare, nec miser vive, 10  
 sed obstinata mente perfer, obdura.  
 vale puella, iam Catullus obdurat,  
 nec te requiret nec rogabit invitam.  
 at tu dolebis, cum rogaberis nulla.  
 scelestas, vae te, quae tibi manet vita? 15  
 quis nunc te adibit? cui videberis bella?  
 quem nunc amabis? cuius esse diceris?  
 quem basiabis? cui labella mordebis?  
 at tu, Catulle, destinatus obdura.

**Catullus, Poem 70**

My woman says that she prefers  
 To marry none but me, not even if Jupiter himself should ask her.  
 She says this; but what a woman says to her eager lover  
 She ought to write in the wind and fast-flowing water.



**Catullus, Poem 72**

You used once to say that Catullus was the only man you knew,  
 Lesbia, and that you would not prefer to have Jupiter rather than me.  
 Then I loved you, not so much as the common man loves his girl,  
 But as a father loves his sons and sons-in-law.  
 Now I have got to know you: and for this reason, even if I burn more passionately, 5  
 You are nonetheless much cheaper and more trivial to me.  
 How is this possible, you say? Because such injustice  
 Compels a lover to love still more, but to like less.

**Catullus, Poem 83**

Lesbia mi praesente viro mala plurima dicit:  
 haec illi fatuo maxima laetitia est.  
 mule, nihil sentis? si nostri oblita taceret,  
 sana esset: nunc quod gannit et obloquitur,  
 non solum meminit, sed, quae multo acrior est res, 5  
 irata est. hoc est, uritur et loquitur.

**Ovid, Ars Amatoria 1.469-478  
Advice to a rejected lover**

si non accipiet scriptum inlectumque remittet,  
 lecturam spera propositumque tene.  
 tempore difficiles veniunt ad aratra iuveni,  
 tempore lenta pati frena docentur equi.  
 ferreus adsiduo consumitur anulus usu, 5  
 interit adsidua vomer aduncus humo.  
 quid magis est saxo durum, quid mollius unda?  
 dura tamen molli saxa cavantur aqua.  
 Penelopen ipsam, persta modo, tempore vinces:  
 capta vides sero Pergama, capta tamen. 10

**Martial, Epigrams 8.12  
Marital equality?**

Do you want to know why I do not want to marry a rich wife?  
 I do not want to play the bride to my wife.  
 A married lady should be of lower status than her husband, Priscus:  
 In no other way can a woman and her husband be equal.

**Pliny, Letters 4.19**  
**To Calpurnia Hispulla, his wife's aunt**

cum sis pietatis exemplum, filiam fratris tui ut tuam diligis, affectumque ei repraesentas, non tantum amitae verum etiam patris amissi. maxime igitur gaudebis, cum cognoveris eam dignam patre, dignam te, dignam avo evadere. summum est acumen, summa frugalitas; amat me, quod castitatis indicium est. praeterea studium litterarum ex mei caritate concepit. meos libellos habet, lectitat, ediscit etiam. quanta sollicitudine afficitur cum ego acturus sum, quanto gaudio cum egi! disponit qui nuntient sibi quos clamores excitaverim, quem eventum iudicii tulerim. eadem, si quando recito, in proximo sedet, velo discreta, laudesque meas avidissimis auribus excipit. versus quidem meos cantat formatque cithara, non artifice aliquo docente, sed amore, qui magister est optimus.

his ex causis est mihi spes certissima, perpetuam nobis concordiam maioremque in dies futuram esse. illa enim diligit non aetatem meam aut corpus, quae paulatim occidunt ac senescunt, sed gloriam meam. hoc vero decet puellam tuis manibus educatam, quae amare me ex tua praedicatione consuevit. ergo tibi gratias agimus, ego quod illam mihi, illa quod me sibi dederis. vale.

**Pliny, Letters 6.24**  
**Faithful unto death**

I was sailing across our Lake Larius, when a friend showed me a house with a bedroom which sticks out into the lake. "From this bedroom," he said, "a woman once threw herself with her husband. Her husband was afflicted with a very serious illness. His wife begged him to allow her to inspect his body; for, she said, there was no one who would tell him more faithfully whether he could be cured. She looked, despaired, encouraged him to die and she herself was the companion of his death, indeed she was his leader and example and driving force; for she tied herself to her husband and leapt into the lake."



## Unit 9531 Theme B: Love and Marriage - Complete Vocabulary

## A

ac - and  
 accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - accept  
 ācer, ācris, ācre - critical  
 acūmen, acūminis - acumen, shrewdness  
 ad + acc. - to  
 adeō, adīre, adī / adīvī, aditus - come to, approach, go near  
 adsiduus, adsidua, adsiduum - relentless, unrelenting  
 aduncus, adunca, aduncum - hooked  
 aetās, aetātis - age  
 affectus, affectūs - affection  
 afficiō, afficere, affēcī, affectus - affect  
 agō, agere, ēgī, āctus - do, act, deliver (a speech), plead in court; give  
 alīquī, aliqua, aliquod - any  
 amīta, amītae - aunt  
 āmittō, āmittere, āmīsī, āmissus - lose  
 amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - love  
 amor, amōris - love  
 ānulus, ānulī - ring  
 aqua, aquae - water  
 arātrum, arātrī - plough  
 artifex, artificis - artist, teacher  
 at - but, yet  
 auris, auris - ear  
 aut - or  
 avidus, avida, avidum - eager  
 avus, avī - grandfather

## B

bāsiō, bāsiāre, bāsiāvī - kiss  
 bellus, bella, bellum - beautiful, pretty

## C

candidus, candida, candidum - bright  
 cantō, cantāre, cantāvī - sing  
 capiō, capere, cēpī, captus - capture  
 cāritās, cāritātis - love, affection, esteem  
 castitās, castitātis - chastity, virtue  
 Catullus, Catullī - Catullus  
 causa, causae - reason  
 cavō, cavāre, cavāvī, cavātus - hollow out  
 certus, certa, certum - certain  
 cithara, citharae - lyre  
 clāmōr, clāmōris - applause, shout, uproar  
 cognōscō, cognōscere, cognōvī, cognitus - learn, find out  
 concipiō, concipere, concēpī, conceptus - take up, conceive  
 concordia, concordiae - harmony  
 cōnsuēscō, cōnsuēscere, cōnsuēvī - become accustomed  
 cōnsūmō, cōnsūmere, cōnsūmpsī, cōnsūmptus - eat away  
 corpus, corporis - body  
 cum - when, since

## D

decet, decēre, decuit - befit, be proper  
 dēsīnō, dēsīnere, dēsī - stop, cease  
 dēstinātus, dēstināta, dēstinātus - determined, obstinate, firm  
 dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - say  
 diēs, diē - future; day  
 difficilis, difficile - difficult, obstinate  
 dignus, digna, dignum + abl. - worthy of  
 diligō, diligere, dilēxī, dilēctus - love  
 discernō, discernere, discrēvī, discrētus - hide, screen  
 dispōnō, dispōnere, disposuī, dispositus - station  
 dō, dare, dedī, datus - give  
 doceō, docēre, docuī, doctus - teach  
 doleō, dolēre, doluī, dolitus - suffer  
 dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - lead; consider  
 dūrus, dūra, dūrum - hard

## E

ēdiscō, ēdiscere, ēdidicī - learn by heart  
 ēdūcō, ēdūcāre, ēdūcāvī, ēdūcātus - bring up  
 ego, mei - I, me  
 enim - for  
 equus, equī - horse  
 ergō - therefore  
 et - and  
 etiam - even, also  
 ēvādō, ēvādere, ēvāsī - turn out  
 ēventus, ēventūs - outcome, verdict, result  
 ex + abl. - out of, from; for  
 excipiō, excipere, excēpī, exceptus - receive, listen to  
 excitō, excitāre, excitāvī, excitātus - provoke, inspire  
 exemplum, exemplī - example, model

## F

fatuus, fatua, fatuum - foolish, silly  
 ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus - bring about; bring, bear  
 ferreus, ferrea, ferreum - iron, made of iron  
 filia, filiae - daughter  
 fīō, fierī, factus sum - happen  
 fōrmō, fōrmāre, fōrmāvī, fōrmātus - set to music; shape  
 frāter, frātris - brother  
 frēnum, frēnī - reins, bridle  
 frūgālitās, frūgālitātis - thrive  
 fugiō, fugere, fūgī - flee, run away  
 fulgēō, fulgēre, fulsī - shine

## G

ganniō, gannīre - grumble  
 gaudeō, gaudēre, gāvīsus sum - rejoice, be delighted  
 gaudium, gaudiī - joy  
 glōria, glōriae - distinction, glory  
 grātia, grātiae - thanks, gratitude

## H

habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - have  
 hīc, haec, hoc - this  
 humus, humī - earth

## I

iam - already, now  
 ibi - then  
 īdem, eadem, idem - the same  
 igitur - therefore, and so  
 ille, illa, illud - that; he, she, it  
 impotēns, impotentis - powerless, impotent  
 in + abl. - in  
 indicium, indicī - sign, evidence  
 ineptiō, ineptīre - be foolish  
 inlētus, inlēcta, inlētum - unread  
 intereō, interīre, interī - be ruined  
 invītus, invīta, invītum - against your will, unwilling, reluctant  
 iocōsus, iocōsa, iocōsum - fun  
 ipse, ipsa, ipsum - himself, herself, itself  
 īrātus, īrāta, īrātum - angry  
 is, ea, id - he, she, it  
 iūdicium, iūdicī - trial  
 iuvenus, iuvenī - bullock, young ox

## L

labellum, labellī - lip  
 laetitia, laetitiae - pleasure, delight  
 laus, laudis - praise  
 lectiō, lectitāre, lectitāvī, lectitātus - read  
 legō, legere, lēgī, lēctus - read  
 lentus, lenta, lentum - unyielding, tough; flexible  
 Lesbia, Lesbiae - Lesbia



libellus, libellī - *little book*  
 litterae, litterārum - *literature*  
 loquor, loquī, locūtus sum - *speak*

**M**

magis - *more*  
 magister, magistrī - *teacher*  
 maior, maius - *greater*  
 malus, mala, malum - *bad, evil*  
 maneō, manēre, mānsī - *remain*  
 manus, manūs - *hand*  
 maximē - *very greatly, very much*  
 maximus, maxima, maximum - *very great*  
 meminī, meminisse - *remember*  
 mēns, mentis - *heart, mind*  
 meus, mea, meum - *my*  
 miser, miserā, miserum - *miserable, wretched*  
 modo - *now*  
 mollis, mollis, molle - *soft, gentle*  
 mordeō, mordēre, momordī, morsus - *bite*  
 multō - *much, by far*  
 multus, multa, multum - *many*  
 mūlus, mūlī - *ass, mule*

**N**

nec - *and not, nor*  
 nec ... nec - *neither ... nor*  
 nihil - *nothing*  
 nōlo, nōlle, nōluī - *be unwilling*  
 nōn - *not*  
 nōn tantum ... vērum etiam - *not only ... but also*  
 nōs, nostrī - *we*  
 nūllus, nūlla, nūllum - *no one; not*  
 nunc - *now, as it is, as things are*  
 nūntiō, nūntiāre, nūntiāvī, nūntiātus - *report, announce*

**O**

obdūrō, obdūrāre, obdūrāvī, obdūrātus - *hold fast*  
 oblīvīscor, oblīvīscī, oblītus sum + gen. - *forget*  
 obloquor, obloquī, oblocūtus sum - *abuse; interrupt*  
 obstinātus, obstināta, obstinātum - *stubborn*  
 occidō, occidere, occidī - *decline*  
 optimus, optīma, optimum - *best*

**P**

pater, patris - *father*  
 patior, patī, passus sum - *accept, endure*  
 paulātī - *little by little, gradually*  
 Pēnelopē, Pēnelopēs - *Penelope, wife of Odysseus*  
 perdō, perdere, perdidī, perditus - *lose*  
 pereō, perīre, perī / perīvī, peritus - *perish*  
 perferō, perferre, pertulī, perlātus - *endure*  
 Pergama, Pergamōrum - *the citadel of Troy*  
 perpetuus, perpetua, perpetuum - *everlasting, unending*  
 perstō, perstāre, perstīti - *stand firm*  
 pietās, pietātis - *dutifulness*  
 plūrimī, plūrimae, plūrima - *very many*  
 praedicātiō, praedicātiōnis - *recommendation*  
 praesēns, gen. praesentis - *present*  
 praetereā - *moreover, besides*  
 prōpositum, prōpositī - *purpose, resolve*  
 proximum, proximī - *neighbourhood, vicinity*  
 puella, puellae - *girl*

**Q**

quandō - *whenever*  
 quantum - *as much as*  
 quantus, quānta, quantum - *how much*  
 -que - *and*  
 quī, quae, quod - *what; who, which*

quidem - *even, indeed*  
 quis? quid? - *who? which? what?*  
 quō - *where, to the place where*  
 quod - *because*  
 quondam - *once*  
 quoque - *too, also*

**R**

recitō, recitāre, recitāvī, recitātus - *give a recital, read aloud*  
 remittō, remittere, remisī, remissus - *send back*  
 repraesentō, repraesentāre, repraesentāvī, repraesentātus - *show*  
 requirō, requirere, requisīvī, requisītus - *seek out, ask for*  
 rēs, rei - *thing*  
 rogō, rogāre, rogāvī, rogātus - *ask, ask after*

**S**

sānus, sāna, sānum - *cured, sound in mind*  
 saxum, saxī - *stone, rock*  
 scelestus, scelesta, scelestum - *wicked*  
 scrībō, scrībere, scrīpsī, scrīptus - *write*  
 sē - *himself, herself, itself*  
 sector, sectārī, sectātus sum - *follow, pursue, chase after*  
 sed - *but*  
 sedeō, sedēre, sedī - *sit*  
 senēscō, senēscere, senuī - *grow old*  
 sentiō, sentīre, sēnsī, sēnsus - *realise*  
 sērō - *late, after a long time*  
 sī - *if*  
 sōl, sōlis - *sun*  
 sollicitūdō, sollicitūdinis - *worry, anxiety*  
 solum - *only*  
 spērō, spērāre, spērāvī, spērātus - *hope*  
 spēs, speī - *hope*  
 studium, studiī - *enthusiasm*  
 sum, esse, fuī - *be*  
 summus, summa, summum - *very great, greatest*

**T**

taceō, tacēre, tacuī - *be quiet, be silent*  
 tamen - *however, nonetheless*  
 tempus, temporis - *time*  
 teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentus - *hold on to, keep*  
 tū, tuī - *you (singular)*  
 tuus, tua, tuum - *your (singular)*

**U**

unda, undae - *water*  
 ūror, ūrī, ustus sum - *be inflamed*  
 ūsus, ūsūs - *use*  
 ut - *as*

**V**

vae - *woe! alas!*  
 valē - *goodbye, farewell*  
 vēlum, vēlī - *curtain*  
 veniō, venīre, vēnī - *come*  
 ventitō, ventitāre - *often go, repeatedly come*  
 vērē - *indeed*  
 vērō - *indeed*  
 versus, versūs - *verse*  
 videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsus - *see*  
 videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - *seem*  
 vincō, vincere, vīcī, victus - *win*  
 vir, virī - *husband, man*  
 vīta, vītae - *life*  
 vīvō, vīvere, vīxī - *live*  
 volō, velle, voluī - *want, be willing*  
 vōmer, vōmeris - *ploughshare*



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**THEME A: OTIUM**

**MARTIAL, EPIGRAMS V.20  
THE GOOD LIFE**

If I were allowed, my dear Martial,  
 To enjoy carefree days with you,  
 If I were allowed to arrange leisure time  
 And to have time for a real life together,  
 We should not be familiar with the halls nor the houses 5  
 of the powerful,  
 Nor grim lawsuits and the melancholy forum,  
 Nor proud statues,  
 But riding, plays, little books,  
 The Campus Martius, colonnades, shade, the Virgo 10  
 aqueduct, baths, These would be our constant haunts,  
 these our occupations.  
 For the moment, neither of us lives for himself,  
 But each notices the good days fly by and vanish,  
 Days which are gone from us, but which are charged 15  
 against our account. Does anyone delay when he knows  
 how to live?

**HORACE, EPODES II.1-8, 23-28  
THE PLEASURES OF COUNTRY LIFE**

**Blessed is he who, far from business,  
Like the ancient race of mortals,  
Ploughs his family fields with his own oxen,  
Free from all debt;  
He is neither a soldier, roused by the stern war-trumpet, 5  
Nor does he shudder in fear at the angry sea,  
And he keeps clear of the forum and  
The proud doorsteps of more powerful citizens.  
It is pleasant to lie sometimes beneath an ancient  
holm-oak, Sometimes in the firm grass. 10  
Meanwhile the rivers slide between high banks,  
Birds chatter in the woods,  
Springs babble with trickling waters  
Inviting gentle slumbers.**

**CATULLUS, POEM 13****CATULLUS INVITES A FRIEND TO DINNER**

**You will dine well with me, my dear Fabullus,  
In a few days (if the gods favour you),  
If you bring with you a good, big meal,  
Nor forgetting a pretty girl,  
And wine and salt-wit and all kinds of laughter. 5  
If, as I say, you bring these things, my charming friend,  
You will dine well; for your Catullus' purse  
Is full of cobwebs.  
But in return, you will receive my undiluted affection,  
Or what is sweeter and more elegant: 10  
For I shall give you a perfume, which  
The Venuses and Cupids gave to my girlfriend,  
And when you smell this perfume, Fabullus,  
You will ask the gods to make you all nose.**

**OVID, ARS AMATORIA 1.89-100  
A GOOD PLACE TO FIND A GIRL**

**sed tu praecipue curvis venare theatris;  
haec loca sunt voto fertiliora tuo.  
illic invenies quod ames, quod ludere possis,  
quodque semel tangas, quodque tenere velis.  
ut redit itque frequens longum formica per agmen, 5  
granifero solitum cum vehit ore cibum,  
aut ut apes saltusque suos et olentia nactae  
pascua per flores et thyma summa volant,  
sic ruit ad celebres cultissima femina ludos;  
copia iudicium saepe morata meum est. 10  
spectatum veniunt, veniunt spectentur ut ipsae;  
ille locus casti damna pudoris habet.**

**OVID, FASTI III.523-540**

**HOW ORDINARY PEOPLE ENJOY A FESTIVAL**

**Idibus est Annae festum geniale Perennae**  
**non procul a ripis, advena Thybri, tuis.**  
**plebs venit ac virides passim disiecta per herbas**  
**potat et accumbit cum pare quisque sua;**  
**sub love pars durat, pauci tentoria ponunt, 5**  
**sunt quibus e ramis frondea facta casa est;**  
**pars, ubi pro rigidis calamos statuere columnis,**  
**desuper extentas imposuere togas.**  
**sole tamen vinoque calent annosque precantur,**  
**quot sumant cyathos, ad numerumque bibunt; 10**  
**invenies illic qui Nestoris ebibat annos,**  
**quae sit per calices facta Sibylla suos.**  
**illic et cantant quidquid didicere theatris,**  
**et iactant faciles ad sua verba manus**  
**et ducunt posito duras cratera choreas, 15**  
**cultaque diffusis saltat amica comis.**  
**cum redeunt, titubant et sunt spectacula vulgi,**  
**et fortunatos obvia turba vocat.**

**PLINY, LETTERS 3.5****A DAY IN THE LIFE OF PLINY THE ELDER**

Before dawn, my uncle Pliny used to go to the emperor  
 Vespasian (for he too was accustomed to work through  
 the night), then on to the duty assigned to him. When  
 he returned home, he devoted his remaining time to his  
 studies. Often after a snack (which being during the day 5  
 was a light and easily digested meal as in the manner  
 of our forefathers) in the summer, if there was any time  
 for leisure, he used to lie in the sun; a book was read to  
 him, and he would make notes and take extracts; for he  
 read nothing from which he did not take extracts. Indeed 10  
 he used to say that there was no book so bad that it was  
 not useful in some part. After lying in the sun, he usually  
 took a bath in cold water, then had a snack and had a  
 very short nap; soon, as if it were a new day, he would  
 study until dinner-time. During dinner, a book was read 15  
 and notes taken, all very quickly.

These activities took place in the midst of his work  
 and the bustle of the city. When he was away from the  
 city, it was only bath-time that interrupted his studies  
 (when I say “baths”, I am speaking of the inner rooms, 20  
 for while he was being scraped and dried he used to  
 listen to or dictate something). On a journey, as though  
 released from all other cares, he devoted himself to this  
 one thing; at his side with a book and writing tablets,  
 was a secretary whose hands were protected in winter 25  
 by gloves, so that not even the harshness of the season  
 should snatch any time away from study. For this reason

he used to travel in Rome too in a litter. I recall that I was scolded by him, because I was walking; “You could have avoided,” he said, “wasting these hours”, for he 30 believed that any time not spent on studies was wasted. Goodbye.

**PLINY, LETTERS 7.24  
UMMIDIA QUADRATILLA**

**Ummidia Quadratilla paulo minus octogensimo aetatis anno decessit; erat femina usque ad novissimum morbum viridis, cuius corpus compactum et robustum erat, ultra matronalem modum.**

**testamentum eius erat optimum: reliquit heredes 5  
ex besse nepotem, ex tertia parte neptem. neptem vix novi, nepotem familiarissime diligo, iuvenem singularem quem etiam ei quos sanguine non attingit tamquam propinquum amat. nam primum, quamquam pulcherrimus erat, et puer et iuvenis omnes sermones 10  
malignorum vitavit; deinde intra quartum et vicensimum annum maritus fuit et, si deus adnuisset, fuisset pater.**

**vixit apud aviam delicatam severissime et tamen obsequentissime. habebat illa pantomimos fovebatque, 15  
effusius quam decorum erat feminae nobili. hos Quadratus non in theatro, non domi spectabat, nec illa postulabat. cum studia nepotis sui mihi mandaret, dixit se solere, ut feminam in illo otio sexus, laxare animum lusu calculorum, solere spectare pantomimos suos, 20  
sed cum factura esset alterutrum, semper se nepoti suo imperavisse ut abiret studeretque; quod mihi non solum amore facere sed etiam reverentia videbatur. miraberis, et ego miratus sum: proximis sacerdotalibus ludis, productis in commissione pantomimis, cum 25  
simul ego et Quadratus theatro egrederemur, dixit mihi: 'scisne me hodie primum vidisse saltantem aviae meae**



**libertum?'**

**hoc nepos. at hercle alienissimi homines in honorem  
Quadratillae (pudet me dixisse honorem) adulatione 30  
in theatrum cursitabant exsultabant plaudebant  
mirabantur: deinde singulos gestus dominae cum  
canticis reddebant; 30 qui nunc minima legata pro  
praemio accipient ab herede, qui eos numquam  
spectabat. vale. 35**

## UNIT 9531 THEME A: OTIUM - COMPLETE VOCABULARY

### A

**ā, ab + abl. - from**

**abeō, abīre, abiī - go away**

**ac - and**

**accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - receive**

**ad + acc. - to**

**adnuō, adnuere, adnuī, adnūtus - assent, approve, grant**

**adulātiō, adulātiōnis - flattery**

**advena, advenae - foreigner**

**aetās, aetātis - life**

**agmen, agminis - procession**

**aliēnus, aliēna, aliēnum - unknown, strange;**

**aliēnissimī hominēs: complete strangers**

**alteruter, alterutra, alterutrum - either of the two**

**amīca, amīcae - girl, girl-friend**

**amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - love**

**amor, amoris - love**

**animus, animī - mind**

**Anna, Annae - Anna Perenna, a goddess of the year**

**annus, annī - year**

**apis, apis - bee**

**apud + acc. - with, at the house of**

**at - but**

**attingō, attingere, attigī - be related to**

**aut - or**

**avia, aviae - grandmother**

**B****bes, bēsis - two-thirds****bibō, bibere, bibī - drink****C****calamus, calamī - reed****calculī, calculōrum - draughts****caleō, calēre, caluī - be flushed, be warm****calix, calicis - cup****canticum, canticī - song****cantō, cantāre, cantāvī - sing, chant****casa, casae - house****castus, casta, castum - chaste****celeber, celebris, celebre - crowded****chorēa, chorēae - dance****cibus, cibī - food****columna, columnae - column****coma, comae - hair****commissiō, commissiōnis - opening event****compāctus, compācta, compāctum - strong****cōpia, cōpiae - abundance****corpus, corporis - body****crātēr, crātēris - wine bowl****cultus, culta, cultum - elegant, smart, well-dressed,  
dolled up****cum (1) - when****cum (2) + abl. - with****cursitō, cursitāre, cursitāvī - stream**

**curvus, curva, curvum - rounded, curved**  
**cyathus, cyathī - serving of wine**

## **D**

**damnum, damnī - loss, damage**  
**dēcēdō, dēcēdere, dēcēssī - die**  
**decōrus, decōra, decōrum - right, proper**  
**deinde - then**  
**dēlicātus, dēlicāta, dēlicātum - luxury-loving**  
**dēsUPER - over**  
**deus, deī - god**  
**dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - say**  
**diffūsus, diffūsa, diffūsum - let down, streaming**  
**dīligō, dīligere, dīlēxī, dīlēctus - be fond of, love**  
**discō, discere, didicī - learn**  
**disiciō, disicere, disiēcī, disiectus - scatter**  
**domina, dominae - mistress**  
**domus, domī - home**  
**dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - lead**  
**dūrō, dūrāre, dūrāvī - endure, brave it, rough it**  
**dūrus, dūra, dūrum - clumsy**

**E****ē, ex + abl. - out of****ēbibō, ēbibere, ēbibī - drink****effūsē - extravagantly****ego, meī - I****ēgredior, ēgredī, ēgressus sum - leave****eō, īre, īī - go forth****et - and; -que ... et = both ... and****et ... et - both ... and****etiam - even****ex, ē + abl. - out of; inheriting****exsultō, exsultāre, exsultāvī - prance about****extendō, extendere, extendī, extentus - spread out****F****facilis, facile - uninhibited****faciō, facere, fēcī, factus - make, do****familiārīter - closely****fēmina, fēminae - lady, woman****fertilis, fertile - productive****fēstum, fēstī - festival****flōs, flōris - flower****formīca, formīcae - ant****fortūnātus, fortūnāta, fortūnātum - lucky, blessed****foveō, fovēre, fōvī, fōtus - dote****frequēns, gen. frequentis - numerous****frondeus, frondea, frondeum - leafy**

**G**

**geniālis, geniāle - merry, joyful, jolly**

**gestus, gestūs - gesture**

**grānifer, grānifera, grāniferum - grain-bearing**

**H**

**habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - have, involve**

**herba, herbae - grass**

**hercle! - by Hercules!**

**hērēs, hērēdis - heir**

**hic, haec, hoc - this**

**hodiē - today**

**homō, hominis - man; aliēnissimī hominēs: complete strangers**

**honor / honōs, honōris - honour**

## I

**iactō, iactāre, iactāvī, iactātus - wave**

**īdūs, īduum - the Ides (of March)**

**ille, illa, illud - he, she, it, that**

**illīc - there**

**imperō, imperāre, imperāvī + dat. - order**

**impōnō, impōnere, imposuī, impositus - put, place**

**in (1) + acc. - into**

**in (2) + abl. - with, in**

**intrā + acc. - in, during**

**inveniō, invenīre, invēnī, inventus - find**

**ipse, ipsa, ipsum - himself, herself, itself**

**is, ea, id - he, she, it**

**iūdicium, iūdicī - choice, decision**

**Iuppiter, Iovis - Jupiter**

**iuvenis, iuvenis - young man**

## L

**laxō, laxāre, laxāvī, laxātus - relax**

**lēgātum, lēgātī - legacy, bequest**

**lībertus, lībertī - freedman**

**loca, locōrum - places**

**locus, locī - place**

**longus, longa, longum - long**

**lūdī, lūdōrum - games, drama competitions**

**lūdō, lūdere, lūsī, lūsus - string along, play with, deceive**

**lūsus, lūsūs - game**

**M**

**malignus, maligna, malignum - spiteful**

**mandō, mandāre, mandāvī, mandātus - entrust**

**manus, manūs - hand**

**marītus, marītī - husband**

**mātrōnālis, mātrōnāle - female, of a woman**

**meus, mea, meum - my**

**minimus, minima, minimum - very small**

**minus - less**

**mīror, mīrārī, mīrātus sum - admire, be amazed**

**modus, modī - measure**

**morbus, morbī - illness**

**moror, morārī, morātus sum - delay**

**N**

**nam - for**

**nancīscor, nancīscī, nactus sum - find**

**nec - and not**

**nepōs, nepōtis - grandson**

**neptis, neptis - granddaughter**

**Nestōr, Nestoris - Nestor, a Homeric king of great age**

**nōbilis, nōbile - noble, of noble birth**

**nōn - not**

**nōn ... nōn - neither ... nor**

**nōn solum ... sed etiam - not only ... but also**

**nōvī, nōvisse - know**

**novissimus, novissima, novissimum - last**

**numerus, numerī - a great number; number**



numquam - never

nunc - now

## O

obsequenter - obediently

obvius, obvia, obvium - along the route

octōgēsimus, octōgēsimā, octōgēsimum - eightieth

olēns, gen. olentis - fragrant

omnis, omne - all

optimus, optima, optimum - excellent, very good

ōs, ōris - mouth

ōtium, ōtiū - leisure

## P

pantomīmus, pantomīmī - pantomime actor

pār, paris - partner

pars, partis - some; part

pāscuum, pāscuī - pasture

passim - here and there, everywhere

pater, patris - father

paucī, paucae, pauca - a few

paulō - a little

per + acc. - through, all over, among; in

Perenna, Perennae - Anna Perenna, a goddess of the year

plaudō, plaudere, plausī, plausus - clap, applaud

**plēbs, plēbis - people**

**pōnō, pōnere, posuī, positus - put up, put down**

**possum, posse, potuī - be able, can**

**postulō, postulāre, postulāvī, postulātus - insist, demand**

**pōtō, pōtāre, pōtāvī, pōtus - drink**

**praecipuē - especially**

**praemium, praemiī - reward**

**precor, precārī, precātus sum - pray for**

**prīmum - firstly, the first time**

**prō + abl. - in place of, as**

**procul - far**

**prōdūcō, prōdūcere, prōdūxī, prōductus - enter (for a contest)**

**propinquus, propinquī - relation, relative**

**proximus, proxima, proximum - most recent**

**pudet, pudēre, puduit - shame**

**pudor, pudōris - modesty, sense of shame**

**puer, puerī - boy**

**pulcher, pulchra, pulchrum - handsome**

## Q

Quadrātilla, Quadrātillae - Ummidia Quadratilla, friend of Pliny The Younger

Quadrātus, Quadrātī - Quadratus, Quadratilla's grandson

quam - than

quamquam - although

quārtus, quārta, quārtum - fourth; quārtum et vīcēnsimum: twenty-fourth

-que - and; -que ... et = both ... and

quī, quae, quod - who, which

quidquid - whatever

quisque, quidque - each one, every one

quot - as many as

## R

rāmus, rāmī - branch

reddō, reddere, reddidī, redditus - copy; give back

redeō, redīre, rediī - return, go back

relinquō, relinquere, reliquī, relictus - leave

reverentia, reverentiae - respect

rigidus, rigida, rigidum - firm, sturdy

rīpa, rīpae - bank

rōbustus, rōbusta, rōbustum - sturdy

ruō, ruere, ruī - rush

**S**

**sacerdōtālis, sacerdōtāle - sacerdotal, given by priests**

**saepe - often**

**saltō, saltāre, saltāvī - dance**

**saltus, saltūs - glade**

**sanguis, sanguinis - blood**

**scio, scīre, scīvī - know**

**sē - himself, herself, itself**

**sed - but**

**semel - once**

**semper - always**

**sermō, sermōnis - gossip**

**sevērē - austerely**

**sexus, sexūs - sex**

**sī - if**

**Sibylla, Sibyllae - Sibyl, a prophetess of great age**

**sīc - so**

**simul - together**

**singulāris, singulāre - remarkable**

**singulus, singula, singulum - all**

**sōl, sōlis - sun**

**soleō, solēre, solitus sum - be accustomed**

**solitus, solita, solitum - usual, customary**

**spectāculum, spectāculī - sight, spectacle**

**spectō, spectēre, spectāvī, spectātus - watch**

**statuō, statuere, statuī, statūtus - put up, set up**

**studeō, studēre, studuī - study**

**studium, studiī - study**

**sub + abl. - under**

**sum, esse, fuī - be**

**summus, summa, summum - tips**  
**sūmō, sūmere, sūmpsī, sūmptus - take**  
**suus, sua, suum - his, her, its own**

## T

**tamen - however, yet**  
**tamquam - as**  
**tangō, tangere, tetigī, tāctus - touch**  
**teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentus - keep hold of**  
**tentōrium, tentōriī - tent**  
**tertius, tertia, tertium - third**  
**testāmentum, testāmentī - will**  
**theātrum, theātrī - theatre**  
**Thybris, Thybris - River Tiber**  
**thymum, thymī - thyme**  
**titubō, titubāre, titubāvī - stagger**  
**toga, togae - toga**  
**tū, tuī - you (singular)**  
**turba, turbae - crowd**  
**tuus, tua, tuum - your (singular)**

## U

ubi - when

ultrā + acc. - beyond

Ummidia, Ummidiae - Ummidia Quadratilla, friend of Pliny The Younger

usque - right up

ut (1) - just as, as

ut (2) - so that, to

## V

valē - goodbye, farewell

vehō, vehere, vexī, vectus - carry

veniō, venīre, vēnī - come

vēnor, vēnārī, vēnātus sum - go hunting, hunt

verbum, verbī - word

vīcēsimus, vīcēsima, vīcēsimum - twentieth;

quārtum et vīcēsimum: twenty-fourth

videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsus - see

videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - seem

vīnum, vīnī - wine

viridis, viride - green; vigorous

vītō, vītāre, vītāvī, vītātus - avoid

vīvō, vīvere, vīxī - live

vix - scarcely

vocō, vocāre, vocāvī, vocātus - call

volō, velle, voluī - wish, want

volō, volāre, volāvī - fly

vōtum, vōtī - wish, prayer

vulgus, vulgī - public



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**EPITAPH TO CLAUDIA**

**Stranger, what I have to say will not take long: stand  
close by and read it through. Here is the not very  
beautiful tomb of a beautiful woman:**

**Her parents gave her the name, Claudia.**

**She loved her husband with all her heart:**

5

**She bore two sons; one of them**

**She leaves on earth, the other she has placed beneath  
the earth. With charming conversation and a fine way  
of walking too,**

**She looked after the house. She spun wool. I have  
spoken. Now go on your way.**

10



**CICERO, AD ATT. 5.1  
LETTER TO HIS FRIEND ATTICUS**

I have seen nothing so mild, nothing so calm as my brother was on that day, towards your sister. If any offence had been taken as a result of the calculation of her expenditure, it was not apparent. On the next day, we set out from Arpinum and ate lunch at Arcanum. 5

Very considerately Quintus said, “Pomponia, you call in the women, and I shall summon the men.” Nothing could have been sweeter, not only in his words but also in his behaviour and expression. But she, in our hearing, said, “I myself am a guest here.” Simply, I 10

think, because Statius had gone ahead to take care of lunch for us! Then Quintus said to me, “You see, this is the kind of thing I endure every day.” I myself was extremely upset by this situation; as you can see she had responded harshly and bitterly in both her words 15

and her expression. So we all reclined at table except for her. Quintus sent something from the table to her, which however she sent back. What more is there to say? There seemed to me nothing milder than my brother, and nothing more prickly than your sister; and I am 20

passing over many similar events.

**CATULLUS, POEM 5**

**Let us live, my Lesbia, and let us love,  
And value all the gossip of those  
rather strict old men at one as!  
Suns can set and rise again:  
But when once the brief light has set for us, 5  
There is one everlasting night to sleep through.  
Give me a thousand kisses, then a hundred,  
Then another thousand, and then a second hundred,  
Then yet another thousand, and then a hundred,  
Then when we have kissed many thousands of times, 10  
We shall mix them all up, so that we do not know,  
Nor can some evil person cast his curse upon us,  
When he knows what the number of kisses is.**

## CATULLUS, POEM 8

miser Catulle, desinas ineptire,  
 et quod vides perisse perditum ducas.  
 fulsere quondam candidi tibi soles,  
 cum ventitabas quo puella ducebat  
 amata nobis quantum amabitur nulla. 5  
 ibi illa multa cum iocosa fiebant,  
 quae tu volebas nec puella nolebat,  
 fulsere vere candidi tibi soles.  
 nunc iam illa non vult: tu quoque impotens noli,  
 nec quae fugit sectare, nec miser vive, 10  
 sed obstinata mente perfer, obdura.  
 vale puella, iam Catullus obdurat,  
 nec te requiret nec rogabit invitam.  
 at tu dolebis, cum rogaberis nulla.  
 scelesta, vae te, quae tibi manet vita? 15  
 quis nunc te adibit? cui videberis bella?  
 quem nunc amabis? cuius esse diceris?  
 quem basiabis? cui labella mordebis?  
 at tu, Catulle, destinatus obdura.

**CATULLUS, POEM 70**

**My woman says that she prefers  
To marry none but me, not even if Jupiter himself  
should ask her. She says this; but what a woman says  
to her eager lover  
She ought to write in the wind and fast-flowing water. 5**

**CATULLUS, POEM 72**

**You used once to say that Catullus was the only man  
you knew, Lesbia, and that you would not prefer to have  
Jupiter rather than me. Then I loved you, not so much  
as the common man loves his girl,  
But as a father loves his sons and sons-in-law. 5  
Now I have got to know you: and for this reason, even  
if I burn more passionately, You are nonetheless much  
cheaper and more trivial to me.  
How is this possible, you say? Because such injustice  
Compels a lover to love still more, but to like less. 10**

**CATULLUS, POEM 83**

**Lesbia mi praesente viro mala plurima dicit:  
 haec illi fatuo maxima laetitia est.  
 mule, nihil sentis? si nostri oblita taceret,  
 sana esset: nunc quod gannit et obloquitur,  
 non solum meminit, sed, quae multo acrior est res, 5  
 irata est. hoc est, uritur et loquitur.**

**OVID, ARS AMATORIA 1.469-478  
 ADVICE TO A REJECTED LOVER**

**si non accipiet scriptum inlectumque remittet,  
 lecturam spera propositumque tene.  
 tempore difficiles veniunt ad aratra iuveni,  
 tempore lenta pati frena docentur equi.  
 ferreus adsiduo consumitur anulus usu, 5  
 interit adsidua vomer aduncus humo.  
 quid magis est saxo durum, quid mollius unda?  
 dura tamen molli saxa cavantur aqua.  
 Penelopen ipsam, persta modo, tempore vinces:  
 capta vides sero Pergama, capta tamen. 10**

**MARTIAL, EPIGRAMS 8.12  
MARITAL EQUALITY?**

**Do you want to know why I do not want to marry a rich wife? I do not want to play the bride to my wife. A married lady should be of lower status than her husband, Priscus: In no other way can a woman and her husband be equal.**

## PLINY, LETTERS 4.19

## TO CALPURNIA HISPULLA, HIS WIFE'S AUNT

cum sis pietatis exemplum, filiam fratris tui ut tuam  
 diligis, affectumque ei repraesentas, non tantum amitae  
 verum etiam patris amissi. maxime igitur gaudebis, cum  
 cogoveris eam dignam patre, dignam te, dignam avo  
 evadere. summum est acumen, summa frugalitas; amat 5  
 me, quod castitatis indicium est. praeterea studium  
 litterarum ex mei caritate concepit.  
 meos libellos habet, lectitat, ediscit etiam. quanta  
 sollicitudine afficitur cum ego acturus sum, quanto  
 gaudio cum egi! disponit qui nuntient sibi quos 10  
 clamores excitaverim, quem eventum iudicii tulerim.  
 eadem, si quando recito, in proximo sedet, velo  
 discreta, laudesque meas avidissimis auribus excipit.  
 versus quidem meos cantat formatque cithara, non  
 artifice aliquo docente, sed amore, qui magister est 15  
 optimus. his ex causis est mihi spes certissima,  
 perpetuam nobis concordiam maioremque in dies  
 futuram esse. illa enim diligit non aetatem meam aut  
 corpus, quae paulatim occidunt ac senescunt, sed  
 gloriam meam. hoc vero decet puellam tuis manibus 20  
 educatam, quae amare me ex tua praedicatione  
 consuevit. ergo tibi gratias agimus, ego quod illam mihi,  
 illa quod me sibi dederis. vale.

**PLINY, LETTERS 6.24  
FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH**

I was sailing across our Lake Larius, when a friend showed me a house with a bedroom which sticks out into the lake. “From this bedroom,” he said, “a woman once threw herself with her husband. Her husband was afflicted with a very serious illness. His wife begged him to allow her to inspect his body; for, she said, there was no one who would tell him more faithfully whether he could be cured. She looked, despaired, encouraged him to die and she herself was the companion of his death, indeed she was his leader and example and driving force; for she tied herself to her husband and leapt into the lake.”

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**UNIT 9531 THEME B: LOVE AND MARRIAGE -  
COMPLETE VOCABULARY (2012-13 SELECTION)**

**A**

**ac - and**

**accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - accept**

**ācer, ācris, ācre - critical**

**acūmen, acūminis - acumen, shrewdness**

**ad + acc. - to**

**adeō, adīre, adiī / adīvī, aditus - come to, approach,  
go near,**

**adsiduus, adsidua, adsiduum - relentless, unrelenting**

**aduncus, adunca, aduncum - hooked**

**aetās, aetātis - age**

**affectus, affectūs - affection**

**afficiō, afficere, affēcī, affectus - affect**

**agō, agere, ēgī, āctus - do, act, deliver (a speech),  
plead in court; give**

**aliquī, aliqua, aliquod - any**

**amita, amitae - aunt**

**āmittō, āmittere, āmīsī, āmissus - lose**

**amō, amāre, amāvī, amātus - love**

**amor, amōris - love**

**ānulus, ānulī - ring**

**aqua, aquae - water**

**arātrum, arātrī - plough**

**artifex, artificis - artist, teacher**

**at - but, yet**

**auris, auris - ear**

**aut - or**

**avidus, avida, avidum - eager**

**avus, avī - grandfather**

## **B**

**bāsiō, bāsiāre, bāsiāvī - kiss**

**bellus, bella, bellum - beautiful, pretty**

## **C**

**candidus, candida, candidum - bright**

**cantō, cantāre, cantāvī - sing**

**capiō, capere, cēpī, captus - capture**

**cāritās, cāritātis - love, affection, esteem**

**castitās, castitātis - chastity, virtue**

**Catullus, Catullī - Catullus**

**causa, causae - reason**

**cavō, cavāre, cavāvī, cavātus - hollow out**

**certus, certa, certum - certain**

**cithara, citharae - lyre**

**clāmor, clāmōris - applause, shout, uproar**

**cognōscō, cognōscere, cognōvī, cognitus - learn,  
find out**

**concupiō, concipere, concēpī, conceptus - take up,  
conceive**

**concordia, concordiae - harmony**

**cōnsuēscō, cōnsuēscere, cōnsuēvī - become  
accustomed**

**cōnsūmō, cōnsūmere, cōnsūmpsī, cōnsūmptus - eat  
away**

**corpus, corporis - body**

**cum - when, since**

## **D**

**debet, decēre, decuit - befit, be proper**

**dēsīnō, dēsīnere, dēsīī - stop, cease**

**dēstinātus, dēstināta, dēstinātus - determined,  
obstinate, firm**

**dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - say**

**diēs, diēī - future; day**

**difficilis, difficile - difficult, obstinate**

**dignus, digna, dignum + abl. - worthy of**

**dīligō, dīligere, dīlēxī, dīlēctus - love**

**discernō, discernere, discrēvī, discrētus - hide, screen**

**dispōnō, dispōnere, disposuī, dispositus - station**

**dō, dare, dedī, datus - give**

**doceō, docēre, docuī, doctus - teach**

**doleō, dolēre, doluī, dolitus - suffer**

**dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - lead; consider**

**dūrus, dūra, dūrum - hard**

## E

**ēdiscō, ēdiscere, ēdidicī - learn by heart**

**ēdūcō, ēdūcāre, ēdūcāvī, ēdūcātus - bring up**

**ego, meī - I, me**

**enim - for**

**equus, equī - horse**

**ergō - therefore**

**et - and**

**etiam - even, also**

**ēvādō, ēvādere, ēvāsī - turn out**

**ēventus, ēventūs - outcome, verdict, result**

**ex + abl. - out of, from; for**

**excipiō, excipere, excēpī, exceptus - receive, listen to**

**excitō, excitāre, excitāvī, excitātus - provoke, inspire**

**exemplum, exemplī - example, model**

## F

**fatuus, fatua, fatuum - foolish, silly**

**ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus - bring about; bring, bear**

**ferreus, ferrea, ferreum - iron, made of iron**

**fīlia, fīliae - daughter**

**fīō, fierī, factus sum - happen**

**fōrmō, fōrmāre, fōrmāvī, fōrmātus - set to music; shape**

**frāter, frātris - brother**

**frēnum, frēnī - reins, bridle**

**frūgālitās, frūgālitātis - thrift**

**fugiō, fugere, fūgī - flee, run away**

**fulgeō, fulgēre, fulsī - shine**

**G**

**ganniō, gannīre - grumble**

**gaudeō, gaudēre, gāvīsus sum - rejoice, be delighted**

**gaudium, gaudiī - joy**

**glōria, glōriae - distinction, glory**

**grātia, grātiaē - thanks, gratitude**

**H**

**habeō, habēre, habuī, habitus - have**

**hic, haec, hoc - this**

**humus, humī - earth**

**I**

**iam - already, now**

**ibi - then**

**īdem, eadem, idem - the same**

**igitur - therefore, and so**

**ille, illa, illud - that; he, she, it**

**impotēns, impotentis - powerless, impotent**

**in + abl. - in**

**indiciū, indiciī - sign, evidence**

**ineptiō, ineptīre - be foolish**

**inlēctus, inlēcta, inlēctum - unread**

**intereō, interīre, interiī - be ruined**

**invītus, invīta, invītum - against your will, unwilling, reluctant**

**iocōsus, iocōsa, iocōsum - fun**  
**ipse, ipsa, ipsum - himself, herself, itself**  
**īrātus, īrāta, īrātum - angry**  
**is, ea, id - he, she, it**  
**iūdicium, iūdicī - trial**  
**iuencus, iuencī - bullock, young ox**

## L

**labellum, labellī - lip**  
**laetitia, laetitiaē - pleasure, delight**  
**laus, laudis - praise**  
**lectitō, lectitāre, lectitāvī, lectitātus - read**  
**legō, legere, lēgī, lēctus - read**  
**lentus, lenta, lentum - unyielding, tough; flexible**  
**Lesbia, Lesbiae - Lesbia**  
**libellus, libellī - little book**  
**litterae, litterārum - literature**  
**loquor, loquī, locūtus sum - speak**

## M

**magis - more**  
**magister, magistrī - teacher**  
**maior, maius - greater**  
**malus, mala, malum - bad, evil**  
**maneō, manēre, mānsī - remain**  
**manus, manūs - hand**



maximē - very greatly, very much  
 maximus, maxima, maximum - very great  
 meminī, meminisse - remember  
 mēns, mentis - heart, mind  
 meus, mea, meum - my  
 miser, misera, miserum - miserable, wretched  
 modo - now  
 mollis, mollis, molle - soft, gentle  
 mordeō, mordēre, momordī, morsus - bite  
 multō - much, by far  
 multus, multa, multum - many  
 mūlus, mūlī - ass, mule

## N

nec - and not, nor  
 nec ... nec - neither ... nor  
 nihil - nothing  
 nōlo, nōlle, nōluī - be unwilling  
 nōn - not  
 nōn tantum ... vērū etiam - not only ... but also  
 nōs - we, us  
 nōs, nostrī - we  
 nūllus, nūlla, nūllum - no one; not  
 nunc - now, as it is, as things are  
 nūntiō, nūntiāre, nūntiāvī, nūntiātus - report, announce

## O

obdūrō, obdūrāre, obdūrāvī, obdūrātus - hold fast  
 oblīvīscor, oblīvīscī, oblītus sum + gen. - forget  
 obloquor, obloquī, oblocūtus sum - abuse; interrupt  
 obstinātus, obstināta, obstinātum - stubborn  
 occidō, occidere, occidī - decline  
 optimus, optima, optimum - best

## P

pater, patris - father  
 patior, patī, passus sum - accept, endure  
 paulātīm - little by little, gradually  
 Pēnelopē, Pēnelopēs - Penelope, wife of Odysseus  
 perdō, perdere, perdidī, perditus - lose  
 pereō, perīre, perīī / perīvī, peritus - perish  
 perferō, perferre, pertulī, perlātus - endure  
 Pergama, Pergamōrum - the citadel of Troy  
 perpetuus, perpetua, perpetuum - everlasting,  
 unending  
 perstō, perstāre, perstitī - stand firm  
 pietās, pietātis - dutifulness  
 plūrimī, plūrimae, plūrima - very many  
 praedicātiō, praedicātiōnis - recommendation  
 praesēns, gen. praesentis - present  
 praetereā - moreover, besides  
 prōpositum, prōpositī - purpose, resolve  
 proximum, proximī - neighbourhood, vicinity  
 puella, puellae - girl

## Q

quandō - whenever

quantum - as much as

quantus, quanta, quantum - how much

-que - and

quī, quae, quod - what; who, which

quidem - even, indeed

quis? quid? - who? which? what?

quō - where, to the place where

quod - because

quondam - once

quoque - too, also

## R

recitō, recitāre, recitāvī, recitātus - give a recital,  
read aloud

remittō, remittere, remīsī, remissus - send back

repraesentō, repraesentāre, repraesentāvī, repraesentātus  
- show

requīrō, requīrere, requīsīvī, requīsītus - seek out, ask for

rēs, reī - thing

rogō, rogāre, rogāvī, rogātus - ask, ask after

**S**

**sānus, sāna, sānum - cured, sound in mind**

**saxum, saxī - stone, rock**

**scelestus, scelesta, scelestum - wicked**

**scrībō, scrībere, scrīpsī, scrīptus - write**

**sē - himself, herself, itself**

**sector, sectārī, sectātus sum - follow, pursue,  
chase after**

**sed - but**

**sedeō, sedēre, sēdī - sit**

**senēscō, senēscere, senuī - grow old**

**sentiō, sentīre, sēnsī, sēnsus - realise**

**sērō - late, after a long time**

**sī - if**

**sōl, sōlis - sun**

**sollicitūdō, sollicitūdinis - worry, anxiety**

**sōlum - only**

**spērō, spērāre, spērāvī, spērātus - hope**

**spēs, speī - hope**

**studium, studiī - enthusiasm**

**sum, esse, fuī - be**

**summus, summa, summum - very great, greatest**

## T

taceō, tacēre, tacuī - be quiet, be silent

tamen - however, nonetheless

tempus, temporis - time

teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentus - hold on to, keep

tū, tuī - you (singular)

tuus, tua, tuum - your (singular)

## U

unda, undae - water

ūror, ūrī, ustus sum - be inflamed

ūsus, ūsūs - use

ut - as

## V

vae - woe! alas!

valē - goodbye, farewell

vēlum, vēlī - curtain

veniō, venīre, venī - come

ventitō, ventitāre - often go, repeatedly come

vērē - indeed

vērō - indeed

versus, versūs - verse

videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsus - see

videor, vidērī, vīsus sum - seem

vincō, vincere, vīcī, victus - win

**vir, virī - husband, man**

**vīta, vītae - life**

**vīvō, vīvere, vīxī - live**

**volō, velle, voluī - want, be willing**

**vōmer, vōmeris - ploughshare**