Classics (CLAS)

CLAS 1001 Greek and Latin Origins of Medical and Specialized Terminology (3 credits)
Systematic presentation of the most common Greek and Latin words whose derivations are important in medical, scientific and specialized terminology, such as that of psychology and law. Exercises in word-building and analysis of definitions. Study of prefixes, suffixes and word roots. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required. Does not count toward fulfillment of the second language requirement.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2023 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term, 2017 Spring Term, 2016 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%201001)

CLAS 3000 Greek and Roman Epic Poetry (3 credits)
A study of the origins and development of classical epic, including readings in English translation from the works of Homer and Vergil. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2020 Spring Term, 2017 Spring Term, 2014 Spring Term, 2010 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203000)

CLAS 3005 Classical Foundations of European Literature (3 credits)
An introduction to the classical tradition in Western literature through comparison of ancient and modern texts. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2023 Spring Term, 2019 Spring Term, 2016 Spring Term, 2013 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203005)

CLAS 3015 Greek and Roman Tragedy (3 credits)
A study of the origins and development of classical tragedy, with readings in English translation from the work of Aeschylus, Sophocles, Euripides and Seneca. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2021 Spring Term, 2017 Fall Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2011 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203015)

CLAS 3020 Greek and Roman Comedy (3 credits)
Origins and development, with readings in English translation of the individual plays of Aristophanes, Menander, Plautus and Terence. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203020)

CLAS 3025 Classical Mythology (3 credits)
Greek and Roman myths and legends in ancient literature and religion. Influence of Classical Mythology on the Western literary tradition. The heroic exploits and modern psychological motifs. Survey and viewing of the enormous artistic legacy inspired by the Classical myths. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required. Does not count toward fulfillment of the second language requirement.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Marquette Core Curriculum: HUM Expanding Our Horizons
Last four terms offered: 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2020 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203025)

CLAS 3030 Greek and Roman Rhetoric (3 credits)
A study of the origins and development of classical rhetoric, with readings in English translation from the works of Aristotile, Cicero, Seneca, Rhetor, Antiphon, Lysias, Demosthenes and others. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203030)

CLAS 3200 Greek Civilization and Art (3 credits)
Major achievements of the Ancient Greeks in literature and art presented in a historical framework. Survey of the architectural remains and masterpieces of Greek sculpture. Frequent visual supplementation of art and architecture. Background readings and discussion on such topics as Greek religious cults, the philosophical schools, pan-Hellenic competitions and the role of the theatre in civic life. Knowledge of Greek not required. Does not count toward the second language requirement.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2022 Spring Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2011 Spring Term, 2004 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203200)
CLAS 3205 Roman Civilization and Art (3 credits)
Major achievements of Ancient Romans in literature, art and architecture presented in a historical framework. Survey of the architectural remains. Background readings and discussions on such topics as Roman religious cults, the rise of Christianity, Stoicism and Roman Principate, rhetoric and education, and the legacy of Roman law. Knowledge of Latin not required. Does not count toward fulfillment of the second language requirement.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2024 Spring Term, 2015 Fall Term, 2013 Fall Term, 2011 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203205)

CLAS 3210 Greek and Roman Literature in English Translation (3 credits)
Readings in English translation from Greek and Latin authors. Knowledge of Greek or Latin not required.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2007 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203210)

CLAS 3215 How to Be a Cynic: Life According to Nature (3 credits)
Explore life’s persistent questions, such as “What is a good life?” “How can I overcome fear, disappointment, and stress?” “How can I flourish in my work and relationship with others?”, with the help of Epictetus’s Handbook, a summary of Cynico-Stoic ideal of ‘life according to nature’, and the anecdotal literature of the ancient Cynics.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Marquette Core Curriculum: HUM Individuals & Communities
Last four terms offered: 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203215)

CLAS 3220 Indo-European Culture and Religion (3 credits)
Explore the myths and rituals of the Indo-Europeans and learn how they influenced the roles and responsibilities in modern societies. Understand why half of the world’s population shares some linguistic, cultural and religious features inherited from Indo-Europeans--ancient semi-nomadic people coming from the steppes around the Black Sea that around 2400 BC migrated to Europe and South and Central Asia.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Marquette Core Curriculum: HUM Crossing Boundaries
Last four terms offered: 2024 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%203220)

CLAS 4931 Topics in Classical Civilization and Literature (1-3 credits)
Topics vary. Subject to be announced., or cons. of dept. ch.
Prerequisite: Sr. stndg.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2013 Fall Term, 2012 Spring Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%204931)

CLAS 4995 Independent Study in Classical Civilization and Literature (1-3 credits)
Independent study with a faculty member centered on a particular topic in Classical Civilization and Literature.
Prerequisite: Cons. of dept. ch.
Level of Study: Undergraduate
Last four terms offered: 2016 Fall Term, 2015 Fall Term, 2013 Fall Term, 2012 Fall Term
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%204995)

CLAS 5931 Topics in Classical Civilization and Literature (1-3 credits)
Topics vary. Subject to be announced.
Level of Study: Graduate
Schedule of Classes (https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=CLAS%205931)