

**Intermediate/Senior (Grades 7-12)  
Classical Studies (Latin)**

**How can I earn a BEd degree in Classical Studies (Greek or Latin) at York University?**

You can earn your BEd degree at York in one of two ways:

- in the **concurrent program** at the same time as you are pursuing your undergraduate degree
- in the **consecutive program** after you have completed your undergraduate degree.

For full information, contact the York Faculty of Education at (416) 736-5001 or [OSP@edu.yorku.ca](mailto:OSP@edu.yorku.ca); or see [www.yorku.ca/foe](http://www.yorku.ca/foe) and <http://www.yorku.ca/foe/bed/BEdBrochure.pdf>.

**What is the Concurrent Education Program at York?**

You will work on your four-year undergraduate degree and your education degree at the same time and will graduate with two degrees. In order to teach Latin in high school, you will choose the Intermediate/Senior level (Grades 7-12) for your education degree, and you will choose Classical Studies (Latin) as one of your two Teaching Subjects.

**How are applicants selected for the Concurrent Education Program at York?**

Selection is based on grade-point average, related age-specific experience (e.g., as a classroom volunteer, camp counselor, volunteer in a literacy program), a personal statement, an interview and two letters of reference. See the brochure for application procedures. The interview period is April and May and **the application deadline is March 20, 2009.**

You must have completed at least 24 credits (four full-year courses) in first year, or the equivalent, and have at least 36 credits (six full-year courses) remaining to complete your undergraduate degree. A minimum C+ overall average is needed and you must be continuing in an undergraduate program at York.

**What is the Consecutive Education Program at York?**

You can apply to the consecutive program following completion of an acceptable four-year undergraduate degree program. You may also apply if you are completing your four-year degree. In order to teach Latin in high school, you will choose the Intermediate/Senior level (Grades 7-12) for your education degree, and you will choose Classical Studies (Latin) as one of your two Teaching Subjects.

**How are applicants selected for the Consecutive Education Program at York?**

Selection is based on grade-point average, related age-specific experience (e.g., as a classroom volunteer, camp counselor, volunteer in a literacy program), a personal statement, an interview and two letters of reference. Official transcripts must be submitted. For application procedures, see the brochure. The interview period is February and **the next application deadline will be late November 2009.**

You must have a B average in the university courses relevant to each Teaching Subject. You must also have an overall grade-point average of at least a B based on the final 60 credits or final two years of undergraduate studies.

**What courses must I take if I want to teach Latin in high school?**

If Latin is to be your first teaching subject, you must take at least 36 credits of Latin. If Latin is to be your second teaching subject, you must take at least 18 credits of Latin. You are also recommended to take Classical Greek and a selection of relevant courses dealing with the Greek and Roman world.

**Note: Classical Studies (Greek) can be chosen as a teaching subject, but opportunities to teach Greek in high school are very limited.**

For further advice, contact the undergraduate advisor in your Classics Department or Prof. Jeremy Trevett ([jtrevett@yorku.ca](mailto:jtrevett@yorku.ca)), Coordinator of Classical Studies at York University.