

English to Greek vocabulary in lessons 1-7

Try to remember the highlighted vocabulary!

Nouns

Aeneas (mythic Trojan hero said to have founded Rome) = Αἰνείας, ου, ό

altar = βωμός, ου, ό

angel, messenger = ἄγγελος, ου, ό

apostle = ἀπόστολος, ου, ό

art, skill, cunning device = τέχνη, ης, ή

assembly; (later) church = ἐκκλησία, ας, ή

athlete = ἀθλητής, ου, ό

bard = αοιδός, ου, ό

beginning, rule = ἀρχή

breath of life, spirit, ghost, (later) soul = ψυχή, ης, ή

brother = ἀδελφός, ου, ό

bull = ταῦρος, ου, ό

chance, fortune, destiny = τύχη, ης, ή

child = παιδίον, ου, τό

Christ = Χριστός, ου, ό

citizen = πολίτης, ου, ό

church = ἐκκλησία, ας, ή

citizen = πολίτης, ου, ό

courage, daring = τόλμα, ης, ή

cup = κοτύλη, ης, ή

day = ἡμέρα, ας, ή

death = θάνατος, ου, ό

desire = ἐπιθυμία, ας, ή

disease = νόσος, ου, ή

doctor = ἰατρός, ου, ό

drug, remedy = φάρμακον, ου, τό

envy, jealousy = φθόνος, ου, ό

excellence, virtue, courage = ἀρετή, ἥς, ἡ

farmer = γεωργός, οὔ, ὁ

food = σῖτος, ου, ὁ

friend = φίλος, ου, ὁ

garden, paradise = παράδεισος, ου, ὁ

gift = δῶρον, ου, τό

girl = κόρη, ης, ἡ

glory, opinion, reputation = δόξα, ης, ἡ

god, God = ὁ θεός

goddess = θεά, ᾱς, ἡ

gospel = εὐαγγέλιον, ου, τό

grief = λύπη, ης, ἡ

guest, host, foreigner =

Hades, both the Greek underworld and its god = Αἴδης, ου, ὁ

heart = καρδία, ας, ἡ

Hermes, a Greek god = Ἑρμῆς, οὔ, ὁ

horse = ἵππος, ου, ὁ

hour, season = ὥρα, ας, ἡ

house = οἰκία, ας, ἡ or οἶκος, ου, ὁ

hypocrite = ὑποκριτής, οὔ, ὁ

island = νῆσος, ου, ἡ

Jesus = Ἰησοῦς, οὔ, ὁ. A contracted noun, to be studied later.

John = Ἰωάν(ν)ης, ου, ὁ

joy = χαρά, ᾱς, ἡ

justice = δίκη, ης, ἡ

land, countryside = χώρα, ας, ἡ

letter = ἐπιστολή, ἡς, ἡ

life = βίος, ου, ὁ

love = ἔρως, ἔρωτος, ὁ

man (human being) = ἄνθρωπος, ου, ὁ; ἡ ἄνθρωπος means the woman)

master, lord = κύριος, ου, ὁ

Milon of Croton = Μίλων

Muse, one of the nine goddesses who protected arts and sciences = Μοῦσα, ης, ἡ

opinion, reputation, glory = δόξα, ης, ή

peace = εἰρήνη, ης, ή

Pharisee = Φαρισαῖος, α, ον

plain, field = πεδῖον, ου, τό

pleasure = ἡδονή, ἥς, ή

poet = ποιητής, οὔ, ό

prophet = προφήτης, ου, ό

proverb, opinion = γνώμη, ης, ή

river = ποταμός, οὔ, ό

rock, crag = πέτρα, ας, ή

rock, stone = λίθος, ου, ό

rule, beginning = ἀρχή, ἥς, ή

Sabbath = σάββατον, ου, τό

sailor = ναύτης, ου, ό

sea = θάλασσα (Attic dialect θάλαττα), ης, ή

season, hour = ὥρα, ας, ή

ship = πλοῖον, ου, τό

shouts, a shouting = κραυγή, ἥς, ή

silence = σιγή, ἥς, ή

slave = δοῦλος, ου, ό

sleep = ὕπνος, ου, ό

son = υἱός, οὔ, ό

soul (breath of life, spirit, ghost) = ψυχή, ἥς, ή

spring, source = πηγή, ἥς, ή

stadium = στάδιον, ου, τό

story, reason = λόγος, ου, ό; in Biblical Greek = word

straits, lack of a solution = ἀπορία, ας, ή

street, wide road =

student, disciple = μαθητής, οὔ, ό

sucking animal (adj. used as a noun)

synagogue = συναγωγή, ἥς, ή

teacher = διδάσκαλος, ου, ό

temple = τὸ ἱερόν

temple of the goddess Hera = Ἡραῖον, ου, τό

tent = σκηνή, ἥς, ἡ

thrift, frugality = εὐτέλεια, ας, ἡ

toil, labor = πόνος, ου, ὁ

treasury = θησαυρός, οὔ, ὁ

tree, plant = δένδρον, ου, τό

vine = ἄμπελος, ου, ἡ

war = πόλεμος, ου, ὁ

water = τὸ ὕδωρ (neuter of the 3rd declension, not studied yet)

way, journey = ὁδός, οὔ, ἡ

wild animal, beast = θηρίον, ου, τό

wine = οἶνον, ου, τό

“with the hands” = χερσί(ν) (dative plural of χεῖρ, χειρός, ἡ, 3rd declension)

wood, forest = ὕλη, ἥς, ἡ

word (in Biblical Greek) = λόγος, ου, ὁ

world = κόσμος, ου, ὁ

work, deed = ἔργον, ου, τό

young man = νεανίας, ου, ὁ

Verbs

it is permitted, possible = ἔξεστι(ν) (impersonal); it was permitted, possible = ἐξῆν, imperfect of ἔξεστι(ν)

to act with wanton violence, to outrage = ὑβρίζω

to admire, wonder at = θαυμάζω

to announce = ἀγγέλλω

to baptize, immerse = βαπτίζω

to be: he, she, it is = ἐστί(ν); they are = εἰσί(ν); ἦν = he, she, it was (imperfect of ἐστί(ν))

to bear witness = μαρτυρέω

to believe in, trust = πιστεύω

to bring, carry, bear = φέρω

to bring forth = προφέρω (cf. φέρω)

to carry over, to differ = διαφέρω

to chase, pursue = διώκω

to consider, deem = νομίζω

to cross = διαβαίνω
to dance = χορεύω
to do good, do what is right and proper = ἀγαθοποιέω > ᾠ
to do harm, do what is wrong = κακοποιέω > ᾠ
to draw, write = γράφω
to drink = πίνω
to establish = ἰδρύω
to find, discover = εὕρισκω
to flee, shun = φεύγω
to go, walk = βαίνω
to harm = βλάπτω
to have = ἔχω
to heal, care for = θεραπεύω
to hear = ἀκούω
to help = ὠφελέω
to know, recognize = γι(γ)νώσκω
to lead = ἄγω
to learn = μαρθάνω
to look = βλέπω (ἐς, εἰς + acc); to look at = προσβλέπω (+ acc)
to name = ὀνομάζω
to nourish = τρέφω
to persuade = πείθω
to pity, have pity upon = οἰκτείρω
to play = παίζω
to pour = λείβω, λείψω
to praise = ἐγκωμιάζω
to prevent = κωλύω
to provide = παρέχω (cf. ἔχω).
to recognize, know = γι(γ)νώσκω
to run = τρέχω
to sacrifice = θύω
to save = σῶζω
to say, speak = λέγω

to send = πέμπω

to separate from, delimit = ὀρίζω

to stop (someone or something) = παύω

to teach = διδάσκω

to testify, bear witness = μαρτυρέω

to throw = βάλλω

to throw on the ground, cast out = ῥίπτω

to trust, believe in = πιστεύω

to wait, remain = μένω

to walk, come, go = βαίνω

to walk up or upon, embark = ἀναβαίνω

to wash = λούω

to win (a battle), defeat (an adversary) = νικάω

to wish, be willing to = ἐθέλω

Pronouns

I = ἐγώ

you (sg) = σύ

he (actually a demonstrative meaning "that man, that one") = ἐκεῖνος

we = ἡμεῖς

you (pl) = ὑμεῖς

they = ἐκεῖνοι (the plural nominative of ἐκεῖνος)

Pronouns or Adjectives

what? = τί

who? which? = τίς;

Adjectives

admirable = θαυμαστός, ή, όν

bad, cowardly, evil = κακός, ή, όν

beneficial, good = χρηστός, ή, όν

brave = ἀνδρείος, α, ον

cowardly = δειλός, ή, όν

fine, noble = καλός, ή, όν
golden = χρυσοῦς, ή, οὔν
good, brave = ἀγαθός, ή, όν
harsh, difficult = χαλεπός, ή, όν
inimical = ἐχθρός, ά, όν
just, righteous = δίκαιος, α, ον
large, great, long = μακρός, ά, όν
middle = μέσος, η, ον
my (possessive adjective) = ἐμός, ή, όν
new, young = νέος, α, ον
Pharisee = Φαρισαῖος, α, ον
pure = καθαρός, ά, όν
small = μικρός, ά, όν
straight, correct = ὀρθός, ή, όν
terrible / wondrous = δεινός, ή, όν
useful = χρήσιμος, η, ον
very great, the greatest = μέγιστος, η, ον
wicked = πονηρός, ά, όν
wise = σοφός, ή, όν
wondrous / terrible = δεινός, ή, όν

Adverbs

also, too = καί used as an adverb
always = ἀεί / αἰεί
badly = κακῶς
no, not = οὐ (but μή is the negation with imperatives)
no longer, not any more = οὐκέτι
often = πολλάκις
only = μόνον
still = ἔτι
well, nicely, nobly = καλῶς
μή = no, not (used instead of οὐ with commands)

Prepositions

according to, throughout = κατά + acc

after = μετά + acc

at the base or foot of = υπό + dat

away from = από + gen

down (along) a road, river, denoting motion = κατά + acc

down from = κατά + gen

from = από + gen, πρὸς + gen

in, at = ἐν + dat

in or at the foot or base of (a tree, a mountain) = υπό + dat

in front of, before = πρὸς + gen

into = εἰς, εἰς + acc

on account of = διά + acc

out of = ἐκ + gen

through, across = διά + gen

to, toward, into = εἰς, εἰς + acc; πρὸς + acc

toward the base or the foot of = υπό + acc

up along = ἀνά + acc

with = μετά + gen

Conjunctions

after, when, since = ἐπεὶ, ἐπειδὴ

and = καί

because = διότι

but = ἀλλά

if = εἰ

or = ἢ

when, since = ἐπεὶ, ἐπειδὴ, ὅτε

Particles

"and" or "but," depending on the context = δέ (always postpositive)

and = τε (postpositive)

both... and = καί...καί, τε ... τε (postpositive)

for (causal) = γάρ (postpositive)

indeed, certainly, in fact = δή (postpositive)

"on the one hand"... "on the other hand." = μέν ... δέ

therefore = οὖν (postpositive)