

English to Greek vocabulary in lessons 1-9

Try to remember the highlighted vocabulary!

Nouns

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

ally = σύμμαχος, ου, ό

actor, hypocrite = ύποκριτής, ου, ό

altar = βωμός, ου, ό

angel, messenger = άγγελος, ου, ό

apostle = άπόστολος, ου, ό

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

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

athlete = άθλητής, ου, ό

(the) back = νότος, ου, ό

bard = άοιδός, ου, ό

beginning, rule = αρχή, ης, ή

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

brother = άδελφός, ου, ό

bull = ταύρος, ου, ό

"calling on" (a participle) = επικαλούμενος, η, ον; "he who calls on" = ό επικαλούμενος

carved image = ξόανον, ου, τό

cattle, especially a flock of sheep = πρόβατον, ου, τό, in the pl

chance, fortune, destiny = τύχη, ης, ή

child = παιδίον, ου, τό; τέκνον, ου, τό

Christ = Χριστός, ου, ό

church = έκκλησία, ας, ή

citizen = πολίτης, ου, ό

corner = γωνία, ας, ή

courage, daring = τόλμα, ης, ή

crowd = όχλος, ου, ό

cup = κοτύλη, ης, ή

day = ἡμέρα, ας, ἡ
death = θάνατος, ου, ὁ
democracy = δημοκρατία, ας, ἡ
desire = ἐπιθυμία, ας, ἡ
difference, dispute = διαφορά, ᾶς, ἡ
disease = νόσος, ου, ἡ
doctor = ἰατρός, οὔ, ὁ
donkey = ὄνος, ου, ὁ
dream = ὄναρ, ὄνατος, τό
drug, remedy = φάρμακον, ου, τό
earth = γῆ, γῆς, ἡ
envy, jealousy = φθόνος, ου, ὁ
error, crime (in ancient Greek) = ἁμαρτία, ας, ἡ
excellence, virtue, courage = ἀρετή, ῆς, ἡ
faith = πίστις, πίστεως, ἡ (3rd decl noun of a type not studied yet)
farmer = γεωργός, οὔ, ὁ
food = σῖτος, ου, ὁ; also σιτίον, ου, τό = especially in the pl
forest, wood = ὕλη, ης, ἡ
freedom = ἐλευθερία, ας, ἡ
friend = φίλος, ου, ὁ
frugality = εὐτέλεια, ας, ἡ
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, ᾶς, ἡ
gold = χρυσός, οὔ, ὁ
gospel = εὐαγγέλιον, ου, τό
grace = χάρις, χάριτος, ἡ
grief = λύπη, ης, ἡ
guest, host, foreigner = ξένος, ου, ὁ
Hades = Αἴδης, ου, ὁ

heart = καρδιά, ας, ή
Hermes = Ἑρμῆς, οὔ, ό
horse = ἵππος, ου, ό
hour, season = ὥρα, ας, ή
house = οἰκία, ας, ή or οἶκος, ου, ό
hypocrite, actor = ὑποκριτής, οὔ, ό
ἀδικία, ας, ή = injustice, unrighteousness
island = νῆσος, ου, ή
Jesus = Ἰησοῦς, οὔ, ό. A contracted
joy = χαρά, ᾱς, ή
justice = δίκη, ης, ή
land, countryside = χώρα, ας, ή
letter = ἐπιστολή, ῆς, ή
life = βίος, ου, ό
Love (god of love) = Ἔρως, Ἑρωτος, ό
man (human being) = ἄνθρωπος, ου, ό; ή ἄνθρωπος means the woman)
master, Lord = κύριος, ου, ό
Milon of Croton = Μίλων
money-lender = δανειστής, οὔ, ό
Muse, one of the nine goddesses who protected arts and sciences = Μοῦσα, ης, ή
opinion, reputation, glory = δόξα, ης, ή
peace = εἰρήνη, ης, ή
Pharisee = Φαρισαῖος, α, ον
place = τόπος, ου, ό
plain, field = πεδῖον, ου, τό
pleasure = ἡδονή, ῆς, ή
poet = ποιητής, οὔ, ό
prayer = εὐχή, ῆς, ή
prophet = προφήτης, ου, ό
proverb, opinion = γνώμη, ης, ή
rest, pause = ἀνάπαυλα, ης, ή
river = ποταμός, οὔ, ό
rock, crag = πέτρα, ας, ή

rock, stone = λίθος, ου, ό
rule, beginning = ἀρχή, ἥς, ἡ
ruler, tyrant = τύραννος, ου, ό
Sabbath = σάββατον, ου, τό
sailor = ναύτης, ου, ό
sea = θάλασσα (Attic dialect θάλαττα), ἥς, ἡ
season, hour = ὥρα, ας, ἡ
servant, deacon = διάκονος, ου, ό
shadow = σκιά, ᾶς, ἡ
ship = πλοῖον, ου, τό
shouts, a shouting = κραυγή, ἥς, ἡ
silence = σιγή, ἥς, ἡ
silver = ἄργυρος, ου, ό
sin (in *koinē*) = ἁμαρτία, ας, ἡ
sky, heaven = οὐρανός, οὔ, ό
slave = δοῦλος, ου, ό
sleep = ὕπνος, ου, ό
Socrates = Σωκράτης, ους, ό (3rd declension)
Solon, famous Athenian law-giver = Σόλων, Σόλωνος, ό
son = υἱός, οὔ, ό
soul (breath of life, spirit, ghost) = ψυχή, ἥς, ἡ
spring, source = πηγή, ἥς, ἡ
stadium = στάδιον, ου, τό
story, reason = λόγος, ου, ό; in Biblical Greek = word
straits, lack of a solution = ἀπορία, ας, ἡ
street, wide road = πλατεῖα, ας, ἡ
student, disciple = μαθητής, οὔ, ό
sucking animal (adj. used as a noun) = γαλαθηνόν, οὔ, τό
synagogue = συναγωγή, ἥς, ἡ
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, οῦ, ὁ
tree, plant = δένδρον, ου, τό
tyrant, ruler = τύραννος, ου, ὁ
unholiness = ἀσέβεια, ας, ἡ
vine = ἄμπελος, ου, ἡ
violence, wrongdoing = βία, ας, ἡ
war = πόλεμος, ου, ὁ
water = τὸ ὕδωρ (neuter of the 3rd declension, not studied yet)
way, journey = ὁδός, οῦ, ἡ
wide road, street = πλατεῖα, ας, ἡ
wild animal, beast = θηρίον, ου, τό
will = θέλημα, τος, τό
wine = οἶνος, ου, ὁ
wood, forest = ὕλη, ης, 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 as a citizen, be a citizen = πολιτεύω / πολιτεύομαι
to act with wanton violence, to outrage = ὑβρίζω
to admire, wonder at = θαυμάζω
to announce, proclaim = ἀγγέλλω, καταγγέλλω
to answer = ἀποκρίνομαι
to ask (a question) = ἐρωτάω > ῶ
to baptize, immerse = βαπτίζω
to bear witness, testify = μαρτυρέω
to be: he, she, it is = ἐστίν; they are = εἰσίν; ἦν = he, she, it was (imperfect of ἐστίν)

to be earnest, to pursue earnestly = σπουδάζω

to be present = πάρεμι (παρά + εἰμί)

to believe in, trust = πιστεύω

to bring, carry, bear = φέρω; to bring forth = προφέρω

to carry over, differ = διαφέρω

to change (someone or something into something else) = ἀλλάσσω (Attic ἀλλάττω)

to chase, pursue = διώκω

to come or go = ἔρχομαι

to command, bid = κελεύω, κελεύσω, ἐκέλευσα

to compete = ἀγωνίζομαι

to consider, deem = νομίζω

to cross = διαβαίνω

to dance = χορεύω

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

to defend oneself = φυλάσσομαι (Attic φυλάττομαι)

to differ, carry over, = διαφέρω

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 embark, walk up or upon = ἀναβαίνω

to embrace, welcome kindly = ἀσπάζομαι

to establish = ἰδρύω

to exchange something (acc) for something else (gen) = ἀλλάσσομαι (Attic ἀλλάττομαι) / ἀμείβω

to fear = φοβέω (also = to frighten) / φοβέομαι

to find, discover = εὐρίσκω

to flee, shun = φεύγω

to give thanks (+ dat complement) = εὐχαριστέω > ᾠ

to guard, protect = φυλάσσω (Attic φυλάττω)

to go, come, walk = βαίνω / ἔρχομαι

to go, walk, march, travel = πορεύομαι

to harm = βλάπτω

to have = ἔχω

to have come = ἦκω (this present is translated as if it were a perfect)

to heal, care for = θεραπεύω

to hear = ἀκούω

to help = ὠφελέω

to honor = τίνω

to indict = γράφομαι

to judge = κρίνω

to know, recognize = γι(γ)νώσκω

to lead = ἄγω

to learn = μανθάνω

to listen to, obey (+ dat) = πείθομαι

to live = ζάω > ζῶ

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 = οἰκτεῖρω

to play = παίζω

to pour = λείβω

to pray = εὐχόμαι; to address in prayer = προσεύχομαι

to praise = ἐγκωμιάζω

to prevent = κωλύω

to provide = παρέχω (cf. ἔχω).

to pursue earnestly, to be earnest = σπουδάζω

to receive, welcome = δέχομαι

to recognize, know = γι(γ)νώσκω

to reveal = ἀποκαλύπτω; make visible, reveal = φανερόω > ὤ

to run = τρέχω

to run a risk = κινδυνεύω

to sacrifice = θύω

to save = σώζω

to say, speak = λέγω

to send = πέμπω

to separate from, delimit = ὀρίζω

to show, make visible = φαίνω ; to appear = φαίνομαι

to stop (someone or something) = παύω

to strike = παίω

to suppose, think, believe = οἶομαι

to take turns = ἀμείβομαι

to taste = γεύομαι; to give someone a taste of something = γεύω

to teach = διδάσκω

to testify, bear witness = μαρτυρέω

to thank (+ dat complement) = εὐχαριστέω > ὦ

to throw = βάλλω; to throw down = καταβάλλω

to throw on the ground, cast out = ῥίπτω

to train (someone) = γυμνάζω; to train (oneself), to exercise = γυμνάζομαι

to trust , believe in = πιστεύω

to turn (someone or something) = τρέπω; to turn (intransitive, “betake oneself”) = τρέπομαι

to wait, remain = μένω

to walk, come, go = βαίνω / ἔρχομαι

to walk up or upon, embark = ἀναβαίνω

to want = βούλομαι

to wash = λούω

to welcome, receive = δέχομαι

to welcome kindly, embrace = ἀσπάζομαι

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

to wish, be willing to = ἐθέλω

to work = ἐργάζομαι

to worship, be pious = σέβω, later σέβομαι

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

another = ἄλλος, η, ο

that (pl those) = ἐκεῖνος, η, ο

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

called, chosen = κλητός, ή, όν

cowardly = δειλός, ή, όν

entire = ὅλος, η, ον

fine, noble = καλός, ή, όν

golden = χρυσοῦς, ή, οὖν

good, brave = ἀγαθός, ή, όν

harsh, difficult = χαλεπός, ή, όν

holy = ἅγιος, α, ον

how great? (neuter = how much?); pl = how many? = πόσος, η, ον;

inimical = ἐχθρός, ά, όν

just, righteous = δίκαιος, α, ον

knowable, known = γνωστός, ή, όν

large, great, long = μακρός, ά, όν; singular of πολύς, πολλή, πολύ

many = plural of πολύς, πολλή, πολύ

middle = μέσος, η, ον

much = πολύ

my (possessive adjective) = ἐμός, ή, όν

new, young = νέος, α, ον

Pharisee = Φαρισαῖος, α, ον

pure = καθαρός, ά, όν

rich = πλούσιος, α, ον

sanctified = ἡγιασμένος, η, ον

small = μικρός, ά, όν

straight, correct = όρθός, ή, όν

terrible / wondrous = δεινός, ή, όν

useful = χρήσιμος, η, ον

very great, the greatest = μέγιστος, η, ον

what sort of ...? = ποῖος, α, ον;

wicked = πονηρός, ά, όν

wise = σοφός, ή, όν

wondrous / terrible = δεινός, ή, όν

Adverbs

also, too = καί used as an adverb

always = άεί / αἰεί

badly = κακῶς

δεῦρο = hereto, here (the old fashioned "hither")

first = πρῶτον

"home" in the sense of "homeward" = οἰκαδε

how? = πῶς;

more, rather = μᾶλλον (comparative adverb)

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)

when? = πότε;

ποῦ = where?;

wherefrom (the old fashioned "whence")? = πόθεν;

whereto (the old fashioned "whither")? = ποῦ;

Prepositions

according to, throughout = κατά + acc

after = μετά + acc

away from = ἀπό + gen

by someone (with a passive verb) = ὑπό + gen

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

down from = κατά + gen

from = ἀπό + gen, πρὸς + gen

in, at = ἐν + dat

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

in front of, before = πρὸς + gen

into = εἰς, εἰς + acc

on, upon = ἐπὶ + gen

on account of = διὰ + acc

out of = ἐκ + gen

through, across = διὰ + gen

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

toward the base or the foot of = ὑπό + acc

up along = ἀνά + acc

with = μετά + gen

Conjunctions

after, when, since = ἐπεὶ, ἐπειδὴ

and = καί

because = διότι

before = πρίν + Infinitive (with a negation in the context)

but = ἀλλά

even if = εἰ καί

if = εἰ

just as, as = ὥς

neither... nor = οὐτε ... οὐτε

or = ἢ

when, since = ἐπεὶ, ἐπειδὴ, ὅτε

Particles

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

and = καί, τε (postpositive)

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

for (causal) = γάρ (postpositive)

indeed, certainly, in fact = δή (postpositive)

nevertheless = μέντοι (postpositive)

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

therefore = οὖν (postpositive)