Unit 4 - Fuga: Travel and Communication

Content Area: World Languages
Course(s): Latin 3 Honors
Time Period: December
Length: 12 blocks
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Enduring Understandings
Expansion of the Roman Empire was facilitated by the development of an efficient system of roads.
Travel and communication in ancient times is comparable to that of modern society.
Retaining the benefits of language study requires regular review and steady exposure.
Clarity of thought and ability to reason are drastically improved and developed through in-depth exploration of the Latin language.
Hercules' labors teach us about bravely meeting life's challenges, dealing with fate, and finding and fulfilling our destiny.
Essential Questions
Samples

How did the reasons for travel in the ancient world compare to the reasons for traveling today?

How did an efficient road and maritime system affect life in the provinces (i.e. economic influences, political and military influences, religious influences)? How are languages other than English used to communicate?

How are languages other than English used to communicate (i.e. cum clauses and the imperfect and pluperfect subjunctives)?

How does the language I am studying help me to become a more effective reader, writer, speaker and listener in English?

Content

Key Vocabulary: auctoritas, audax, carcer, colloquium, comprehendere, cum, descendere, egressus, eques, flumen, humi, infestus, interea, oppugnare, assus, patefacere, perfidus, pons, ripa, tantum, transire, tristis, verum

Skills

Bloom's Taxonomy

- Translate with accuracy connected Latin prose.
- Verify translation with key grammatical constructions.
- Relate the key details travel and communication in the ancient world.
- Associate Latin vocabulary with English derivatives.
- Identify and distinguish tense in verb forms.
- Identify cum clauses and pluperfect and imperfect subjunctives.
- Translate cum clauses into good idiomatic English.
- Analyze Hercules' 12 labors.

Resources

Cambridge Latin Course (CLC) Textbook Unit 3

CLC Unit 3 Omnibus

CLC Unit 3 Activity Masters

CLC Unit 3 Teacher Handbook

Quia: www.quia.com

Cultural and Historical DVDs

Hercules video

Maps of Europe

Teacher generated worksheets

Standards

WL.7.1.IH.A	Interpretive Mode
WL.7.1.IH.A.2	Demonstrate comprehension of spoken and written language as expressed by speakers of the target language in formal and informal settings, through appropriate responses.
WL.7.1.IH.A.4	Analyze historical and political contexts that connect or have connected famous people, places, and events from the target culture(s) with the United States.
WL.7.1.IH.A.5	Synthesize information from oral and written discourse dealing with a variety of topics.
WL.7.1.IH.A.6	Reserved This Indicator has been subsumed by Indicator 1 in this strand. In order to keep numbering consistent with the previous version of the CCCS for world languages, this Indicator is listed as reserved.
WL.7.1.IH.A.7	Infer the meaning of some unfamiliar words and phrases in new formal and informal contexts.
WL.7.1.IH.A.8	Analyze structures of the target language and comparable linguistic structures in English.
WL.7.1.IH.A.L	Linguistic