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BIBLICAL LANGUAGES

“All translators lie!”

Because languages are embedded in the culture of the people who speak them, we offer Greek 178 and Biblical Hebrew 178 as windows to the lives and experiences of the people during Biblical times.

LATIN

Undead

For a so-called “dead” language, Latin’s survival into this day and age is extraordinary.

Just think of the words ego, alibi, bonus, stamina, T-Rex, Expecto Patronum and Pro Nutro to name but a few. Latin 178 unlocks a new world of language for you and makes learning any other language easy.

ANCIENT CULTURES

Pharaohs, queens, peasants and sailors, kings, gods and goddesses, monsters and barmaids

In Ancient Cultures 114, we read some of the oldest stories in the world: the epic of the Mesopotamian king, Gilgamesh, and Egyptian short stories. How did people live and think in those long-forgotten days – people who were both different from us, and offer a perspective on the human condition with all its questions and challenges?

Not just dead, white men

Texts and material objects are excellent tools for understanding something of the way people live, think, love, fight and deal with being human. In Ancient Cultures 144, we take a journey through Homer's Odyssey and the ruins of Pompeii to meet and understand the ancient Greeks and Romans – and ourselves – in all their/our diversity.

An eye for an eye | Justice is blind

In Classical (Ancient) Legal Culture 114 and 144 you will be introduced to the development of legal systems from as early as 3000 BCE to contemporary South Africa. This course is aimed at Law students and leads to further studies in Ancient Cultures.

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BYBELTALE

"Alle vertalers lieg!"

Omdat tale ingebed is in die kultuur van die mense wat dit praat, bied ons Grieks 178 en Bybelse Hebreeus 178 aan as vensters tot die leef- en ervaringswêrelde van die mense uit Bybelse tye.

LATYN

Kanniedood

Vir 'n sogenaamde "dooie" taal is Latyn se oorlewing tot en met vandag uitsonderlik.

Dink maar net aan die woorde ego, alibi, bonus, stamina, T-Rex, Expecto Patronum en Pro Nutro om slegs 'n paar op te noem.

Latyn 178 sluit 'n nuwe taalwêreld vir jou oop en maak die aanleer van enige ander taal maklik.

ANTIEKE KULTURE

Farao's, koninginne, kleinboere en matrose, konings, gode en godinne, monsters en kroegmeisies

In Antieke Kulture 114 lees ons die oudste stories in die wêreld: die epos van die Mesopotamiese koning Gilgamesj en Egiptiese kortverhale. Hoe het mense geleef en gedink in vervloë dae, wat wel anders as ons is, maar 'n perspektief bied op menswees met al sy vrae en uitdagings?

Nie net dooie, wit ooms nie

Tekste en materiële voorwerpe kan ons help om te verstaan hoe mense lewe, dink, lief het, baklei en met hulle eie menswees omgaan. In Antieke Kulture 144 reis ons deur Homeros se Odusseia en Pompeji se ruïnes om die antieke Grieke en Romeine te ontmoet en hulle – asook onsself – in al hulle/ons diversiteit te leer verstaan.

'n Oog vir 'n oog | Die Reg is blind

In Klassieke (Antieke) Regskultuur 114 en 144 maak jy kennis met regsontwikkeling van so vroeg as 3000 v.C. tot en met Suid-Afrika vandag. Hierdie kursus is op Regstudente gemik en lei tot verdere studie in Antieke Kulture.

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