



**Greek 2**  
**NTGK5352 Summer Greek Institute**  
**Summer 2023**  
**New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary**  
**Biblical Studies Division**

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**MISSION STATEMENT**

New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary and Leavell College prepare servants to walk with Christ, proclaim His truth, and fulfill His mission.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course is designed to augment the student's grasp of Greek grammar as presented in the introductory course. This course will focus on grammar, translation, and the exegetical significance of New Testament Greek. Greek 2, while helpful to any student wishing to go further in understanding New Testament Greek, is required for language track students. Greek 2 is a prerequisite for Greek Exegesis courses; Advanced Greek for Exegesis; Readings in Hellenistic Literature; and Textual Criticism of the Greek New Testament. Prerequisite: NTGK5351 Greek 1 or its equivalent.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

The student outcomes for this course include the following:

1. Students should understand the categories and functions of Greek grammar
2. Students should gain an increased appreciation for how the study of Greek enhances Biblical interpretation
3. Students should acquire the ability to translate most any text in the Greek New Testament and apply this analysis to sound interpretation of the text

**Required Texts**

- **Beginning Greek Grammar from Greek 1 – Use what you already have.**  
Mounce, William D. *Basics of Biblical Greek*. 4<sup>th</sup> ed. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2019.

***Recommended***

OR

Stevens, Gerald. *New Testament Greek Primer*. 2<sup>d</sup> ed. Eugene, Ore.: Cascade Books, 2007.

OR

Merkle, Benjamin L. and Robert L. Plummer, *Beginning with New Testament Greek: An Introductory Study of the Grammar and Syntax of the New Testament*. Nashville: B&H, 2020.

OR

Decker, Rodney J. *Reading Koine Greek: An Introduction and Integrated Workbook*. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2014.

- Mathewson, David L. and Elodie Ballantine Emig. *Intermediate Greek Grammar: Syntax for Students of the New Testament*. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2016.
- Extra credit reading: David Alan Black, *Linguistics for Students of New Testament Greek*, 2<sup>d</sup> ed.

### **Course Requirements**

1. Daily quizzes will be given over the course of the semester and will come from the appropriate chapters in Mounce's grammar. Quizzes will come from the vocabulary and grammar for the assigned chapters. Students may earn partial credit for words missed on a vocabulary quiz by writing the word ten times and turning in the words by the next class meeting.
2. Students will be graded on their participation in class and their ability to interact with the material studied.
3. A grade will also be given for daily translation work, as well as other written work sheets that will be assigned occasionally. Full credit can only be received for work that is turned in on time; however, partial credit will be given for any written assignment that is turned in late.
4. Two tests will be given. Both tests will cover grammar and translation. The two tests will be take-home; they will be available on Canvas each Friday at 1:00 PM, and the completed tests should be posted to Canvas no later than the following Monday at 1:00 PM.

### **Attendance Policy**

Students are expected to attend and participate in the class sessions. Because of the nature of the intensive, students who miss any portion of the class may receive a grade of "F" for the course.

### **If you are taking this course as a NOLA2U Live student, please note the following attendance policies:**

1. The course on the New Orleans campus will be connected synchronously via Web conferencing with Internet students. These courses will require weekly attendance at the stated class meeting times.
2. Students are only allowed to miss the amount of class time specified in the NOBTS attendance policy as stated in this syllabus.
3. Technical issues will not be considered a valid reason for missing a class session.

### **Plagiarism on Written Assignments**

NOBTS has a no tolerance policy for plagiarism. Plagiarism in certain cases may result in expulsion from the seminary. See the NOBTS Student Handbook for definition, penalties, and policies associated with plagiarism.

### **Help for Writing Papers at “The Write Stuff”**

NOBTS maintains a Writing Center designed to improve English writing at the graduate level. Students can receive writing guides, tips, and valuable information to help in becoming a better writer. A copy of the approved NOBTS Style Guide can be found in the course Canvas shell, or can be located online at the Writing Center’s page on the seminary website at:

<https://www.nobts.edu/resources/pdf/writing/StyleGuide.pdf>

### **Technical Assistance**

For assistance regarding technology, consult ITC (504-816-8180) or the following websites:

1. [Selfserve@nobts.edu](mailto:Selfserve@nobts.edu) - Email for technical questions/support requests with the [Selfserve.nobts.edu](http://Selfserve.nobts.edu) site (Access to online registration, financial account, online transcript, etc.)
2. [Canvas.NOBTS.com](http://Canvas.NOBTS.com) Click on the “Help” button for technical questions/support requests regarding the NOBTS Canvas System. You can also email questions to [Canvas@nobts.edu](mailto:Canvas@nobts.edu).
3. [ITCSupport@nobts.edu](mailto:ITCSupport@nobts.edu) - Email for general technical questions/support requests.
4. [www.NOBTS.edu/itc/](http://www.NOBTS.edu/itc/) - General NOBTS technical help information is provided on this website.

### **Evaluation of Grade**

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| 1. Quizzes                  | 15% |
| 2. Class participation      | 15% |
| 3. Daily Assignment         | 20% |
| 4. Sectional test           | 25% |
| 5. Comprehensive final exam | 25% |

### **Pre-workshop assignments**

Read chapters 26 and 27 in Mounce's Grammar. Be prepared to ask questions and to discuss the content of these chapters. In the workbook complete the parsing in chapter 27 and review #5.

Translate sentences 6-10 in the workbook and Matt. 5:4-6 in the New Testament. Be prepared for a quiz on the vocabulary in chapter 27.

**Workshop Schedule:****Monday, June 12 (1:00-4:00)**

Verbs: Participles, Present  
(Imperfective) Adverbial  
Read: chapter 26-27  
Workbook: Parsing: #27,  
Review #5  
Translation: #27: 6-10  
Greek Text: Mt. 5: 4-6  
Quiz

**Tuesday, June 13 (8:30-11:30)**

Verbs: Participles, Aorist (Perfective)  
Adverbial  
Read: chapter 28  
Workbook: Parsing: #28  
Translation: #28: 5-9  
Greek Text: Mt. 5: 7-9  
Quiz

**Wednesday, June 14 (8:30-11:30)**

Verbs: Adjectival Participles  
Read: chapter 29  
Workbook: Parsing: #29  
Translation: #29: 6-10  
Greek Text: Mt. 5: 10-12  
Quiz

**Thursday, June 15 (8:30-11:30)**

Verbs: Perfect (Combinative) Part. &  
Gen. Absolute  
Read: chapter 30  
Workbook: Parsing: #30  
Translation: #30: 5-9  
Greek Text: 1 Jn. 1: 1-4  
Quiz

Verbs: Subjunctive Mood

Read: chapter 31  
Workbook: Parsing: #31;  
Review #6  
Translation: #31: 7-9  
Greek Text: 1 Jn. 1: 5-7  
Quiz

**Friday, June 16 (8:30-11:30)**

Verbs: Infinitives  
Read: chapter 32  
Workbook: Parsing: #32  
Translation: #32: 4, 5, 7, 10, 16  
Greek Text: 1 Jn. 1: 8-10  
Quiz

Verbs: Imperatives

Read: chapter 33  
Workbook: Parsing: #33  
Translation: #33: 1-6, 20  
Greek Text: 1 Jn. 2: 1-3  
Quiz

**Monday, June 19 (1:00-4:00)**

Verbs: mi Verbs  
Read: chapters 34-36  
Workbook: Parsing: #34, 35

**Tuesday, June 20 (8:30-11:30)**

Pronouns, Adjectives, and Adverbs  
(Chapters 2 and 3)

**Wednesday, June 21 (8:30--11:30)**

Article and Prepositions  
(Chapters 4 and 5)

**Thursday, June 22 (8:30-11:30)**

Finite Verbs  
(Chapters 7 and 8)

**Friday, June 23 (8:30-11:30)**

Exegetical Assignment

## New Testament Greek

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