

NETE 70013—Basics of Biblical Greek
(3 semester hours)

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Prerequisites: None

Description of Content:

This course will help you build a firm foundation in biblical Greek by emphasizing the basics of Koine Greek morphology (the way words are put together), syntax (the way phrases are put together), and vocabulary, strengthened by continual review through memorization, exercises, and translation. This course is the first in a two-semester sequence.

Class Procedures:

Instructor presentations with engaged student discussion and participation.

Requirements:

1. Active attendance
2. Preparation for class, including completion of homework
3. Regular quizzes and exams

Required Text:

Croy, N. Clayton. *A Primer of Biblical Greek*. Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2011. Pp. 282. (ISBN 9780802867339; \$18.41)

Recommended Texts (these or similar resources will be required for the spring course):

Aland, Barbara, Kurt Aland, and Johannes Karavidopoulos. *Novum Testamentum Graece*. 28th rev. ed. Stuttgart: Deutsche Bibelgesellschaft, 2012. Pp. 1008. (ISBN 9781619700307; \$44.82)

Bauer, Walter, Frederick William Danker, et al. *A Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature*. 3rd ed. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2001. Pp. 1188. (ISBN 9780226039336; \$164.58)

Grading procedures:

Quizzes	25%
Exams	60%
Preparation & Participation	15%