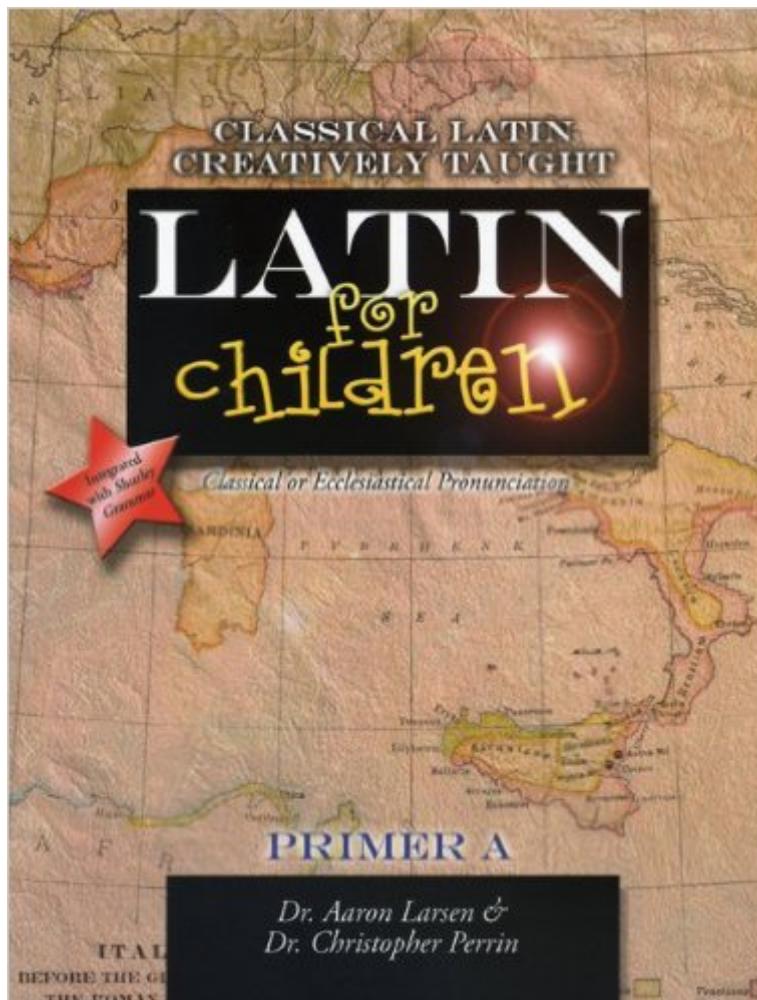


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# Latin For Children, Primer A (Latin Edition)



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The Latin for Children: Primer A is engaging, incremental, creative and filled with clear grammatical explanations, illustrations, exercises, tests, and a sizable and useful reference section. The text comes with a plethora of mnemonic aids (songs, chants) that enable students to learn vocabulary (over 240 of the most frequently occurring words) and grammar with ease and delight. The text is graphically engaging, featuring a crisp, classical look professionally designed. These books are the collaborative effort of three Latin teachers, and are the fruit of six years of research and testing. Caveat emptor (let the buyer beware), these books have made Latin the favorite subject of many students around the nation. Educators will find all curricula by Classical Academic Press to be created with four important attributes. Each product is classical, creative, relevant, and easy to use. As our company name implies, you will find that we publish classical books and media, seeking to acquaint students with the best that has been thought and said. We also design and present our products with creativity and zest, from beautiful illustrations to engaging storytelling, ensuring that the classical subjects being taught are anything but boring. Areas we publish in include: -Latin -Ancient Greek -Logic -Writing & Rhetoric -Bible, Old & New Testament -The Art Of Poetry -Spanish -Classical Education Resources

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My seven-year-old sons (second grade) and I are just finishing up with this text (version 3.2) and will

be moving on to Primer B. While some other reviewers mentioned significant typos and other errors in Primer A, this version is virtually free of errors (I found three grammatically incorrect English sentences and two more Latin vocabulary omissions which were mentioned on the publisher's website). I spent a significant amount of time researching Latin programs and have been extremely pleased with this text. I wanted to give my sons a solid foundation in classical Latin (as opposed to an ecclesiastical emphasis) and this program fits the bill. Latin for Children is a traditional grammar (i.e. "parts to whole") approach that is incremental and systematic, rigorous but not overwhelming for the elementary-aged child (it should be noted that while this text is "for children", it is perfectly appropriate to use with older students and adults--there is nothing cutesy or childish about this book). Not only will your child learn Latin grammar, he/she will also develop a strong English vocabulary based Latin derivatives and understand English grammar as never before. This, after all, is one of the main reasons for studying Latin. While many modern Latin texts emphasize a reading or "living language"/ "whole to parts" approach, these methods, while "fun" at some level, miss the mark. Such programs should be used as supplements to a thorough, grammar-based program, not the other way around.

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