

PORTFOLIO ASSESSMENT

The purpose of the Latin portfolio is to:

- *Get a perspective on the great amount you have accomplished.
- *Appreciate the diverse nature of the things you have learned.
- *Track your own personal and intellectual growth.
- *Enjoy the friendships you have been cultivating through Latin class.
- *Create an attractive display, which you will have out at graduation in 8th grade.

Your Latin portfolio should be fun to look through, neat, attractive, organized, but most of all, fun. Include your *favorite* assignments and activities, your *best* test, your *worst* test(!), *something you are very proud of*, *written assignments* in English and Latin, *photos*, *art work* and what ever else you can think of! Here are some suggestions:

Special Class Assignments

_____ Roman Imperialism in Britannia, Latin sentences and speeches

_____ any mythology art or other assignments relating to mythology

_____ Review assignments/activities for the DC project or parts of the DC project

Your Work With the Language

_____ a “Scribe Quod Tu Audis” (“Write What You Hear”) from early in the year and one from later on

_____ a “Word Study”, “Weird Word” homework or something else that shows your work with English derivatives

_____ dialogues and skits you have written yourself, translated, or played a part in (like the one you wrote at the beginning of the year)

_____ translations, an early one and one from later in the year or one that was difficult for you and one you think shows how you are moving towards fluency

_____ Any of your work with grammar, showing uses of noun cases, verb tense, etc. (color-coded charts, for example, or sentence writing exercises)

_____ a test or two (best test? worst test?) to show the extent of your progress

Other

_____ photos (project, togas at Halloween, JCL events...) ***YOU MUST HAVE AT LEAST TEN PHOTOS!!!*** See Ms. Fortman if you need help with printing them!

_____ Junior Classical League/National Latin Exam, convention program, awards, programs from plays, etc

_____clippings from newspaper that relate to Latin or the classics or cartoons with Latin or mythological themes

_____anything else you think would be fun to put in it!

RUBRICS FOR EVALUATION:

_____ (20) You should assemble all of this into an album, scrapbook, a fresh binder, or some other place where you can display your work neatly and the pages can easily be turned.

_____ (20) Everything should be **organized** in some way that you think is appropriate.

_____ (20) Your final product should be **neat** so that you don't have piece hanging out all over and pages stuck together.

_____ (20) You should **label** your pages, sections, **adding commentary** to your entries.

_____ (20) You should have a **personal reflection page** on what you have learned, how much you have progressed, your goals for the future, what is was like to work with your classmates, and so on.

Total Points _____