

# Classics at Truman

 **DISTINCT BY DESIGN**

Degree offered

# BA

Classics

Minors offered

Classical Studies,  
Greek, Latin



Students can learn two  
ancient languages:  
Ancient Greek and Latin

## 62.5%

of Classics graduate enter  
graduate school or law  
school immediately  
following graduation

## 18

approximate  
number of students  
in the major

## 19

approximate  
number of students  
in one of the minors

## 4

full-time faculty members and  
various allies across campus

**Take a variety of culture courses,  
including...**

- Greek and Roman Mythology
- Classical Antiquity on Screen
- Animals in Antiquity
- Greek and Roman Literature
- Women and Gender in Antiquity
- Greek and Roman Civilization
- Ancient Medicine
- Greek Tragedy In/Out of Context

Service learning opportunities  
include teaching Latin at a local  
elementary school.

Classics majors often double major  
and earn minors in areas including  
Linguistics, English, Philosophy &  
Religion, History, Anthropology,  
Biology, Computer Science,  
Economics, Foreign Language  
Teacher Preparation, or other  
foreign languages.

The Classical and Modern  
Languages Department also offers  
other languages: Arabic, Chinese,  
French, German, Italian, Japanese,  
Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish.



Small class sizes  
mean close  
attention and  
strong relationships  
with faculty.

Classics majors present their  
research at the Classics  
Capstone Symposium each year.



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“ When I began to study Latin and Greek, I enjoyed the process of solving the puzzles of the texts (and I still do). But then, I began to fall in love with that paradox of being utterly foreign and intensely familiar at the same time. Ideas and feelings that were written two millennia ago feel (sometimes amazingly) contemporary. And now I get to explore these ideas with talented and empathic students who reveal new insights to me just as often as I do to them. ”

– **ALEX TETLAK**, Instructor in Classics

Areas of specialization include Roman poetry (especially satire),  
mythology, and Latin pedagogy

Truman State University's Educator of the Year (2016)

Recipient of the Governor's Award for Excellence in Teaching (2017)

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