



NHM Culture & Education Center Greek Language & Dance Programs for Adults 2017-2018

Thank you for choosing the National Hellenic Museum for your Greek language classes. Additional information about programs can be found on our website: <http://www.nationalhellenicmuseum.org>.

General Info:

Who can participate: Adult language and adult dance classes are currently offered for students ages 15 and up.

Adult language classes are offered on Thursday evenings either from 5:30 – 6:45 PM or 6:45-8:00 PM. There is a small combined beginner/intermediate class on Saturday mornings from 10:15-11:45 AM (ideal if you have small children in the AM children's classes).

Adult Dance classes are currently offered in the basic/beginner level and intermediate/advanced level. Beginner dance class will run on Thursday evenings from 6:15-6:45 PM and the intermediate/advanced dance class will run from 6:45-7:15 PM. Beginner classes will run at a slower pace and focus on traditional Greek dances that you would typically see at weddings, baptisms and other functions. Intermediate/advanced dance classes will include a wide-array of dances from the main land, Greek islands, Cyprus and many more! Dance memberships are available for students interested in classes from September - May.

Where are the classes? All classes are held at the National Hellenic Museum at 333 S. Halsted St.

How about classes for kids? For information on Saturday morning & afternoon Children's classes please contact Dimitra Georgouses at dgeorgouses@hellenicmuseum.org.

Current Adult Language Class Offerings:

Basic/Beginner Classes:

Basic Modern Greek (101) will be offered from September 2017 to December 2017. Our Beginner Modern Greek Class (102) will be offered from January 2018 to May 2018. For students interested in progressing from a basic class to our beginner sequence, they should register for a full year of class (September – May). *Offered: Thursday evenings from 6:45 – 8:00 PM. Instructor: Doukessa Larias*

Combined Beginner/Intermediate Class:

The Combined class (200) will be offered from September 2017 – May 2018 and is ideal for those who have had experiences with Modern Greek growing up, but need to learn the foundations of the language to become stronger speakers; or those who have taken Modern Greek before who need a refresher on basic concepts. This class will be dialogue heavy –pushing students to engage in conversation with each other. *Offered: Saturday mornings from 10:30-11:45 AM. Instructor: Dimitra Georgouses*

Intermediate I:

Intermediate I (201-202) will be offered from September 2017 to May 2018. This class is ideal for students who have solid foundations in Modern Greek (reading and writing) and are working on improving their speaking & listening skills and taking their literacy skills to the next level.

Pre-requisites: It is recommended for those who have completed either the Basic/Beginner class or the combined beginner/intermediate class; or those who have taken at least 1 year of Modern Greek in the last 5 years. If you don't meet the criteria, but think you are a good fit for this course, please email us at dgeorgouses@hellenicmuseum.org.

Offered: Thursday evening from 5:30-6:45 PM. Instructor: Dimitra Georgouses



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Intermediate II:

Intermediate II (301-302) will be offered from September 2017 to May 2018. This class is ideal for students who have solid foundations in Modern Greek (speaking, reading and writing) and are working on improving their conversational skills, literacy skills, grammatical skills and increasing their knowledge of the history + culture.

Pre-requisites: It is recommended for those who have completed either the Intermediate I course, or those who have taken at least 2 courses in Modern Greek in the last 5 years. If you don't meet the criteria, but think you are a good fit for this course, please email us at dgeorgouses@hellenicmuseum.org.

Offered: Thursday evening from 6:45 – 8:00 PM. Instructor: Dimitra Georgouses

Advanced Classes:

Advanced class (400) will be offered from September 2017-May 2018. The class is ideal for students who can speak, read and write Modern Greek, but want additional challenges to help increase their knowledge of Greek etymology, increasing vocabulary, reviewing the structures of grammar, and engaging in dialogue about the history and civilization of Greece as well as topics relevant to modern-day Greece.

Pre-requisites: It is recommended for those who have completed at least 2 years of Modern Greek (or have approval), or those who can hold a steady conversation in Modern Greek and could pass the Intermediate II exam. If you don't meet the criteria, but think you are a good fit for this course, please email us at

dgeorgouses@hellenicmuseum.org.

Offered: Thursday evening from 5:30-6:45 PM. Instructor: Sotiria Tzavara

Please submit your request as early as possible. Classes fill early. As classes fill up, we will be closing registration for those classes.

Email the completed form to Dimitra Georgouses, Education & Public Programs Manager, at dgeorgouses@hellenicmuseum.org or fax it to (312) 655-1221. After your request has been processed, you will receive a confirmation letter and additional materials. For payments, please mail a check in with your registration or call the museum store to process your payment: 312-655-1234 ext. 10.

Please email Dimitra Georgouses or call the Education Department at (312) 655-1234 ext. 29 with any questions.

1. **Today's Date:** ____/____/____

2. 1st Student Registering:

Name: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Allergies: _____

Learning Disabilities: _____

Special Needs: _____

Medications: _____

Additional Information to share: _____

Level of Enrollment (please circle):

Thursday evening:

- Basic/Beginner Class



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- Intermediate I
- Intermediate II
- Advanced

Saturday morning:

- Combined beginner/intermediate class

Type of enrollment:

- Full year (September through May)
- First Semester (September through December)
- Second Semester (January through May)

Verbal Language Skills (*pick based on what describes the student best*):

1. **Native Greek speaker** (Greek is first language)
I speak Greek close to or as well as English, and would like to continue practicing the language / I speak basic Greek (what we would typically speak in a home) really well and would like to increase my knowledge of academic terminology, study the etymology of words, and increase my vocabulary
2. **Bilingual** (Speaks Greek close to /or as well as first language)
I am very comfortable holding a conversation in Greek / I would like to increase my advanced vocabulary in Greek
3. **Advanced verbal proficiency**
I feel pretty comfortable holding a conversation in Greek, but need continued practice to ensure that I am using the correct forms and tenses of words when I speak / I speak with ease, but make occasional mistakes and would like to increase my vocabulary
4. **Medium verbal proficiency**
I have a working vocabulary, I am comfortable with basic phrases, I can request needs and desires in Greek but need continued practice to be able to pull all my vocabulary together / I would like to increase my working vocabulary.
5. **Basic verbal proficiency**
I understand greetings, basic phrases and can begin to reciprocate basic phrases when someone talks to me / I grew up with Greek around me and understand a little, but need a refresher!
6. **No verbal proficiency, new to Greek**

Literacy and Grammar (*select the one that describes the student best*):

1. **Native / Bilingual Speaker, Advanced literacy**
I can speak and read/write in Modern Greek
2. **Native / Bilingual Speaker, Basic literacy**
I can speak, but I need to learn the fundamentals in literacy, syntax and grammar
3. **2nd + language, advanced literacy**
I'm learning Greek as a second or third language and can read the majority of the written language with ease, and can write short paragraphs
4. **2nd + language, intermediate literacy**
I can read short words / sentences with ease, I am comfortable with the basic grammatical structure
5. **2nd + language, early literacy**



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I know the basics but am still practicing letter sounds, digraphs and blends. I still need to learn the grammatical structure of the language.

6. No literacy proficiency

I am new to the Greek alphabet and grammatical structure

3. 2nd Student Registering:

Name: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Allergies: _____

Learning Disabilities: _____

Special Needs: _____

Medications: _____

Additional Information to share: _____

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Verbal Language Skills (*pick based on what describes the student best*):

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4. Personal Information or Parent/Guardian Information (if student is under the age of 18):

Name : _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Fax: (____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

5. Emergency Contact Information:

Parent/Guardian Name : _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Fax: (____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

6. Additional Emergency Contact Information:

Parent/Guardian Name : _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Fax: (____) _____ - _____ Email: _____

7. How did you hear about the Greek Language program?



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8. Any comments or notes you wish to share...

Greek Language Class Pricing

	Non-Members	Members of NHM (Save 10%)
Full Year	\$475	\$427.50
One Semester	\$325	\$292.50

Dance Class Pricing (unlimited dance classes from September – May)

	Non-Members	Members of NHM
Full year dance membership Unlimited classes for over 32 weeks	\$250 (Save over \$70)	\$225 (Save over \$95)
10 session punch card	\$90 (1 free class)	\$80 (2 free classes)

PAYMENT FORMS

Full Year Language Class September through May	Price	Quantity	Total
Non-Member	\$475		
Museum Member	\$427.50		
Per Semester Language Class	Price	Quantity	Total
Non-Member September through December	\$325		
Non-Member January through May	\$325		
Museum Member September through December	\$292.50		
Museum Member January through May	\$292.50		
Dance Classes			
Non-Member Unlimited dance classes	\$250		
Museum Member Unlimited dance classes	\$225		
Non-Member 10-session punch card	\$90		
Member 10-session punch card	\$80		
	GRAND TOTAL:		



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PAYMENT METHODS

- Check Enclosed
- Credit Card (please call the Museum store with card information: 312-655-1234 ext. 10)
- Will pay in Museum store
- Payment plan

Payment Notes:

- A deposit of 50% of total tuition is due within a week of registration to hold your spot in classes. If you are not able to make the deposit, consider a payment plan that will allow you to create a monthly payment that works for your budget.
- If you are not on a payment plan, 100% of tuition is due at or before the first class session.

Payment Policies:

All registrations and payments are final and we do not offer refunds. However, we do understand that the unexpected can arise and on a case by case basis we will review exceptional circumstances. As part of our commitment to our students we will offer the highest possible standards of courtesy, helpfulness and knowledge and will respond efficiently and courteously to all inquiries related to cancellations and refunds.

PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:

National Hellenic Museum
ATTN: Dimitra Georgouses
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QUESTIONS:

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