

HELPING STUDENTS OVER THE HURDLES IN READING THE NT IN GREEK

Fourth study day for teachers of Greek

Wednesday 2 March 2005, 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. at the University of Birmingham

With the support of both the Classics and Philosophical & Religious Studies subject centres of the Higher Education Academy (which has taken over the roles of the Learning and Teaching Support Network), we enclose the programme and details of a study day at the University of Birmingham.

What kind of day?

This will be a practical day with presentations and discussions aimed both at those teaching beginners and also those teaching intermediate students. It is the fourth such day, and the previous days have been highly valued by participants.

The speakers and leaders are all experienced teachers of Greek, and will be seeking to share their skills and experience with the group that meet: the previous study days have been valuable occasions when we have all been able to learn from each other. The programme reflects the feedback from previous study days.

What will happen?

We encourage those attending to bring examples of materials, handouts or ideas they have successfully used with students to share with others, especially those which relate to the topics of the presentations. We are keen to draw out 'good practice' ideas to improve the learning experience of all of our students. Please tell us on the booking form what you will bring.

How do I book?

The cost for the day, to include coffee, a buffet lunch, and a cup of tea is £20.00. Payment should be sent with your booking. Cheques should be payable to *Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge*, which is handling the booking arrangements (see contact below). Booking forms should be sent to: **Jane McLarty at Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge** (details on the booking form) **as soon as possible**. You can post, fax or email it (but in the latter two cases you will need to post your cheque separately). **The final date for receipt of bookings for the study day is Monday 21 February 2005.**

Location

We meet at Staff House at the University of Birmingham. This is situated on the main Edgbaston campus of the University. The best way there by public transport is to take the train to University, only two stops on the cross-city line from Birmingham New Street; trains leave from New Street every 15 minutes. Staff House is a short walk from the station – just head downhill towards the main campus and you will see the building in front of you. If you are planning to arrive by car, pay-and-display parking is available: ask for directions when you arrive at any of the main gates of the University. For maps and details on the location, please see the web site at <http://www.location.bham.ac.uk>.

Questions?

If you have any questions about your booking, please contact:

Jane McLarty (Tutor for Admissions. Lucy Cavendish College, Lady Margaret Road, Cambridge CB3 0BU; *tel:* 01223 332197; *fax* 01223 332178; *email:* jdm35@cam.ac.uk)

If you have any questions about the content of the day please contact Jane McLarty or either of the following:

Geoffrey Williams (Lecturer in Greek, Spurgeon's College, London) at:
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Dr Steve Walton (Senior Lecturer in Greek and NT Studies, London School of Theology) at:
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1000	Arrival and coffee	
1015	Welcome	Mark Goodacre [University of Birmingham]
1020	Starting from first principles: developing a new elementary textbook for Greek NT learners <i>[talk & questions]</i>	Glenn Balfour [Mattersey Hall, near Doncaster]
1105	Coffee	
1130	Textual criticism for learners of NT Greek <i>[talk & activity]</i>	Peter Head [Divinity Faculty & Tyndale House, Cambridge]
1230	Lunch	
1315	Helping students develop translation strategy <i>[talk & questions/discussion]</i>	Geoffrey Williams [Spurgeon's College, London]
1415	Helping Beginners with Participles	Steve Walton [London School of Theology]
	Participles with Intermediate Students	Mark Goodacre [University of Birmingham]
	<i>[two 15-20 minute talks and practical workshop]</i>	
1530	Plenary <i>to consider next steps and how to collate and disseminate resources from the day</i>	Chair: Jane McLarty [Divinity Faculty & Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge]
1600	Tea and depart	

GREEK TEACHERS' STUDY DAY BOOKING FORM

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I shall come to this study day and enclose a cheque for £20.00 payable to Lucy Cavendish College

Please tick here if you require a receipt

Name: _____

Address for contact: _____

Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

Main Greek teaching interests:

I will bring with me the following examples of resources, handouts or ideas which I have used successfully with students:

Please tell us below if you have particular dietary needs (e.g. vegetarian)