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LIVE CLASSES

English Grammar: God's Gift of the Written Word

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Syllabus

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Description:

In Apologia's Live Class, English Grammar: God's Gift of the Written Word, students will develop their skills in basic grammar by surveying significant concepts of the English language, such as punctuation, formatting, and traditional sentence diagramming (which trains students to quickly analyze any sentence's purpose and structure).

The text and the course will use excerpts from Scripture and great English literature to provide meaningful examples and exercises. This helps students learn and apply the given skills to their writing and gain a firm grasp of English.

As Christians, we should be students of the Word, and to do so, we must have a basic understanding of English. These skills will be used throughout your student's education and in your everyday communication.

Join students worldwide as instructor Jill Witt, a homeschooling mom with a master's in education, guides you and your classmates through an in-depth study of English grammar. As you progress through this course, you will develop your writing skills on a technical level, a priceless skill applicable to everyone no matter your chosen career path.

Prerequisites:

None.

Course Materials:

Wilson, Nancy. *Our Mother Tongue A Guide to English Grammar*. 2nd ed. Moscow, ID: Canon Press. 2004. (ISBN: 9781947644557)

Class Canvas Portal:

Students will access the course through the Canvas course portal:
<https://apologia.instructure.com/>.

Weekly Live Lecture:

- Tuesdays, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm ET

Course Schedule

- Week 1 - History of English Language and Nouns and Verbs - Lesson 1-2
- Week 2 - Adjective and Adverbs - Lesson 3-4
- Week 3 - Adverbs and Pronouns - Lesson 5-6
- Week 4 - Prepositions and Conjunctions - Lesson 6-7
- Week 5 - Interjections and Review - Lesson 8-9
- Week 6 - The sentence - Lesson 10-12
- Week 7 - Subject Modifiers - Lesson 13-15
- Week 8 - Preposition Phrase - Lesson 16-17
- Week 9 - Predicate Modifiers - Lesson 18-20
- Week 10 - Direct Objects and Indirect Objects - Lesson 21-22
- Week 11 - Predicate Nominative and Predicate Adjective - Lesson 23-23
- Week 12 - Noun clause and sentence structure - Lesson 25-26
- Week 13 - Review - Lesson 27
- Week 14 - Nouns - Lesson 28-30
- Week 15 - Nouns - Lesson 31-32
- Week 16 - Pronouns - Lesson 33-34
- Week 17 - Pronouns - Lesson 35-36
- Week 18 - Review - Lesson 37
- Week 19 - Special properties of Verbs - Lesson 38-39
- Week 20 - Special Properties of Verbs - Lesson 40-41
- Week 21 - Special Properties of Verbs - Lesson 42-43

- Week 22 - Special Properties of Verbs - Lesson 42-43
- Week 23 - Review - Lesson 44
- Week 24 - Verbal's - Lesson 45-47
- Week 25 - Special Properties of Modifiers - Lesson 48-50
- Week 26 - Capitalization
- Week 27 - Punctuation
- Week 28 - Punctuation
- Week 29 - Punctuation
- Week 30 - Review and final project

Help and Questions Outside of Live Class:

You can contact your instructor at mrs Witt@apologia.com.