

Practice Translation: The Wolf and the Dog

Worksheet

Latin

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Core Vocabulary

1.	<i>canis</i>	dog	8.	<i>est</i>	he/she is
2.	<i>cibus</i>	food	9.	<i>habeo</i>	I have
3.	<i>dominus</i>	master	10.	<i>inquit</i>	he/she says
4.	<i>villa</i>	house	11.	<i>specto</i>	I watch
5.	<i>quid?</i>	what?	12.	<i>nunc</i>	now
6.	<i>circum</i>	around	13.	<i>semper</i>	always
7.	<i>ambulo</i>	I walk	14.	<i>sed</i>	but



Main Task: Translate

*'nocte villam specto,' canis inquit, 'cibum semper consumo. sum laetus.'
sed lupus canem spectat. lupus inquit, 'quid circum cervicem habes?'
'collarium habeo,' respondet canis, 'est nihil. nunc ligatus sum. sed nocte
dominus me liberat. circum villam ambulo.'*

Additional Vocabulary		
<i>nocte</i> = at night	<i>cervicem</i> = your neck	<i>collarium</i> = collar
<i>nihil</i> = nothing	<i>ligatus</i> = tied up	<i>me liberat</i> = (he) frees me



Challenge: Translate

'cur nunc non ambulas?' lupus inquit. 'dominus me vetat,' canis respondet. 'cibum et villam et dominum laudas,' lupus inquit, 'libertatem laudo.' et exit, laetus.

Additional Vocabulary	
<i>vetat</i> = (he) forbids	<i>libertatem</i> = freedom



Review

Only turn to this section once you have completed the main task(s).



Main Task: Correct your answers.

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The dog says: 'At night, I watch the house. I always eat food. I am happy.' But the wolf looks at the dog. The wolf says, 'What do you have around your neck?' 'I have a collar,' replies the dog, 'It is nothing. Now I am tied up. But, at night, the master frees me. I walk around the house.'

