

Chapter 17 Quiz

A. Put a box around all the *imperfect* tense verbs. Make it large enough that there is space around the verb.

narrābant clāmant ōrābātis optātis volās errābam adornābat expectābās
 habitābāmus ululat labōrābat occultāmus ambulābātis labōrātis dēsīderābant

B. Go back to Question A. Underline the part of each imperfect tense ending that tells you *who*. Then **circle** the part of each imperfect ending that tells you your verb is imperfect tense—the *tense sign*.

C. Fill in the blanks.

1. The basic translation of the imperfect tense is _____ or _____ . . . *-ing*.
2. Sometimes the imperfect tense is translated using _____ or _____ *to*, instead. You will use the basic translation unless your teacher tells you otherwise.
3. To form the imperfect tense, first you form the verb _____ by dropping the _____ of the infinitive. Then you add the _____ tense endings!

D. Conjugate “intrō” in the *imperfect* tense. Fill in the blanks above the verb box first. Write in the translations alongside, as usual. Remember you are translating an *imperfect* tense verb, though!

Infinitive: _____ Verb Stem: _____

E. Translate. Notice whether your verb is imperfect tense or present tense!

1. adornābātis _____
2. optābat _____
3. explōrant _____
4. cantābās _____

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F. Translate. Notice whether your verb is imperfect tense or present tense!

1. Herī puer cavernam obscūram explōrābat. _____

2. Hodiē puellae parvam casam adornant. _____

3. Discipulae cūriōsae casam adornātam sēcrētē inrant. _____

4. Dīligentiam laudābam, sed gemmās et pecūniam laudābās. _____

5. Puella timida ursam fessam excitāre nōn optat. _____

G. Fill in the blanks with the correct derivative from the list above the sentences.

curiosity curious explorer ornament

1. Standing near the entrance was the most _____ statue you ever saw.

2. It looked something like two clams engaged in a dance, and for an _____ each one was draped with a golden seaweed chain.

3. I wonder what _____ brought home this _____, and from where!

Extra Credit: The verb stem of a first conjugation verb always ends in what letter? _____.