

# **Year 9 Latin**

**Translating a passage of Latin**

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# **LO: to practise translating a passage of Latin**

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# TIP: Nominative does the Verb to the Accusative

then fit the rest of the words in the sentence around these

## How some horses won a war

1 bellum est, et nautae oppidum oppugnant;  
Mārcus et Sextus in oppidō sunt; perīcula bellī  
nōn amant. scūta portant et nautās dē mūrō  
5 spectant. mox Quīntus et Lūcius, poētae, cum  
amicīs, ex templō festīnant; poētae cum nautīs  
nōn pugnant: proelium nōn est. Mārcus et  
Sextus ā dīs auxilium rogant et equōs ex stabulīs  
liberant; equī ex oppidō festīnant et nautās  
superant. Quīntus dē bellō cantat: ‘nōs poētae  
10 nautās superāmus.’ poētae verbīs, nōn factīs,  
pugnant!

oppugnō = I attack (a place)

proelium, -iī, n. = battle

auxilium, -iī, n. = help

stabulum, -ī, n. = stable

liberō = I set free

factum, -ī, n. = deed