

Questions

1. Notice the ways in which the word order differs from ordinary English. Can you formulate a rule about the usual position of the Latin words for “our” and “your” (the so-called possessives) with respect to the words they go with? (Do not worry at the moment about the different endings - *noster/nostra/nostrum/nostris* and *tuum/tua*. All will become clear as we go on.)

2. Some of the words in the Lord's Prayer would appear in different forms in a Latin dictionary; e.g. *caelis* would appear as *caelum*, *panem* as *panis* (the reasons will become apparent very soon). Find the following words in a Latin dictionary:

1. pater
2. caelum
3. nomen
4. regnum
5. voluntas
6. terra
7. panis
8. debitum
9. tentatio or temptatio (both spellings possible)