

Unit 9542 Narrative A: Tacitus, *Messalina* – Complete Vocabulary

A

ā, ab + abl. - from, by
abnuō, abnuere, abnuī - refuse, deny
abrupō, abrupere, abrūpī, abruptus + abl. - break off, throw off
ac - and
accelerō, accelerāre, accelerāvī, accelerātus - hasten, speed up
accingō, accingere, accīnxī, accīnctus - dress in
accipiō, accipere, accēpī, acceptus - accept, take in, receive
accūsātor, accūsātōris - accuser
ad + acc. - to, at
addō, addere, addidī, additus - add
adfectus, adfectūs - emotion, feeling
adferō, adferre, attulī, adlātus - bring, report
adhaereō, adhaerēre, adhaesī - stick to, always be with
adipīscor, adipīscī, adeptus sum - receive, obtain
admoveō, admovēre, admōvī, admōtus - bring near, bring forward, apply, put to
adolēscō, adolēscere, adolēvī, adultus - grow older, be well advanced
adoptō, adoptāre, adoptāvī, adoptātus - adopt
adsidēō, adsidēre, adsēdī - sit beside
adstō, adstāre, adstīti - stand by, stand, be present
adsultō, adsultāre, adsultāvī - jump about, leap about
adsum, adesse, adfuī - be present, arrive
adulter, adulterī - adulterer, lover
adulterium, adulterī - adultery, adulterous relationship
adversus, adversa, adversum - hostile, unfavourable, unfortunate
rēs adversae, rērum adversārum - misfortune, disaster
agō, agere, ēgī, āctus - do, act, pass, spend
alius, alia, aliud - other, another
alter, altera, alterum - the other, another
alter ... alter - one ... the other
amīcus, amīcī - friend, ally
amor, amōris - love
āmoveō, āmovēre, āmōvī, āmōtus - remove
an - whether, or
animus, animī - spirit, mind, character
antequam - before, sooner
apud + acc. - among, with, in, at the house of
arbor, arboris - tree
ascendō, ascendere, ascendī - climb up, ascend
aspectus, aspectūs - sight, view
aspiciō, aspicere, aspexī, aspectus - look at, behold, see, notice
at - but, yet, meanwhile
atque - and, and also, and even
ātrōcītās, ātrōcītātis - enormity
ātrōx, ātrōcis - terrible, severe
audiō, audire, audīvī, audītus - hear
auris, auris - ear
aut - or
autumnus, autumnī - autumn
āvertō, āvertere, āvertī, āversus - turn away, distract

B

Baccha, Bacchae - Bacchant, a follower of Bacchus
Britannicus, Britannicī - Britannicus, son of Claudius and Messalina

C

C. = abbreviation of **Gāius** - Gaius
caedēs, caedis - murder, slaughter, execution
caelebs, caelibis - unmarried

Caesar, Caesaris - the emperor
Calpurnia, Calpurniae - Calpurnia
caput, capitis - head
castra, castrōrum - camp
castrum, castrī - camp
causa, causae - reason, cause, case (of law)
causā + gen. - for the sake of
causam dīcere - plead one's case
celebrō, celebrāre, celebrāvī, celebrātus - celebrate
celer, celeris, celere - quick
celeriter - quickly, fast
cēlō, cēlāre, cēlāvī, cēlātus - hide
cēna, cēnae - dinner
centuriō, centuriōnis - centurion
certātim - in rivalry, in competition, eagerly
certē - certainly, surely, really, indeed
certus, certa, certum - certain
cēterus, cētera, cēterum - the other
chorus, chorī - chorus, band, group
cieō, ciēre, civī, citus - summon
circum - around, about
circumstrepō, circumstrepere - make a noise around, shout around
cīvis, cīvis - citizen
cīvitās, cīvitātis - city, state
clāmitō, clāmitāre, clāmitāvī - demand loudly, shout repeatedly
clāmor, clāmōris - shout, uproar
Claudius, Claudī - Claudius
claudō, claudere, clausī, clausus - shut, close, block
cōdicillī, cōdicillōrum - writing-tablet, notebook, note
coepiō, coepere, coepī - begin
cognōscō, cognōscere, cognōvī, cognītus - get to know, find out
cohors, cohortis - cohort
comes, comitis - comrade, companion
comitō, comitāre, comitāvī, comitātus - accompany, follow
commoveō, commovēre, commōvī, commōtus - move, arouse, evoke
complexus, complexūs - embrace
compōnō, compōnere, composuī, compositus - put together, arrange, compose, write an account
concēdō, concēdere, concessī, concessus - grant, hand over
concors, concordis + dat. - in harmony, on friendly terms with
concupīscō, concupīscere, concupīvī, concupītus - covet, long for
cōfirmō, cōfirmāre, cōfirmāvī, cōfirmātus - confirm
cōnfiteor, cōnfitērī, cōnfessus sum - confess
coniugālis, coniugālis, coniugāle - conjugal, matrimonial, of marriage
cōnsentiō, cōnsentīre, cōnsēnsī - agree
cōnsillium, cōnsillī - plan, judgement
cōnstituō, cōnstituere, cōnstituī - decide
cōnsul, cōnsulis - consul
cōnsulō, cōnsulere, cōnsuluī + dat. - consider, take care of, provide for
contendō, contendere, contendī - hurry
continuus, continua, continuum - continuous, persistent
contīō, contīōnis - assembly
conveniō, convenīre, convēnī - come together, join in marriage
convīva, convīvae - dinner guest
convīvium, convīvī - feast, entertainment, banquet
corpus, corporis - body

corrupō, corrumpere, corrupī, corruptus - corrupt, ruin

cothurnus, cothurnī - high boot

crīnis, crīnis - hair

cubiculum, cubiculī - bedroom

cum (1) - when, since, because, although

cum (2) + abl. - with

cūctus, cūcta, cūctum - all

D

damnō, damnāre, damnāvī, damnātus - condemn

dē + abl. - from, down from; about

dēcernō, dēcernere, dēcrēvī, dēcrētus - decree, decide, propose

decōrus, decōra, decōrum - right, fitting, decent

dēfēnsiō, dēfēnsiōnis - defence

dēfōrmitās, dēfōrmitātis - appalling nature

dehinc - thereafter, from then on

dēlātiō, dēlātiōnis - accusation, denunciation

dēmōvō, dēmōvĕre, dēmōvī, dēmōtus - move away, put away, remove

dēnique - at last, finally, in fact, in short

dēnūntiō, dēnūntiāre, dēnūntiāvī, dēnūntiātus + dat. - order

dēsīgnō, dēsīgnāre, dēsīgnāvī, dēsīgnātus - designate, appoint, choose

dīcō, dīcere, dīxī, dictus - say, speak
causam dīcere - plead one's case

diēs, diēi - day

dīgredior, dīgredī, dīgressus sum - separate, go in different directions

dīscīdium, dīscīdīi - divorce

discumbō, discumbere, discubūi - lie down, recline at table

dīssimulātiō, dīssimulātiōnis - concealment

dīssimulō, dīssimulāre, dīssimulāvī, dīssimulātus - disguise, conceal

diū - for a long time

dō, dare, dedī, datus - give, furnish, offer

domus, domī - home, house, household

dūcō, dūcere, dūxī, ductus - lead

dum - until

duo, duae, duo - two

E

ē + abl. - from, out of

effigiēs, effigiēi - portrait, image, effigy, statue

effundō, effundere, effūdī, effūsus - pour out

ēgredior, ēgredī, ēgressus sum - go out

enim - for

eō, ĩre, ĩi/ĩvi - go

obviam ĩre - meet, go to meet

epulor, epulārī, epulātus sum - enjoy a banquet, have a feast

ēripiō, ēripere, ēripiū + dat. - take away, remove

et - and, also, even

et ... et - both ... and

etiam - even, also

exardēsco, exardēscere, exarsī - be inflamed (with love)

exclāmō, exclāmāre, exclāmāvī - exclaim, shout

exim - then, next

eximō, eximere, exēmī, exēptus - take away

exitium, exitiī - destruction, killing, death

exsequor, exsequī, exsecūtus sum - carry out, accomplish

exspectō, exspectāre, exspectāvī, exspectātus - wait for

exturbō, exturbāre, exturbāvī, exturbātus - drive out

F

fābulōsus, fābulōsa, fābulōsum - incredible, fictional

facilitās, facilitātis - ease

facinus, facinoris - deed, crime

faciō, facere, fēcī, factus - make, do

fātālis, fātālis, fātāle - sent by fate, fatal, dangerous

fēmina, fēminae - female, woman

ferō, ferre, tulī, lātus - carry, bring; report, say

ferrum, ferrī - iron, sword

fidēlis, fidēlis, fidēle - faithful, loyal, trustworthy; dependable

fīlia, fīliae - daughter

fīlius, fīliī - son

firmō, firmāre, firmāvī, firmātus - make firm, make steady, strengthen, secure

flāgitium, flāgitīi - scandal

flāgitō, flāgitāre, flāgitāvī, flāgitātus - demand

flōreō, flōrĕre, flōruī - prosper

fluō, fluere, flūxī - flow, stream, hang loosely

forēs, forium - gate, door

forte - by chance, perhaps

fortūna, fortūnae - fortune, luck, status, misfortune

forum, forī - forum, market-place

fruor, fruī, fructus sum + abl. - enjoy

frūstrā - in vain

fundō, fundere, fūdī, fūsus - pour, pour out, sprawl

fūrtim - furtively

futūra, futurōrum - the future

G

gaudium, gaudiī - joy, gladness, delight

genū, genūs - knee

gerō, gerere, gessī, gestus - wear; use, display

Geta, Getae - Geta

gnārus, gnāra, gnārum - having knowledge of, being aware of

grātiā + gen. - for the purpose of

H

habeō, habĕre, habuī, habitus - have, hold, reckon, consider, treat

haesitō, haesitāre, haesitāvī - hesitate

haud - not

hedera, hederæ - ivy

hic, haec, hoc - this

honestus, honesta, honestum - honourable, decent

honor, honōris - honour, official position

hortus, hortī - garden

hūmānus, hūmāna, hūmānum - human, of a human being

humī - on the ground

I

iaciō, iacere, iēcī, iactus - throw around, toss

iam - now, already

ictus, ictūs - thrust, blow

īdem, eadem, idem - the same

identidem - continually, repeatedly, again and again

igitur - therefore, and so

ignārus, ignāra, ignārum - not knowing, unaware, unsuspecting

ille, illa, illud - that; he, she, it; the following, the former, the well known

immineō, imminĕre, imminuī + dat. - hang over, threaten

imperātor, imperātōris - emperor, general
imperium, imperīi - command; rule; empire; supreme power
imperō, imperāre, imperāvī + dat. - order, command
impetus, impetūs - attack, force
in (1) + acc. - to, into; for, towards; on
in (2) + abl. - in, on
incalēscō, incalēscere, incaluī - grow warm, relax
incautus, incauta, incautum - unthinking, unsuspecting
incendō, incendere, incendī, incēnsus - burn, set fire to
index, indicis - indication, proof
īnfāmia, īnfāmiae - outrageousness
ingredior, ingredī, ingressus sum - enter
inhorrēscō, inhorrescere, inhorruī - shudder
inquit - he says, he said
inritus, inrita, inritum - useless
īnsānia, īnsāniae - madness
īnsāniō, īnsāniere, īnsāniī - be mad, be in a frenzy, act crazily
īnsānus, īnsāna, īnsānum - mad, crazy
īnsidiae, īnsidiarum - ambush, intrigue
īnsum, inesse, īnfi - be in, be inside
intellegō, intellegere, intelligēxī, intelligētus - understand
inter + acc. - among, between
intereā - meanwhile
interim - meanwhile
interrogō, interrogāre, interrogāvī, interrogātus - ask, question
intrō, intrāre, intrāvī, intrātus - enter
ipse, ipsa, ipsum - he, she, it; himself, herself, itself
īra, īrae - anger, wrath, rage
is, ea, id - he, she, it; this, that
īta - in this way, so
iubeō, iubere, iussī, iussus - order
iugulum, iugulī - throat
lūnia, lūniae - Lūnia Silana, wife of Silius
iuventūs, iuventūtis - youth, young men
iuvō, iuvāre, iūvī, iūtus - help, assist
iuxtā - close by, near by

L

lābor, lābī, lāpsus sum - let slip, let fall
lacrima, lacrimae - tear
laetor, laetārī, laetātus sum - rejoice, be joyful
languēscō, languēscere, languī - droop, grow weak
largitiō, largitiōnis - generous gifts, bribery
lascīvia, lascīviae - playfulness, joke
Lepida, Lepidae - Lepida
līber, lībera, līberum - free, unencumbered
līberī, līberōrum - children
lībertus, lībertī - freedman, ex-slave
libīdō, libīdinis - pleasure, lust
licentia, licentiae - liberty, licence, freedom
locus, locī - place, position
loquor, loquī, locūtus sum - speak, talk
Lūcullianus, Lūculliana, Lūcullianum - of Lucullus
Lusius, Lusī - Lusius
luxus, luxūs - luxury, extravagance

M

maereō, maerere - be sad, grieve, lament
magnitūdō, magnitūdinis - magnitude, great size
magnus, magna, magnum - big, great
maneō, manere, mānsī - remain, stay
marītus, marītī - husband
māter, mātris - mother
mātrimōnium, mātrimōnī - marriage

maximē - very greatly, very much, most of all
memoria, memoriae - memory
Messalīna, Messalīnae - Messalina, third wife of the Emperor Claudius
metus, metūs - fear
mīles, mīlitis - soldier
mīrāculum, mīrāculī - wonder, marvel, amazing story
mīrus, mīra, mīrum - strange, surprising
miser, misera, miserum - miserable, wretched
miserīcordia, miserīcordiae - pity
mittō, mittere, mīsī, missus - send
mora, morae - delay
moror, morārī, morātus sum - delay, wait
mors, mortis - death
mortālis, mortālis, mortāle - mortal, human
multī, multae, multa - many
multō - much

N

nam - for
Narcissus, Narcissī - Narcissus
nē - not, that, lest, not to
nē ... quidem - not even
nec - and not, nor
necessitās, necessitātis - need, time of need, crisis
nēdum - not only that, let alone that
neglegō, neglegere, neglēxī, neglēctus - neglect, disregard, ignore
neque - and not, nor
nescius, nescia, nescium - unaware of
nēve - and that
nihil - nothing; not at all
nisi - unless, if ... not
nōbilis, nōbilis, nōbile - noble, of noble birth
nōmen, nōminis - name
nōn - not
nōnnūllus, nōnnūlla, nōnnūllum - some
nōvī, nōvisse - know, be familiar with
novus, nova, novum - new
nox, noctis - night, darkness
nūbō, nūbere, nūpsī + dat. - marry
nūllus, nūlla, nūllum - not any, no
numquam - never, at no time
nūntiō, nūntiāre, nūntiāvī, nūntiātus - announce, report
nūntius, nūntiī - messenger
nūptiae, nūptiarum - wedding, marriage

O

ob + acc. - because of
oblīviō, oblīviōnis - oblivion, forgetfulness
oboediō, oboedire, oboedī + dat. - obey
obsignō, obsignāre, obsignāvī, obsignātus - sign, be a witness
obstrepō, obstrepere, obstrepuī - shout against, shout down
obviam - in the way
obviam ire - meet, go to meet
occāsio, occasiōnis - opportunity
Octāvia, Octāviae - Octavia, daughter of Claudius and Messalina
odium, odī - hatred, spite, resentment
offerō, offerre, obtulī, oblātus - offer
omnīnō - in total, only
omnis, omnis, omne - all, every
opēs, opum - money, wealth
opperior, opperīrī, oppertus sum - await
opprimō, opprimere, oppressī, oppressus - crush
orbus, orba, orbum - childless

ōsculum, ōsculī - kiss
Ostia, Ostiae - Ostia, the harbour-town of Rome
Ostiēnsis, Ostiēnsis, Ostiēnse - of Ostia, leading to Ostia

P

paalex, paelicis - concubine, courtesan
parātus, parāta, parātum - ready, prepared
parātus, parātūs - property, belongings
parō, parāre, parāvī, parātus - prepare, make ready
pater, patris - father
paucī, paucae, pauca - few
pectus, pectoris - chest, breast, heart
pellis, pellis - skin, hide
pellō, pellere, pepulī, pulsus - break down, break open
per + acc. - through, along, over, throughout, all over, for, for the sake of
percussor, percussōris - executioner
pereō, perire, perīī - die, perish
perficiō, perficere, perfēcī, perfectus - finish, complete, perform
perīculum, perīculī - danger
perniciēs, perniciētī - ruin, death
perpellō, perpellere, perpulī, perpulsus - induce, prevail upon
persuādeō, persuādēre, persuāsī, persuāsus + dat. - persuade
pēs, pedis - foot, footstep
placeō, placēre, placuī - please, suit, be pleasing
pōculum, pōculī - drinking-vessel, cup
poena, poenae - punishment
populus, populī - people
poscō, poscere, poposcī - ask for, demand
possum, posse, potuī - can, be able
post - after, afterwards
postea - afterwards
postquam - after, when
postrēmō - finally, lastly
postrīdiē - on the next day
postulō, postulāre, postulāvī, postulātus - demand
potēns, potentis - be in control of, have power over
potentia, potentiae - power
potior, potīrī, potītus sum + abl. - take possession of, have
praealtus, praealta, praealtum - very high
praedīcō, praedīcere, praedīxī, praedictus - declare beforehand, prearrange
praeficiō, praeficere, praefēcī, praefectus + dat. - put in charge of, make commander of
praegredior, praegredī, praegressus sum - precede, go on ahead
praemium, praemīī - prize, reward
praemoneō, praemonēre, praemonuī, praemonitus - forewarn
praesāgium, praesāgīī - foreboding, prophecy
praesentia, praesentium - the present
praesertim - especially, particularly
praetōriānus, praetōriānī - a member of the Imperial bodyguard, a praetorian guard
praetōrius, praetōria, praetōrium - praetorian
praevaleō, praevalēre, praevaluī - prevail, carry more weight
praeveniō, praevenīre, praevenī, praeventus - forestall
precēs, precum - prayers
precor, precārī, precātus sum - pray (to), pray for
prēlum, prēlī - wine-press
prīmum - first, for the first time
prīnceps, prīncipis - chief, chieftain, emperor

prīvātus, prīvāta, prīvātum - private
prīvātus, prīvātī - a subject, private citizen
procāx, procācis - dissolute, undisciplined
proficīscor, proficīscī, profectus sum - set out
prōlātō, prōlātāre, prōlātāvī, prōlātātus - prolong
prōmissum, prōmissī - promise
prōmptus, prōmpta, prōmptum - prepared, ready
properō, properāre, properāvī, properātus - hurry, hasten
propinquus, propinqua, propinquum - approaching, next
propter + acc. - because of
prōrumpō, prōrumpere, prōrūpī - break out, rush out
prōvolvō, prōvolvī, prōvolūtus sum - fall down
proximus, proxima, proximum - next, immediately following
pūblicus, pūblica, pūblicum - public, common
pulcher, pulchra, pulchrum - beautiful, handsome
purgāmenta, purgāmentōrum - refuse

Q

quaerō, quaerere, quaesīvī, quaesītus - search for, look for, ask, inquire
quaestiō, quaestiōnis - trial
quam - than
quamquam - although
quasi - as it were, almost
quatiō, quaterē, -, quassus - shake, brandish
questus, questūs - lament, complaint
quī, quae, quod - who, which, that
quia - because
quidem - indeed, certainly, in fact
nē ... quidem - not even
quippe - for obviously, indeed
quis, quid - who? which? what?
quoque - also, too

R

raptim - hurriedly
ratus, rata, ratum - thinking
redeō, redire, redīī - return, go back, come back
referō, referre, rettulī, relātus - bring back, recall
regredior, regredī, regressus sum - return
remedium, remedīī - cure
repēns, repentis - sudden
reperiō, reperīre, repperī, repertus - find
rēs, reī - thing, business, matter, condition
rēs adversae, rērum adversārum - misfortune, disaster
respondeō, respondēre, respondī - reply, respond
reus, reī - defendant, guilty person
Rōmānus, Rōmāna, Rōmānum - Roman
rūmor, rūmōris - rumour

S

sacrificium, sacrificīī - sacrifice (to a god)
sacrificō, sacrificāre, sacrificāvī, sacrificātus - sacrifice
saepe - often
scelus, sceleris - crime
scrībō, scrībēre, scrīpsī, scrīptus - write
sē - himself, herself, themselves
sēcrētum, sēcrētī - secret, private interview
sēcūrītās, sēcūrītātis - safety, security; recklessness, carelessness
sed - but
senātus, senātūs - senate
senēscō, senēscere, senuī - grow old

senior, seniōris - *elder, senior*
servus, servī - *slave*
seu - *or whether*
sive ... seu - *either ... or*
sī - *if*
signum, signī - *mark, token, sign*
Sīlāna, Sīlānae - *Junia Silana, wife of Silius*
silentium, silentiī - *silence*
Sīlius, Sīliī - *Gaius Silius, a young nobleman*
simul - *at the same time, together*
simulācrum, simulācrī - *representation, pretence, show*
sine + abl. - *without*
sive - *whether*
sive ... seu - *either ... or*
sōlitūdō, sōlitūdinis - *solitude, desertion, desolation*
solitus, solita, solitum - *usual, customary, normal*
sollemne, sollemnis - *ceremony*
solum - *only*
solūtus, solūta, solūtum - *unrestrained, free, relaxed, uninhibited*
speciēs, speciēi - *sight, appearance*
spernō, spernere, sprēvī, sprētus - *despise, reject*
spēs, speī - *hope*
statim - *at once*
strepō, strepere, strepuī - *make a loud noise, shout confusedly*
suādeō, suādēre, suāsī + dat. - *urge, persuade*
subeō, subīre, subīi, subitus - *undertake*
subsidiū, subsidiī - *support, means of salvation, life-line*
sum, esse, fuī - *be, exist, live; happen; remain; be possible/allowable*
summa, summōrum - *highest honours, supreme power, the throne*
superbia, superbiae - *arrogance, insolence*
suprēmus, suprēma, suprēmum - *last, extreme*
suscipiō, suscipere, suscepī, susceptus - *have a child, rear, produce*
suus, sua, suum - *his, her, his own, their own*

T

taceō, tacēre, tacuī - *be silent, say nothing*
tam - *so*
tamen - *however, nevertheless, all the same, yet*
tandem - *at last*
tantus, tanta, tantum - *so great, such a great*
tantum + gen. - *so much, such a degree of*
tempestās, tempestātis - *storm*
temptō, temptāre, temptāvī, temptātus - *try, attempt*
teneō, tenēre, tenuī, tentus - *hold, keep*
thyrsus, thyrsī - *Bacchic wand*
timeō, timēre, timuī - *be afraid, fear*
trādō, trādere, trādidī, trāditus - *hand over, relate, tell, deliver*

trānseō, trānsīre, trānsīi, trānsitus - *cross over, be over, be finished*
trānsigō, trānsigere, trānsēgī, trānsāctus - *stab, run through*
trepidātiō, trepidātiōnis - *alarm, trembling, panic*
trēs, tria - *three*
tribūnal, tribūnālis - *platform*
tribūnus, tribūnī - *tribune*
tristitia, tristitiāe - *unhappiness, sadness*
tum - *then*
tunc - *then*
tuus, tua, tuum - *your (singular), yours*

U

ubi - *where, when*
ūllus, ūlla, ūllum - *any, any one*
ultiō, ultiōnis - *revenge*
ultrā - *more, further*
undique - *on all sides, from all directions*
ūnus, ūna, ūnum - *one, a single*
urbs, urbis - *city, the City, Rome*
urgeō, urgēre, ursī - *press, squeeze, weigh down; urge*
ut (1) - *as, like*
ut (2) - *that, so that*
ūtor, ūtī, ūsus sum + abl. - *use*
uxor, uxōris - *wife*
uxōrius, uxōria, uxōrium - *conjugal, belonging to one's wife*

V

Valēns, Valentis - *Valens*
vehiculum, vehiculī - *cart*
vel - *or*
velut - *as it were, as if, as though*
veniō, venīre, vēnī - *come*
ventitō, ventitāre - *come repeatedly*
verbum, verbī - *word*
veritus, verita, veritum - *fearing, afraid*
vertō, vertere, vertī, versus - *turn, direct, change, alter, overturn, upset*
vētor, vertī, versus sum - *turn, change*
Vettius, Vettiī - *Vettius*
via, viae - *street, road*
videō, vidēre, vīdī, vīsus - *see; (in passive) appear, seem*
vinciō, vincīre, vīnxī, vīctus - *bind, encircle, garland*
vīndēmia, vīndēmiae - *grape-gathering, grape harvest*
vindicta, vindictae - *vengeance, punishment*
vīnum, vīnī - *wine*
vīsus, vīsūs - *gaze, attention*
vīta, vītae - *life*
vocō, vocāre, vocāvī, vocātus - *call, summon*
vōx, vōcis - *voice, word, words*