



*Center for Continuing Education*

## **Modern Greek for Beginners**



As you know, the English language is riddled with Greek words. The word “Alphabet” for instance is formed by the first two letters “alpha” and “beta”, and there are countless other words like “gymnasium” and “theatre”. At the same time though, Modern Greek can be challenging.

With this course, students will learn to speak Modern Greek more quickly than they may expect. The goal is to make them comfortable using their new language in the practical situations that they encounter in everyday life, for example: travel, conducting business, meeting people, using the telephone, meetings, participating in a conversation effectively, etc. With this communicative and dynamic approach, they will rapidly find themselves speaking in a new language

This course is designed to develop all language skills, reading and writing as well as conversation. In this course, the object is to give students a basic knowledge of Greek and expand it accordingly. Students will be introduced to simple words, phrases and sentences in a simple step by step format.

**Dates:** Thursdays (6 sessions)  
February 2<sup>nd</sup> – March 8<sup>th</sup> 2012

**Time:** 6:00 pm-8:30 pm

**Cost:** \$145 – Textbooks not included

**Textbooks:** Modern Greek Eighth Edition (Reader) by Theodore Papaloizos, ISBN: 978-0-932416-54-4  
and  
Modern Greek Eighth Edition (Workbook) by Theodore Papaloizos, ISBN: 978-0-932416-02-5

**Location:** Edison State College, Fort Myers Campus,  
Room to be announced

**Instructor:** Maria A. Gousopoulou-Shields

***Advance registration and payment to Cont. Ed. is required***  
***Seats are limited for group session, so register today!***  
***For registration form and information, call 239-489-9235,***  
***Email [celee@edison.edu](mailto:celee@edison.edu)***  
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**Requests for refund one week prior to the first class meeting will be granted. If you have a Higher One card through Edison the refund will be transferred to your Higher One Account. Due to the short-term nature of most Continuing Education programs, refunds will not be granted on or after the first class meeting.**