

Autumn Term
2021



Online

Thinking pods: Join the Community

At Forte Academy, our philosophy is to 'question everything' in the fields of Classics, Latin, Italian, History, Art and the Renaissance. When you enrol with us, you are joining a community of independent thinkers. For Autumn Term 2021 only, thinking pods are free and included for the duration that you are enrolled on a course with us. Otherwise, you are welcome to join us on a monthly basis for pods-only access by enrolling [on the store](#).

Thinking Pods: These are informal group seminars to complement our courses & philosophy at Forte Academy. For example, these might be interactive workshops where we explore topics in an innovative way or help each other to pick up new skills; spotlights on important & overlooked authors or special events with inspiring individuals in our community. Students are encouraged to think independently, engage with primary material and contribute their ideas in whatever way they feel most comfortable.

Date & Time	Topic
Saturday 16th October 2021 13:15 – 14:00 BST	<i>Latalian</i>: Learning Italian through Latin <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A fun fusion language seminar for those keen to start learning Italian, with some prior knowledge of Latin; a creative take on the Cambridge Latin Course, Stage 1.
Thursday 21st October 2021 18:00 – 19:00 BST	Spotlight On... <i>The Chalice & the Blade</i>: an alternative to Darwin's theory of evolution <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group reading, analysis & activities based on Riane Eisler's theory of "dominator culture" outlined in her groundbreaking book <i>The Chalice & the Blade</i>. Prepare to shift your perspective on civilisations in the past & present!• Keywords: Classics, Goddess Culture; Prehistory; Cruelty & Kindness; Violence & Masculinity; Hierarchy; Polarities; Gender Theory. <p style="text-align: right;">PTO</p>

<p>Thursday 28th October 2021</p> <p>18:00 – 19:00 BST</p>	<p>Tips... for aspiring Classics students from state schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seminar open to current or aspiring Classics students from a state-educated background (or teachers at state schools) interested in finding out more about barriers & solutions in the field of Classics; the history of exclusivity & studying abroad; and an opportunity to share & ask for advice.
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October

3 pods per month

Informal, interactive
sessions

All materials provided

Online

Enrol by 10th October
2021 at:

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