

MT Week Three Principal Parts

present	future	aorist	perfect active	perfect middle/passive	aorist passive	English meaning
ἄγω	ἄξω	ἤγαγον	ἤχαι	ἤγμαι	ἤχθην	to lead
ἀποθνήσκω	-θανοῦμαι	-έθανον	τέθνηκα			to die
βαίνω	βήσομαι	ἔβην	βέβηκα			to go
ἐθέλω	ἐθελήσω	ἠθέλησα	ἠθέληκα			to wish
μάχομαι	μαχοῦμαι	έμαχεσάμην (dep.)		μεμάχημαι	έμαχέσθην (dep.)	to fight
πίμπρημι	πρήσω	ἔπρησα	πέπρηκα	πέπρη(σ)μαι	έπρήσθην	to burn up
τύπτω	τυπτήσω	έτύπησα			έτύπην	to strike

some grammar topics: consonant stem middle/passive perfects, athematic root aorists, prolatives with ἐθέλω

some exercises

1. The general drove his army into enemy territory but died before he could fight. (try a simple πρίν + inf. for “before he could fight”)
2. Let’s go! Let’s fight and burn the city of Troy!
3. Wanting to converse (διαλέγομαι + dat.) with Socrates I went to the marketplace.
4. After beating me up—so badly I wanted to die (try a ὥστε clause)—they began to set fire to my house!
5. They fought the enemy with a view (= ἵνα) to making it to the beach and burning their ships