In this session of Teaching Tips and Tactics, Jonathan Master will first survey how Latin classes are taught at Emory. The focus will primarily be the beginner level, but will also more briefly cover the intermediate and advanced levels. Learning Latin is largely based on memorizing paradigms through in class lecture and drill, including frequent pairing off for students to practice with one another. We will consider how the goals for the teaching of Latin are more limited than those for modern, spoken languages but not completely different. Lastly, we will discuss how conveying one’s own enthusiasm for the material as well as a genuine interest in students’ learning and lives make this somewhat traditional method of teaching the language viable in the 21st century.