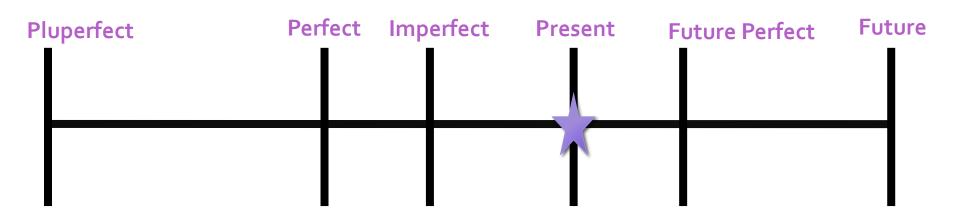
CAPUT XIII GRAMMAR

FUTURE PERFECTTENSE

Future Perfect Tense

• The newest (and last) tense is the future perfect tense. How do all of the tenses fall on the timeline below?



Future Perfect Tense

- The future perfect tense is formed the same as the perfect and pluperfect tenses.
 3rd principal part i + ending = verb
- The endings used are simply the <u>future form</u> of esse

Future Perfect Tense

Verb humav-	Meaning	Verb tetig-	Meaning
humavero	I will have buried	tetigero	I will have touched
humaveris	you will have buried	tetigeris	you will have touched
humaverit	he will have buried	tetigerit	he will have touched
humaverimus	we will have buried	tetigerimus	we will have touched
humaveritis	you will have buried	tetigeritis	you will have touched
humaverunt	they will have buried	tetigerunt	they will have touched

SUPERLATIVE ADJECTIVES

 Just like adjectives in English, Latin adjectives have degrees of comparison

smart
 smarter
 smartest

tired more tired most tired

light
 lightest

These degrees of comparison are called

Positive: obscurus dark

Comparative: obscurior** darker

Superlative: obscurissimus darkest

^{**}We will learn these at a later date!

The superlative degree is formed by adding __-issimus

onto the stem

longus	long	longissimus	longest
brevis	short	brevissimus	shortest
obscurus	Dark	obscurissimus	darkest

 Superlative adjectives are declined just like first and second declension adjectives

There are a few, however, that are formed a little differently.

• bonus, -a, -um:	optimus, optima, optimum
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malus, -a, -um:
 pessimus, pessima, pessimum

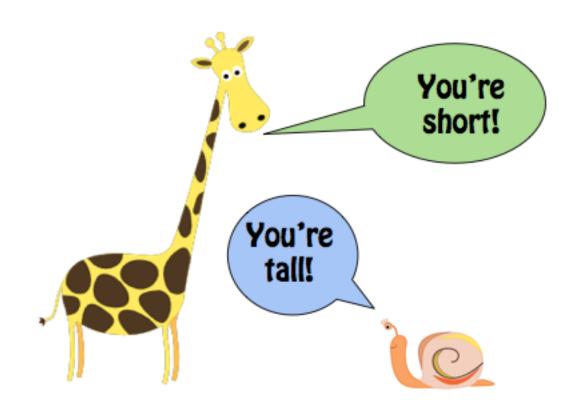
magnus, -a, -um: maximus, maxima, maximum

• parvus, -a, -um: <u>minimus, minima, minimum</u>

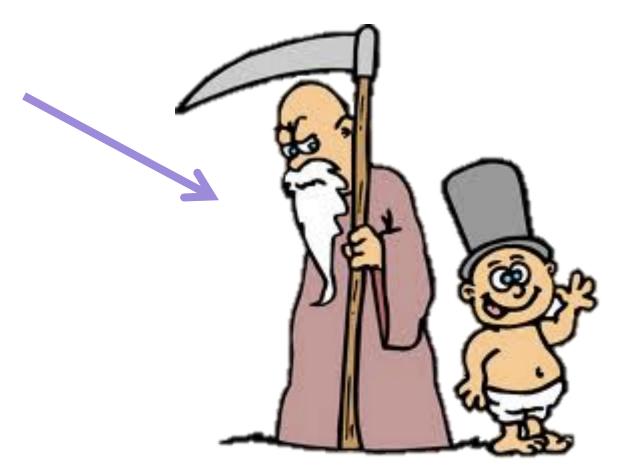
Also, adjectives that end in –er have a superlative ending in –rimus

aeger	sick	aegrimus	sickest
pulcher	beautiful	pulcrimus	most beautiful
miser	miserable	miserimus	most miserable

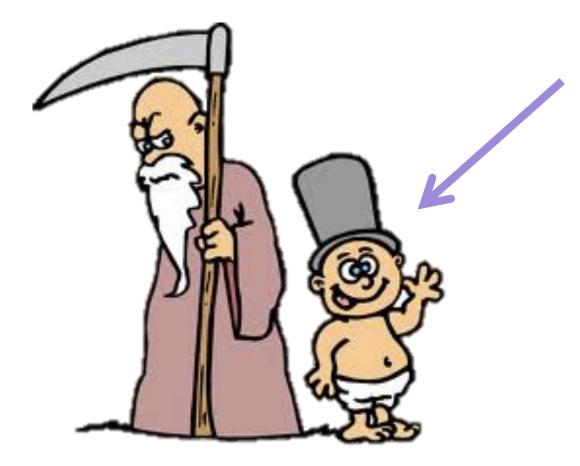
Quis est altissimus/a?



Quis est senissimus /a?



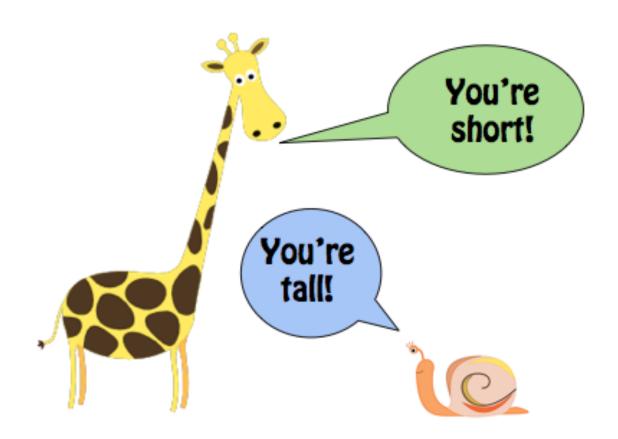
Quis est iuvenissimus/a?



Quis est laetissimus/a?



Quis est brevissimus/a?



Quis est stultissimus/a?



Quis est insanissimus/a?



NOMINA ADIECTIVAQUE

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Nouns and adjectives must agree in <u>gender</u>,

case , & number

• Nota Bene: Not in <u>declension</u>!

