



Latin: A Fresh Approach Book 2

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Description

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Readership: For all newcomers to Latin seeking a thorough grounding in the language.

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