

L304 / D601 OLD ENGLISH, FALL 2015
 DR. DAMIAN FLEMING

CLASS MEETING: MW 3:00 – 4:30 PM LA 136
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 Course Wiki: <http://oldenglish2015.pbworks.com>

REQUIRED TEXTS (AVAILABLE AT IPFW BOOKSTORE):

- *A Gentle Introduction to Old English*, Murray McGillivray, Broadview Press, 2011 ISBN: 978-1-55111-841-3
- *Beowulf, A New Translation for Oral Delivery*, Translated, with an Introduction, by Dick Ringer, (Hackett, 2007) ISBN:(0-87220-893-1)/(978-0-87220-893-3)

Before second class: Visit wiki, request access; read and comment on article

WAYS TO FAIL THIS CLASS:

- 3 absences
- failure to turn in any assignment on time
- failure to recite (x2)
- plagiarism
- texting in class

GRADING:

Participation/recitation:	9%
Office visit:	1%
Research Project:	20%
Quizzes and translation work:	20%
Articles and Wiki-work	20%
Midterm and Final	30%

GRADE SCALE:

A	94-100	Outstanding Scholarship	C	74-76	Average
A-	90-93		C-	70-73	
B+	87-89		D+	65-69	
B	84-86	Superior	D	60-64	Lowest passing quality
B-	80-83		F	below 60	
C+	77-79				

SCHEDULE:

****NOTE:** This schedule is subject to change; missing class is **NOT** an excuse for not knowing about changes to the schedule (see above: attendance).

AUG	Date	Reading Due	Other
1	M 24	Class intro	Faeder ure (audio)
	W 26		Read " Why Read Old English Literature " Comment 300 words Here
2	M 31	GIOE ch 1 and 2 (some audio examples) Memorize Faeder ure	Read " How Difficult is the Old English Language " Comment 300 words Here
SEP	W 2	GIOE 3	

			Do Exercises A,B,C (write out Q&A, hand in). For C, come up with at least 10 examples	
3	M	7	Labor Day	
	W	9	GIOE 4: Translate text p. 39-40; do exercises A,B,C (hand in) You don't have to write out the instructions, just the question. If it does not specify how many examples, give 10.	Article Sign-up Due (Units 1-2)
4	M	14	"se cyning" paradigm quiz (chart on page 47) com paradigm quiz (p. 43-44) haebbe paradigm quiz (p. 44)	Unit 1 Articles Due <<QUIZ (pdf of the actual quiz) (pdf of the answers for the quiz)
	W	16	GIOE 5 Translate p. 47 Write out paradigms of giefan and lufian ex. B: whenever you make up OE, give a translation of what you are trying to say ex. C: write out the OE and your translation	
5	M	21	"giefan" and "lufian" paradigm quiz	Unit 2 Articles Due <<QUIZ The actual quiz The answer key

To be memorized

Fæder ure,
þu þe eart on heofonum,
si þin nama ge-halgod;
to-becume þin rice;
ge-wurþe þin willa
on eorðan swa swa on heofonum;
urne ge-dæg-hwam-lican hlaf syle us to dæg,
and forgyf us ure gyltas,
swa swa we forgyfað urum gyltendum,
and ne gelæd þu us on costnunge,
ac alys us of yfele.
Soþlice.

Simple pronunciation notes:

þ = /th/

ð = /th/

æ = /a/ like "cat"

pronounce **every single** letter