

CLAS L200: Second-Year Latin I  
FALL 2016  
Dr. DAMIAN FLEMING

CLASS MEETING: MWF 1:30 – 2:20 PM, LA 136  
OFFICE HOURS: MTW 12:00 – 1:00 PM (and by appointment)  
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COURSE WIKI: <http://ipfwLatin2016.pbworks.com/>

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Hone Latin comprehension through extensive reading of increasingly difficult Latin texts

REQUIRED BOOKS:

Hans H. Ørberg, *Lingua Latina: Pars I: Familia Romana* (Focus, 2011) ISBN 978-1-58510-423-9 (Hardcover); 978-1-58510-420-8 (Softcover)

Jeanne Marie Neumann *Lingua Latina: A Companion to Familia Romana* (Second Edition) (Focus, 2016) ISBN: 978-1-58510-809-1

**Always Always Always Always Always Always Always Always** bring the text to class; failure to bring your text to class is equivalent to an absence (and you better check out the attendance policy).

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

1. Daily attendance and vigorous participation in class
2. Regular homework assignments
3. Frequent quizzes testing memorization of Latin vocabulary, morphology, syntax and reading comprehension
4. 2 exams and Final examination

ATTENDANCE POLICY:

This course is based in active participation; as a result, attendance in class is essential.

- **3 absences: course failure**

NOTE:

- There are NO excused absences.
- Excessive lateness will count as an absence.

- Leaving class early will count as an absence.
- Sleeping in class will count as an absence.

Regardless of cause, **you are responsible** for all work missed during absences, including changes to the class schedule announced in class.

Students who miss the first day of class are required to hand in a signed Syllabus Contract before Wed, Sept 4. Failure to do so will result in a failing grade for the course.

#### ASSIGNMENTS:

Engrave the following on your brain:

- **I do not accept any late work**
- **Grade for late work: 0**

Give yourself plenty of time and leeway to get your work done and to deal with bumps in the road should they occur. Pretend, at least for this class, that you are operating in the real world.

#### EXAMS AND QUIZZES:

We will have two exams and a final.

We will also have regular quizzes. **Quizzes cannot be made up.**

#### GRADING:

Participation:	10%
Office visit:	1%
Quizzes/translation work:	20%
Exams	30%
Final Exam	40%

#### GRADE SCALE:

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

#### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES:

In accordance with University policy, if you have a documented disability, you may be eligible to request accommodations from the office of Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD). Students with disabilities are entitled to reasonable accommodations and should have equal access to learning. If you have any questions or you believe you need

accommodations, contact the SSD office, Walb Union 113, Phone/TTD:  
260 - 481 - 6657 <http://www.ipfw.edu/ssd/>

Keep in mind that accommodations are not retroactive so it is best to register **as soon as possible** so that timely arrangements can be made.

#### **FOR ALL STUDENTS:**

No **retroactive** accommodations can be made. If you feel that you have an issue which may affect your ability to succeed in this class, you must come see me **before** you've defaulted on the class. Hopefully, any issue can be resolved, but no issue can be resolved after the fact.

#### ACADEMIC HONESTY:

##### **USING ANOTHER PERSON'S WORDS OR IDEAS WITHOUT ATTRIBUTION IS PLAGIARISM.**

Plagiarism will earn you an **F** for the course, and possible expulsion from the University. If you borrow an idea or quote from another author, you must cite where you found the material. If you have any questions about citing sources, please **\*\*ASK\*\*** before your turn in an assignment. I am happy to help, or visit the Writing Center.

<http://www.ipfw.edu/casa/writing/>

#### CONCERNING TEXTING IN CLASS:

Texting or otherwise messing around on your phone during the class period will result in **a failing grade** for the course

#### LAPTOP POLICY:

Similarly, laptops are great, but can also be a great distraction to yourself and others. Using a laptop or other device during class for non-class related activities will result in **a failing grade** for the course.

#### 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). The most up-to-date schedule for all assignments can be found on the course WIKI:

#### SCHEDULE:

The most up-to-date schedule of readings and assignments can be found on the class WIKI:

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