University of Calgary Faculty of Arts Department of Religious Studies RELS 300 L01: Classical Hebrew I Fall 2011

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Textbook Jacob Weingreen, A Practical Grammar for Classical Hebrew (Oxford: Clarendon Press,

1959; 0198154224).

Description The course provides an introductory study of classical Hebrew grammar and literature.

Prior knowledge of classical Hebrew is not required. The course emphasizes acquisition of practical reading and grammar skills; it is designed for Religious Studies majors who need to read the Bible in the original language. The course does not cover derivative

Hebrew variants.

Credit Work

1. Weekly assignments, quizzes (in-class and take home)	50%
2. Midterm test (28 October)	25%
3. Final test (registrar scheduled)	25%
Total:	100%

Grading Scale

A+ 100-95	B 79-75	C- 59-55
A 94-90	B- 74-70	D+ 54-50
A- 89-85	C+ 69-65	D 49-45
B+ 84-80	C 64-60	F 44-0

Academic Honesty

Students should be familiar with University regulations regarding academic integrity (*University Calendar*, index item, "Misconduct, academic").

Academic Accommodation

It is the student's responsibility to request academic accommodations. If you are a student with a documented disability who may require academic accommodation and have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre, please contact their office at 403-220-8237. Students who have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre are not eligible for formal academic accommodation. You are also required to discuss your needs with your instructor no later than **fourteen (14) days** after the start of the course.

Gnosis

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 Centre (PIC) is your information resource for everything in Arts! Drop in at SS110, call us at 403220-3580 or email us at artsads@ucalgary.ca. You can also visit the Faculty of Arts website at
 http://arts.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate which has detailed information on common academic
 concerns.
- For program planning and advice, contact the Student Success Centre (formerly the Undergraduate programs Office) at (403) 220-5881 or visit them on the 4th Floor of MacEwan Student Centre.
- For registration (add/drop/swap), paying fees and assistance with your Student Centre, contact Enrolment Services at (403) 210-ROCK [7625] or visit them at the MacKimmie Library Block.