

PAREF SOUTHRIDGE SCHOOL
WORKLOAD FOR LATIN I
For the Period June 26 to July 1, 2009

FOR SECTIONS A, B, and C

1. Make a poster using bond paper on *Why Study Latin?*. Choose a catchy poster title, an appropriate background and the correct content. You may choose to draw, color or letter the poster by hand or via computer program. This is due on Friday, **3 July 2009**.

2. Read pages *xi* to *xiv* of the textbook *Ecce Romani* and answer the following questions on size 1. (You may need to do some additional research work for this.)

- a. What is the title of the series of Latin books we will use in Southridge?
- b. Who are the characters of the series?
- c. What do the letters *A.D.* stand for? In what year does the series take place?
- d. In not more than five sentences, write about the story of Pompeii.
- e. Where does the series take place? What was the original attraction of this place?
- f. Why is Latin considered a parent language? What is the term we use for those languages that come from Latin? Give five examples of these languages.
- g. What are derivatives? In the following table give an English derivative – and its meaning – for each of the given Latin words.

Latin	English	Meaning
pictura		
nomina		
habitat		
villa		
altera		
vicina		
est		
sedet		
scribit		

h. What English articles do NOT have a translation in Latin?

3. Do exercises 1 - 16 of *Ecce Romani I* Chapter One found on the website http://www.tabney.com/ecce1.html#anchor_12939.

FOR SECTION D

1. Write a two-page typewritten, single-space research paper on the *Roman Senate*. Answer the following guide questions:
 - What is the Roman Senate?
 - What is the coverage of its authority?
 - What is the background of most Roman senators?(Include all other important information you can find about the Roman Senate.)
2. Pick one from the list of famous writers/poets/orators and make a two-page, typewritten, single-space paper about his life and his contribution to Roman language, literature, and history.

Cicero, Seneca, Vergil, Julius Caesar
3. Write a one-page, typewritten, single-space paper on why it is important to study Latin. Use your own words and do not plagiarize. Cite your sources.