

**FAMILY LAW
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MATERIALS

Thompson and Thomas, *Family Law, 2008-2009* (2 volumes and statutory supplement)
class handouts, problems, extra cases

EVALUATION

100 per cent, 3-hour, closed-book examination
only Statutory Supplement and “clean” handouts from class (no cans or notes)

problem option: do 3 problems of possible 4, worth 30 per cent “failsafe”
due dates: September 28, October 26, November 13, November 25

CLASS SCHEDULE

- Sept. 9: Preface, Legal Regulation, I-1 to I-20
Modern Practice of Family Law
- Sept. 14: Constitutional Issues, II-1 to II-19
Marriage, III-1 to III-18
- Sept. 16: Separation, IV-1 to IV-31
- Sept. 21: Divorce, V-1 to V-27
- Sept. 23: Custody, VI-1 to VI-41
- Sept. 28: Custody, VI-41 to VI-81
Relocation Problem (No. 1)
- Sept. 30: Access, VI-81 to V-112
- Oct. 5: Property Division, VII-1 to VII-35
- Oct. 7: Property Division, VII-35 to VII-55 (Pensions)
- Oct. 13: No Class, Thanksgiving
- Oct. 14: Property Division, VII-55 to VII-84
- Oct. 19: Property Division, VII-84 to VII-109
- Oct. 21: No Class
- Oct. 26: Property Division Problem (No. 2)
- Oct. 28: Child Support: Basics, Income, Tables, VIII-1 to VIII-17
- Nov. 2: Child Support: Special Expenses to Shared Custody, VIII-18 to VIII-46
- Nov. 4: Child Support: High Incomes to Stepparents, VIII-47 to VIII-75
- Nov. 9: Child Support: Stepparents to Retroactive Support, VIII-75 to VIII-108
- Nov. 13: Child Support Problem (No. 3)
- Nov. 16: Spousal Support: Models of Support, IX-1 to IX-37
- Nov. 18: Spousal Support: Advisory Guidelines, IX-38 to IX-70
- Nov. 23: Spousal Support: Variation, Support Agreements, IX-70 to IX-90
- Nov. 25: Tax and Social Assistance, X-1 to X-19
Spousal Support Problem (No. 4)
- Nov. 30: Adoption: XI-16 to XI-38
Child Protection: Basics, XII-1 to XII-35
- Dec. 2: Child Protection: Process, XII-36 to XII-70
- Dec. 7: Review Class
- Dec. 9: Final Examination**