

Pre-Reading Assignment

In the following passage:

- Label all Subjects (S), Verbs (V) and Objects (O) or Complements (C) above the Latin word
- Put parentheses around prepositional phrases
- Draw an arrow from each Adjectival Modifier (Adjective or Genitive Noun) to the word it modifies.

Remember to try guessing the words in bold before you look for their meanings in the vocabulary below.

READING 3 (adapted)

Lucius Annaeus Florus (c. A.D. 120) wrote an abridged version of Roman history, from the founding of Rome to the time of Augustus. The following passage is adapted from the beginning of his account. The story begins with Romulus and Remus, twin sons of a priestess, Rhea Silvia, and the Roman god, Mars. These twins were born during the reign of Amulius.

Prīmus et **Rōmae** et imperīi condītor Rōmulus est, **fi**lius dei,
 Martis, et Rhēae Silviae. Rōmulum (cum Remō frātre) (in
 Tiberīnum) rēx, Amulius, iactat. sed īnfantēs clāmant et lupa
 puerōs iuvat. tum (sub arbore) Faustulus pāstor parvōs puerōs
 videt et portat īnfantēs (in casam) et puerōs ēducat.

Diagram labels and arrows:
 - Above **Rōmae**: S
 - Above **fi**lius: V
 - Above dei: C
 - Above **fi**lius dei: O
 - Above (cum Remō frātre): S or S
 - Above (in Tiberīnum): O
 - Above rēx: V
 - Above iactat: V
 - Above sed: S¹
 - Above īnfantēs: S²
 - Above clāmant: V
 - Above et: S or S
 - Above puerōs: O¹
 - Above iuvat: V
 - Above (sub arbore): O²
 - Above Faustulus: S
 - Above pāstor: V
 - Above parvōs: O³
 - Above videt: V
 - Above et: S or S
 - Above puerōs: O
 - Above ēducat: V

Vocabulary:

Rōma, -ae, f.	Rome	Tiberīnus, -ī, m.	Tiber (river in Rome)
condītor (nom.)	founder	rēx (nom.)	king
Martis (gen.)	Mars (a god)	īnfantēs (nom. pl.)	infants
Rhea Silvia, -ae f.	Rhea Silvia (a priestess)	lupa, -ae, f.	she-wolf
Remus, -ī m.	Remus	pāstor (nom.)	shepherd
frātre (abl.)	brother	arbore (abl.)	tree
		ēducō, -āre	to bring up, rear

