

## 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 (Adj. or Gen. Noun) to the word it modifies.
- Put square brackets around dependent clauses and label each clause (Adv. or Adj.).

Remember to try guessing the words in bold before looking for meanings in the vocabulary below.

### Narrative Reading IV, pt. 1 (adapted)

*The Albans, after the battle of the Horatii and Curiatii, swear allegiance to the Romans. But their leader, Mettius, induces two Roman allies, the Fidenates and the Veientes, to revolt, promising that he will help them. When the battle is engaged, however, Mettius helps neither the Romans nor the allies, but withdraws to see which side will be victorious. When Tullus and the Romans win, they invite the Albans to a thanksgiving ceremony. Tullus offers quite different rewards to the Albans and their leader.*

Nec diū pāx **Albāna** mānsit. invidia vulgī, quod tribus militibus fortūna pūblica commissa erat, vānum ingenium **dictātōris** corruptit, et quoniam rēcta cōnsilia nōn bene **ēvēnerant**, prāvīs rēconciliāe populī animōs coepit. igitur ut prius in bellō pācem, sīc in pāce bellum quaerēs, quia suae cīvitatī animōrum plūs quam vīrium cernēbat esse, bellum gerere aliōs concitat populōs. Fidēnātēs, **colōnia** Rōmāna, et Vēientēs **pactō** trānsitiōnis Albānōrum ad bellum atque arma **incitantur**.

### Vocabulary:

Albānus, -a, -um	Alban, of the Albans	reconciliō, -āre	to win back
invidia, -ae f.	discontent	coepit	“he began”
vulgus, -ī n.	people, the masses	ut prius	“just as before”
committo, -ere, -misī, -missus	to entrust	vīrēs, -ium f. (pl.)	strength
vānus, -a, -um	weak, idle	concitō, -āre	to stir up, rouse
ingenium, -iī n.	nature, character	Fidēnātēs, -um m.	citizens of Fidenae, a town near Rome
dictātor, -ōris m.	dictator	colōnia, -ae f.	colony
corrumpō, -ere, -rūpī	to corrupt	Vēientēs, -um m.	citizens of Veii, an Etruscan town near Rome
rēctus, -a, -um	honest	pactum, -ī n.	promise, pact
ēveniō, -īre, -vēnī	to turn out	trānsitiō, -iōnis f.	desertion
prāvus, -a, -um	evil, improper	incitō, -āre	to incite, stir up