

# **OLDHAM, FAMILY LAW SYLLABUS, Fall 2023**

## **Materials that will be used in the class:**

**Required text:** Elrod, Oldham, and Abrams, Family Law (9<sup>th</sup> Ed.) (“T”)

Some Version of Texas Family Code (reflecting 2021 changes) [for example, Thomson Reuters, Texas Family Code Plus (2021-2022 edition, softcover) or Thomson Reuters, Texas Family Code (2022 ed.)

Photocopied Materials (“P”) (available on class web site)

The class lectures will be on zoom and the exam will be given in person at the law school building. Class sessions will be recorded. The exam will be open book, open notes. Your computer will be locked by exam software during the exam. For this reason, you will need to have a hard copy of anything you wish to consult during the exam.

## **Week 1, Class #1, Aug. 21**

T: 21-30; 52-87

P: 1.7-1.15

## **Class #2, Aug. 23**

T: 87-96; 101-136

P: 2-2.2

## **Week 2, Class #3, Aug. 28**

T: 137-167

P: 2.4-2.7; 10-12.1

TFC Chapter 2

## **Class #4, Aug. 30**

T: 167-172; 178-199

P: 3-9

## **Week 3, Class #5, Sept. 6**

T: 199-214; 221; 225-234

P: 14.1-26

TFC Chapter 4

**Week 4, Class #6, Sept. 11**

T: 234-275

P: 28-29.2

**Class #7, Sept. 13**

T: 275-285; 289-303

P: 29.3-32; 34.1

TFC Chapter 160

**Week 5, Class #8, Sept. 18**

T: 303-335

P: 34.3-35.4

TFC Chapters 161 & 162

**Class #9, Sept. 20**

T: 338-384

**Week 6, Class #10, Sept. 25**

T: 398-421; 440-454

**Class #11, Sept. 27**

T: 455-469; 477-494

P: 36.6-45; 51-53; 56-68; 70-75; 75.3

**Week 7, Class #12, Oct. 2**

T: 426-439; 494-509

P: 80-84

**Class #13, Oct. 4**

T: 521-551; 559-568; 573-575

**Week 8, Class #14, Oct. 9**

T: 592-601; 647-656; 664-670

P: 85-101; 103-104; 106-106.1;

**Class #15, Oct. 11**

T: 672-680; 691; 694-709; 724-725; 739-748

P: 114-128; 137-144

**Week 9, Class #16, Oct. 16**

T: 755-767; 770-775; 780-782

P: 145-157; 159-163; 174-180

TFC Chapter 159

**Class #17, Oct. 18**

T: 792-795; 799-802; 805-822

P: 185.7-197; 204-208

TFC Chapter 152

**Week 10, Class #18, Oct. 23**

T: 822-830; 832-839;

P: 209; 212-214

**Class #19, Oct. 25**

T: 840-865

P: 215-224; 226-236; 246-253

TFC Chapter 153

**Week 11, Class #20, Oct. 30**

T: 878; 881-919

P: 255-258; 260-264; 268

**Class #21, Nov. 1**

T: 923-953

P: 273-286

TFC Chapter 8

**Week 12, Class 22, Nov. 6**

T: 953-964; 1057-1074

P: 287-299

**Week 12, Class #23, Nov. 8**

T: 1075-1103; 1108-1116

P: 300-315

TFC Chapter 154

**Week 13, Class #24, Nov. 13**

T: 1116-1139; 1149-1161

**Class #25, Nov. 15**

T: 1162-1200

P: 315.1; 318.1-319; 321; 325-329; 333.1; 333.4-334.5; 341-342; 349; 360-365

**Week 14, Class # 26, Nov. 20**

T: 1200-1229; 1231-1249

Week 15, Class #27, Nov. 28

T: 1249-1264; 1265-1278; 1286-1290

Class #28, Nov. 30

Review

Final exam could include questions relating to Tex. Fam. Code Chapters 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 32, 33, 41, 42, 45, 101, 102, 105, 106, 107, 151-62, 232, 261, 262 and 263