Handout for Greco-Roman World Lecture

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BCE= Before the Common Era=BC (Before Christ) CE= Common Era=AD (Anno Domini)

Philip II, father of Alexander the Great Battle of Chaeronea, 338 BCE Battle of Granicus, 334 BCE

Greek city-state (polis) structures and institutions:

Polis

Paideia

Gymnasium

Ephebeia

Demos

Boule

Ekklesia

Hippodrome (Circus in Latin)

Pompey

Patron-client structure

Paterfamilias

Senate

Optimates and Populares

Julius Caesar

Ides of March, 44 BCE

Octavian/Augustus

Mark Antony and Cleopatra

Pax Romana

Roman Republic, until 44 BCE, or perhaps 27 BCE (it is debated) Roman Empire, after 27 BCE

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