CALGARY FLYING CLUB

PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL

April 2nd 2026 - June 9th 2026

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6-9pm

CLASS	INSTRUCTOR	DATE	TOPIC	SUGGESTED READING ASSIGNMENT
1	TBD	April 2nd 2026	ORIENTATION	No reading required!
2	TBD	April 7th 2026	AERODYNAMICS & THEORY OF FLIGHT	FGU Chapter 2 FTM Chapter 1 POH Sections 1&7
3	TBD	April 9th 2026	FLIGHT OPERATIONS	FGU Chapters 10 & 12 POH Sections 4, 5, 6 AIM AGA, RAC 1-5, AIR, SAR, GEN
4	TBD	April 14th 2026	FLIGHT INSTRUMENTS	FGU Chapter 2 FTM Exercise 24
5	TBD	April 16th 2026	AIRFRAMES, ENGINES & SYSTEMS	FGU Chapters 1 & 3 FTM Exercises 2 & 3 POH Section 7
6	TBD	April 21st 2026	CANADIAN AVIATION REGULATIONS (CARs)	FGU Chapters 4 & 5 FTM Chapter 4 AIM RAC 1-5, AGA
7	TBD	April 23rd 2026	CARs & LICENCING REQUIREMENTS	SAME AS PREVIOUS CLASS
8	TBD	April 28th 2026	METEOROLOGY 1	FGU Chapter 6 Sections
9	TBD	April 30th 2026	METEOROLOGY 2	FGU Chapter 6 Sections
10	TBD	May 5th 2026	METEOROLOGY 3	FGU Chapter 6 Sections
11	TBD	May 7th 2026	METEOROLOGY 4	FGU Chapter 6 Section AIM MET
12	TBD	May 12th 2026	METEOROLOGY 5	Review Class - No req reading
13	TBD	May 14th 2026	NAVIGATION 1	FGU Chapter 7 Section VNC Map Legend
14	TBD	May 19th 2026	NAVIGATION 2	FGU Chapter 7 Section E6B Manual
15	TBD	May 21st 2026	NAVIGATION 3	FGU Chapter 7 Section FTM Exercise 23
16	TBD	May 26th 2026	NAVIGATION 4	SAME AS PREVIOUS CLASS
17	TBD	May 28th 2026	NAVIGATION 5	Review Class - No req reading
18	TBD	June 2nd 2026	RADIO & ELECTRONIC THEORY	FGU Chapter 8 Chapter 9 FTM Exercise 24
19	TBD	June 4th 2026	HUMAN FACTORS INCLUDING PILOT DECISION MAKING	FGU Chapter 11 AIM AIR 1-3
20	TBD	June 9th 2026	Practice Exam	Review

LEGEND

FGU - FROM THE GROUND UP
POH - C172 PILOT OPERATING HANDBOOK
VNC - CALGARY NAVIGATION CHART
FTM - FLIGHT TRAINING MANUAL
AIM - AERONAUTICAL INFORMATION MANUAL
E6B - FLIGHT COMPUTER

It is strongly recommended that students make every effort to complete the reading assignments prior to each class. All students are required to write a minimum of 2 practice exams available at dispatch. Once an average score of at least 80% has been attained, a letter of recommendation will be issued in order to challenge the Transport Canada exam. Your feedback aids a great deal in the ongoing development of our ground school. Please complete the ground school critique at the end of each class and submit it at the end of the course. Thank you.