

## 1. Classical Philology

### Greek Literature list for cohorts entering in 2018 or earlier

#### Section A: To be read in Greek

Homer: *Iliad* I, 3, 6, 9, 11, 16, 18, 22-24

Homer: *Odyssey* 1 -12, 21-23 Homeric Hymns: Demeter, Apollo

Hesiod: *Theogony* 1–616; *Works and Days* 1–382

Parmenides: B1-8 fragments

Heraclitus: B fragments

Pindar: *Olympian* 1, 7; *Pythian* 1, 2, 4; *Nemean* 7; *Isthmian* 2

Lyric poetry: All texts in D. Campbell, (Greek Lyric Poetry, 2nd ed.) *plus* the newly found poems of Archilochus, Sappho, and Simonides

Aeschylus: *Septem, Oresteia*

Sophocles: *Ajax, Oedipus Tyrannus, Antigone, Oedipus at Colonus*

Euripides: *Medea, Hippolytus, Helen, Bacchae*

Aristophanes: *Acharnians, Clouds, Frogs* Herodotus: Books 1 and 7

Thucydides: Book 1.1-23; 2.1-65; 5.25-26, 84-116; 6.1-41; 7.57-87

Plato: *Apology, Republic* 6, 7, 10; *Symposium, Phaedrus* Aristotle: *Poetics; Nicomachean Ethics* 1; *Politics* 1.1–2 Gorgias: *Helen*

Antiphon: *Tetralogies*

Lysias: *On the Murder of Eratosthenes* (1), *Against Eratosthenes* (12) Demosthenes: *Philippics* 1-3

Menander: *Samia*

Isocrates: *Against the Sophists*

Apollonius: *Argonautica* 3

Callimachus: *Hymn to Apollo* and all selections in N. Hopkinson, *A Hellenistic Anthology*

Theocritus: 1–7, 11, 15, 22

Hellenistic Epigrams: all in N. Hopkinson, *A Hellenistic Anthology*

Dionysius of Halicarnassus: *On the Ancient Orators*

Lucian: True Stories + selections in N. Hopkinson, *Lucian*

Dio Chrysostomus: *Seventh Oration (Euboicus)*

Longus: *Daphnis and Chloe*

#### Section B: May be read in translation

Homer all

Hesiod (*Th.* and *W&D*) all

Aeschylus all

Sophocles all

Herodotus all

Euripides *Alcestis, Ion, Iphigeneia in Aulis, Cyclops*

Thucydides all

Aristophanes *Knights, Wasps, Lysistrata, Wealth, Thesmophoriazousai*

Xenophon *Oeconomicus*

Plato *Phaedo, Gorgias, Republic*

Aristotle *Politics*

Theophrastus *Characters*

Plutarch *Parallel Lives of Alcibiades and Coriolanus* (with Synthesis) *How to Read the Poets (Moralia)*

Chariton *Chaereas and Callirhoe*  
Achilles Tatius *Leucippe and Clitophon*