# Undergraduate Reading List 

Department of Classics

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## Ancient Greek

| Homer Iliad | 1, 6, 9; Odyssey 4, 9 <br> In English: Iliad and Odyssey (all) |
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| Homeric Hymns | Demeter in Greek <br> In English: Aphrodite, Apollo, and Hermes |
| Hesiod | Works and Days 1-247; Theogony 1-232 <br> In English: Works and Days, Theogony (all) |
| Archilochus | $1,2,3,6,22,74$ <br> In English: all selections in A. Miller, Greek Lyric |
| Sappho | $1,16,31,44$ <br> In English: all selections in A. Miller, Greek Lyric |
| Solon | 1 and 24 <br> In English: all selections in A. Miller, Greek Lyric |
| Simonides | $542,121 \mathrm{D}, 92 \mathrm{D}$ <br> In English: all selections in A. Miller, Greek Lyric |
| Bacchylides | 3 and 18 <br> In English: all selections in A. Miller, Greek Lyric |
| Pindar Ol. 1 | In English: selections of Odes in A. Miller, Greek Lyric: Olympian 2, 12, 13, 14, Pythian 1, 3, 8, 10, Nemean 5, 10, Isthmian 5, 6, 7 |
| Aeschylus | Eumenides; <br> In English: Oresteia |
| Sophocles | Oedipus Rex <br> In English: Ajax, Antigone, and Oedipus at Colonus |
| Euripides | Medea <br> In English: Hippolytus and Bacchae |
| Aristophanes | Clouds <br> In English: Frogs, Birds, Lysistrata |
| Herodotus | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1.1-92 } \\ & \text { In English: 6-9 } \end{aligned}$ |
| Thucydides | 2.1-65 <br> In English: 1, the rest of 2, 6, and 7 |


| Plato | Republic I, Ion, Crito <br> In English: Republic, Apology, Symposium |
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| Aristotle | EN I <br> In English: Poetics (all) |
| Lysias | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & \text { In English: } 12 \end{aligned}$ |
| Demosthenes | First Philippic |
| Apollonius | Argonautica selections in N. Hopkinson, A Hellenistic Anthology: 1.536-58, 1.1153-71, 3.744-824, 4.1629-88 <br> In English: Argonautica (all) |
| Callimachus | Selections in N. Hopkinson, A Hellenistic Anthology: Reply to the Telchines (fr. 1), Acontius and Cydippe (frr. 67+75), The Bath of Pallas (Hymn 5), The Hymn to Zeus (Hymn 1) |
| Theocritus | 1 and 15 <br> In English: 7 and 11 |
| Plutarch | Alcibiades <br> In English: Alexander; Coriolanus \& Comparison of Coriolanus and Alcibiades |

## Additional English readings

Lyric poetry, selections of Alcman, Alcaeus, Anacreon, and Theognis from A. Miller, Greek Lyric
Antiphon Tetralogies
Menander Dyscolus
Lucian selected Dialogues of the Gods in L. Casson, Selected Satires of Lucian, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 20, 24; The Dream or Lucian's Career, The Death of Peregrinus

Longus Daphnis and Chloe

## Undergraduate Reading list for Latin

| Plautus: | Menaechmi <br> In English: Aulularia, Amphitryo |
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| Terence: | Adelphoe |
| Ennius: | Annales 34-50, 72-91, 96, 268-286 (as numbered in O. Skutsch's Annals of Quintus Ennius) |
| Catullus: | $\begin{aligned} & 1-16,22,28,30-36,44-46,49-51,58,62-64,68,70,72,75,76,82-87,92,93,95 \text {, } \\ & 96,99,101,109 \end{aligned}$ |
| Lucretius: | De Rerum Natura I.1-448 |
| Caesar: | Bellum Civile I |
| Sallust: | Bellum Catilinae |
| Cicero: | In Catilinam 1, Somnium Scipionis <br> Letters 1, 3, 6, 15, 18, 19, 20, 24, 27, 33, 34, 38, 52, 63, 67-69 (ed. Shackleton Bailey) <br> In English: Brutus, Penguin Classics On the Good Life (Trans. Grant) |
| Horace: | Satires 1, Odes 1, Epistles 1 In English: Ars Poetica |
| Virgil: | Eclogues, Aeneid I, IV, VI, XII <br> In English: Georgics, Aeneid (all) |
| Tibullus: | I.1, 3, 5 |
| Propertius: | I.1, 3, 5, 6, 11, 18-20; IV.7-11 |
| Nepos: | Atticus |
| Ovid: | Amores 1, Metamorphoses 1 <br> In English: Ars I, Metamorphoses (all) |
| Livy: | praef., I.1-16 <br> In English: Books I and XXI |
| - | Res Gestae Divi Augusti |
| Seneca: | Phaedra, Letters 7, 47, 56 <br> In English: Apocolocyntosis, Octavia |


| Lucan: | Bellum Civile I.1-182 <br> In English: Books I and VII |
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| Persius: | Satire 1 |
| Petronius: | Satyricon chapters 26-78 in Latin (Cena Trimalchionis), the rest in English. |
| Martial: | De Spec. 31 and 34; Book I.1-4, 13, 16, 29, 32, 38 |
| Pliny: | Letters I.9, VI.16, VII.33, X.96-97 |
| Tacitus: | Agricola 1-4, 42-46; Annales I In English: Annales (all) |
| Juvenal: | Satires 1, 3 <br> In English: 6, 10 |
| Suetonius: | In English: Augustus, Nero, Domitian |
| Apuleius: | Metamorphoses 1 <br> In English: Metamorphoses (all) |
| Ammianus: | XVI.1, 5, 10; XXXI.16.7 <br> In English: XIV.5.6-XV.8.16, XVI (all) |
| Augustine: | Confessions I.VIII(13)-XIV(23) <br> In English: Confessions I (all) |
| Claudian: | In English: In Eutropium 1 |
| Boethius: | In English: Consolatio Philosophiae 1 |
| Quintilian: | In English: Instit. X.1.85-131 |

