Undergraduate Reading List

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Ancient Greek

Homer *Iliad* 1, 6, 9; Odyssey 4, 9

In English: *Iliad* and *Odyssey* (all)

Homeric Hymns Demeter in Greek

In English: Aphrodite, Apollo, and Hermes

Hesiod Works and Days 1-247; Theogony 1-232

In English: Works and Days, Theogony (all)

Archilochus 1, 2, 3, 6, 22, 74

In English: all selections in A. Miller, *Greek Lyric*

Sappho 1, 16, 31, 44

In English: all selections in A. Miller, *Greek Lyric*

Solon 1 and 24

In English: all selections in A. Miller, *Greek Lyric*

Simonides 542, 121D, 92D

In English: all selections in A. Miller, *Greek Lyric*

Bacchylides 3 and 18

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;

In English: Oresteia

Sophocles Oedipus Rex

In English: *Ajax*, *Antigone*, and *Oedipus at Colonus*

Euripides Medea

In English: *Hippolytus* and *Bacchae*

Aristophanes Clouds

In English: Frogs, Birds, Lysistrata

Herodotus 1.1-92

In English: 6-9

Thucydides 2.1-65;

In English: 1, the rest of 2, 6, and 7

Plato Republic I, Ion, Crito

In English: Republic, Apology, Symposium

Aristotle ENI

In English: *Poetics* (all)

Lysias 1

In English: 12

Demosthenes First Philippic

Apollonius Argonautica selections in N. Hopkinson, A Hellenistic Anthology: 1.536-58,

1.1153-71, 3.744-824, 4.1629-88

In English: Argonautica (all)

Callimachus Selections in N. Hopkinson, *A Hellenistic Anthology*: Reply to the Telchines

(fr. 1), Acontius and Cyclippe (frr. 67+75), The Bath of Pallas (Hymn 5), The

Hymn to Zeus (*Hymn 1*)

Theocritus 1 and 15

In English: 7 and 11

Plutarch Alcibiades

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*

In English: Aulularia, Amphitryo

Terence: Adelphoe

Ennius: Annales 34-50, 72-91, 96, 268-286 (as numbered in O. Skutsch's Annals of

Quintus Ennius)

Catullus: 1-16, 22, 28, 30-36, 44-46, 49-51, 58, 62-64, 68, 70, 72, 75, 76, 82-87, 92, 93, 95,

96, 99, 101, 109

Lucretius: De Rerum Natura I.1-448

Caesar: Bellum Civile I

Sallust: Bellum Catilinae

Cicero: In Catilinam 1, Somnium Scipionis

Letters 1, 3, 6, 15, 18, 19, 20, 24, 27, 33, 34, 38, 52, 63, 67-69 (ed. Shackleton

Bailey)

<u>In English</u>: *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

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

<u>In English</u>: Ars I, Metamorphoses (all)

Livy: praef., I.1-16

In English: Books I and XXI

— Res Gestae Divi Augusti

Seneca: *Phaedra*, Letters 7, 47, 56

In English: Apocolocyntosis, Octavia

Lucan: Bellum Civile I.1-182

In English: Books I and VII

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

<u>In English</u>: *Annales* (all)

Juvenal: Satires 1, 3

In English: 6, 10

Suetonius: <u>In English</u>: Augustus, Nero, Domitian

Apuleius: *Metamorphoses* 1

<u>In English</u>: *Metamorphoses* (all)

Ammianus: XVI.1, 5, 10; XXXI.16.7

In English: XIV.5.6-XV.8.16, XVI (all)

Augustine: *Confessions* I.VIII(13)-XIV(23)

<u>In English</u>: *Confessions* I (all)

Claudian: <u>In English</u>: *In Eutropium* 1

Boethius: <u>In English</u>: Consolatio Philosophiae 1

Quintilian: <u>In English</u>: *Instit*. X.1.85-131