

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL
DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS
READING LISTS

PhD in Classics: Works in Greek

Homer	<i>Iliad</i> Books 1-3, 6, 9, 16, 18, 22-24; <i>Odyssey</i> Books 1, 5-6, 9, 11-12, 19, 21-22, 24
Homeric Hymns	<i>Aphrodite, Demeter</i>
Hesiod	<i>Theogony; Works and Days</i> 1-404
Lyric and Elegy	Selections in Budelmann 2018
Pindar	<i>Olympians</i> 1 and 7, <i>Pythians</i> 1 and 10, <i>Nemean</i> 5, <i>Isthmian</i> 5
Bacchylides	Ode 17
Aeschylus	<i>Agamemnon, Choephoroe, Eumenides</i>
Sophocles	<i>Antigone, Trachiniae, Philoctetes</i>
Euripides	<i>Medea, Hippolytus, Bacchae</i>
Aristophanes	<i>Acharnians, Clouds, Frogs</i>
Herodotus	Book 1.1-130; Book 8.40-99
Thucydides	Book 1.1-44, 66-88, and 126-146; Book 2.1-65
Lysias	Orations 1 and 12
Xenophon	<i>Hiero, Anabasis</i> Books 2.6 and 3
Plato	<i>Ion</i> ; selections from <i>Republic</i> 2 and 10 in Murray 1996; <i>Symposium</i> 189D-223D; <i>Phaedrus</i> (excluding 230e6-234c5 and 266d5-274b6)
Isocrates	<i>Against the Sophists</i>
Demosthenes	<i>Philippics</i> 3; <i>On the Crown</i> 1-24, 126-159, 227-324
Aristotle	<i>Poetics</i> 1-13
Menander	<i>Samia</i>
Apollonius	<i>Argonautica</i> Book 3
Theocritus	<i>Idylls</i> 1, 2, 7, 11
Callimachus	Selections in Hopkinson 1988: <i>Hymns</i> 1 and 5, <i>Aetia</i> fragments 1 and 67 + 75
Plutarch	<i>How to Study Poetry</i>
Chariton	<i>Chaereas and Callirhoe</i> Book 1
New Testament	<i>Gospel of Mark</i>
Lucian	<i>Dream, You Are a Prometheus in Words, Dialogues of the Sea Gods</i>
Longus	<i>Daphnis and Chloe</i> Book 1