

M.A. in Classics (Greek and Latin): Greek and Latin Exams

This is the reading list for the exams, i.e. the list of passages from which exams will be created. Students intending to pass will ideally read all of the texts listed below, carefully and with a commentary.

Greek	Latin
Aeschylus: <i>Prometheus</i>	Caesar: <i>Bellum Civile</i> 1
Apollonius: Book 3	Catullus
Aristophanes: <i>Clouds</i>	Cicero: <i>Catilinarians</i> 1, <i>Pro Archia</i> , <i>Philippics</i> 2
Demosthenes: <i>Philippics</i> 1	Horace: <i>Odes</i> 1
Euripides: <i>Bacchae</i> , <i>Medea</i>	Juvenal: 1
Herodotus: Book 1	Livy: Book 1
Homer: <i>Iliad</i> 1, 6, 9, 24; <i>Odyssey</i> 1, 9-12	Lucan: Book 1
Lysias: 1	Lucretius: 1
Plato: <i>Apology</i>	Ovid: <i>Amores</i> 1, <i>Ars Amatoria</i> 1, <i>Metamorphoses</i> 1
Sophocles: <i>Oedipus Tyrannus</i>	Petronius: <i>Cena Trimalchionis</i>
Thucydides: Book 1, 2.1-45	Plautus: <i>Miles Gloriosus</i>
Xenophon: <i>Hellenica</i> 1	Pliny: <i>Epist.</i> 1.1
	Propertius: Book 1
	Sallust: <i>Catiline</i>
	Suetonius: <i>Augustus</i>
	Tacitus: <i>Annals</i> 1
	Virgil: <i>Eclogues</i> 1, 4; <i>Georgics</i> Book 4; <i>Aeneid</i> Books 1, 4, 6, 8, 12