

Literature Seminar Reading List – Summer St. John's College | Annapolis, Maryland

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1. Homer *Iliad*, I-VI
2. Homer *Iliad*, VII-XII
3. Homer *Iliad*, XIII-XVIII
4. Homer *Iliad*, XIX-XXIV
5. Homer *Odyssey*, I-VIII
6. Homer *Odyssey*, IX-XVI
7. Homer *Odyssey*, XVII-XXIV
8. Aeschylus *Agamemnon*
9. Aeschylus *Libation Bearers; Eumenides*
10. Sophocles *Oedipus Rex*
11. Sophocles *Oedipus at Colonus*
12. Sophocles *Antigone*
13. Euripides *Bacchae*
14. Aristotle *Poetics*
15. Aristophanes *Frogs*

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- Classes 1–8 are on selections from Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales* in Middle English
- Classes 9–14 are on Shakespeare's *King Lear* (or on another play by Shakespeare, with the approval of the Associate Dean)
- Classes 15–24 are on Lyric Poetry by Sydney, Shakespeare, Donne, Milton, Wordsworth, Keats, Hopkins, Yeats, and others
- Classes 25–28 are on a short work of fiction
- Class 29 is used to extend the study of any of the above.

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