

AP Latin Summer Work

Welcome to AP Latin! In order to prepare for the AP course this fall, you will need to purchase the following two books and read the prescribed books as recommended by the College Board. These works are challenging enough in English, let alone in Latin, so please be patient while reading. When reading these works, please approach the literature with an open mind, patience, and questions! Embrace any confusion and annotate the works that help you articulate your questions. It is much better you come into the course being honest rather than trying to pretend you mastered the material. Lastly, below you will find the assigned reading as prescribed by the College Board, however, you are more than welcome to read the works in their entirety for mastery of depth. Both these books are found on Amazon and are available in paperback.

Required Readings in English (as mandated by the College Board):

Vergil's *Aeneid*: Books 1 and 2

Caesar's *Gallic Wars*: Book 1

The Aeneid of Virgil (Bantam Classics)

by Virgil (Author), Allen Mandelbaum (Translator)

ISBN-13: 978-0553210415

The Gallic War: (translated by W. A. MacDevitte with an introduction by Thomas De Quincey)

by Julius Caesar (Author), W.A. MacDevitte(Translator), Thomas De Quincey (Introduction)

ISBN-13: 978-1420957747