

**Assignments are due on Mondays for Eastside students and Tuesdays for Mandarin students except where indicated below. In addition to the assigned work, brief quizzes will be given regularly. A class catechism will be developed that will be memorized.**

*This schedule is subject to Change*

Date Due	Week	To Read	In Class	To Turn In
Monday 9/18 Tuesday 9/19	5 (Week 4 vacated)	Iliad 4, 6, 9, 16	First efforts to end war Catechism Questions 5-6 "If We Must Die"	Study Questions for <i>Iliad</i> 4, 6, 9, 16
Wednesday 9/20 Thursday 9/21				
Monday 9/25 Tuesday 9/26	6	Iliad 18-19	The rage of Achilles changes the direction of the war Catechism Question 7 "If We Must Die"	Study Questions for <i>Iliad</i> 18-19 Essay No. 1*
Wednesday 9/27 Thursday 9/28				
Monday 10/2 Tuesday 10/3	7	Iliad 21-24	The war ends Catechisms Questions 9 and 10 "If We Must Die" "There Is No Frigate Like a Book"	Study Questions for <i>Iliad</i> 21-24
Wednesday 10/4 Thursday 10/5				
Monday 10/9 Tuesday 10/10	8	Odyssey 1-4	Intro to Odyssey and the plight of Odysseus' house Catechism Questions 11 and 12 "There is No Frigate Like a Book"	Study Questions for <i>Odyssey</i> 1-4
Wednesday 10/11 Thursday 10/12				

**Looking Ahead: Essays due in Week 6 and Week 9**

**Essays**

The word count of these essays is to be 350-500 words, in paragraph form. A paragraph is a unit of composition that is usually at least four sentences long that has a unity of thought among the sentences.

Essays are to be written in MLA format. Grammar, mechanics, and style will be graded as well as content.

While students are not restricted to the standard five-paragraph format, this is one way to organize an essay. The paragraphs would be:

- Paragraph No. 1: Introduction
- Paragraph No. 2, 3,4: Body of Essay
- Paragraph No. 5: Conclusion

**No. 1 (due September 27/28):** How does the conflict between Achilles and Agamemnon affect the conduct of the Trojan War in Books I-VIII? Share specific examples from the book to support your answer.

**No. 2 (due October 18/19):** Describe the role that the rage of Achilles has played in the *Iliad* up to this point. When Achilles agrees to fight, has his rage subsided, or has it been transferred to another enemy? Explain. How would the Greeks respond to the statement of James “For man’s anger does not achieve the righteousness that God desires (James 1:20)?