Required:

1. Read any good prose or poetry edition of Homer’s *Odyssey* such as the one by Robert Fitzgerald.

2. Read any good prose or poetry edition of Vergil’s *Aeneid* such as the one by Allen Mandelbaum (my favorite).

THERE WILL BE A READING CHECK ON THE *ODYSSEY* AND THE *AENEID* THE FIRST WEEK OF CLASSES IN SEPTEMBER.

Suggested:

If you feel inspired and motivated you can also read any good prose or poetry translation of the *Iliad* such as that by Robert Fagles.

If you feel even more inspired and motivates you can read a good English translation of Caesar’s *Gallic Wars* such as the Oxford World’s Classic edition.

*Get a head start:* visit apcentral.org and familiarize yourself with the format and content of the AP exam

*Get a head start:* begin memorizing the AP Vergil and Caesar vocabulary on a web site such as quizlet.com