

Reading and Assignment Schedule
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Page numbers refer to the first page of a selection. Unless specific page ranges are indicated, you are responsible for the entirety of the selection. This reading list is subject to change. Any changes will be announced in advance.

Week	Date	Readings/Assignments
1	Sept 6	Introduction and Administration
2	Sept 11 Piety and Religion	"Introduction (The Sixteenth Century)" (531); "Introduction (Early Seventeenth Century)" (1341) Tyndale, "Scriptural Interpretation" (678); More, "A Dialogue Concerning Heresies" (679)
	Sept 13	Homework 1 Due Donne, "The Ecstasy" (1385), from <i>Devotions upon Emergent Occasions</i> , "Meditation 17" (1420)
3	Sept 18	Marvell, "Dialogue Between the Soul and the Body" (1792); Lanyer, "Eve's Apology" (1433)
	Sept 20	Homework 2 Donne, "Batter My Heart" (1413) Practice Sight Passage
4	Sept 25 Humanism and Scholarship	Bacon, "Of Truth" (1663), "Of Superstition" (1668), "Of Studies" (1673)
	Sept 27	Homework 3 Sidney, from <i>The Defense of Poesy</i> , "Poet as Prophet" (1048-51), "Answers to Charges" (1066-74); Milton, from <i>Areopagitica</i> , first excerpt (1929-31)
5	Oct 2	REMIX DUE Marlowe, <i>The Tragical History of Doctor Faustus</i> (1127)
	Oct 4	Homework 4 <i>Faustus</i> continued
6	Oct 9	THANKSGIVING NO CLASS
	Oct 11	MIDTERM EXAM
7	Oct 16 Governance and Courtiership	Homework 5 More, from <i>Utopia</i> , "Attitudes toward Gold and Silver" (611-13), "Their Philosophy" (613-20), "Delight in Learning" (621-23)
	Oct 18	<i>Utopia</i> continued
8	Oct 23	OUTLINES DUE Essay Option A Hooker from <i>The Laws of Ecclesiastical Polity</i> (696-98); from <i>The Book of Homilies</i> , "An Homily Against Disobedience and Wilful Rebellion" (693)

	Oct 25	Learning Journals Due Elizabeth I, speech "November 5, 1566" (754); Surrey, "Th'Assyrian's king" (664)
9	Oct 30	Hoby (trans.) from Castiglione's <i>The Courtier</i> , "Grace" (705); Wyatt, "They flee from me" (653)
	Nov 1	Spenser, from <i>The Faerie Queene</i> , Book 1, canto 1
10	Nov 6	<i>The Faerie Queene</i> continued
	Nov 8	<i>The Faerie Queene</i> continued
11	Nov 13	<i>REMEMBRANCE DAY NO CLASSES</i>
	Nov 15 Elegy and Tribute	ESSAYS DUE: Options A and B Philips, "Friendship's Mystery, To My Dearest <i>Lucasia</i> " (1786);
12	Nov 20 Elegy and Tribute cont'd	Milton, "Lycidas" (1917)
	Place, the Wide World Nov 22	Raleigh, "The Discovery of ... Guiana" (1030); Marvell, "Bermudas" (1791)
13	Nov 27 Place, the Wide World cont'd	Ascham, "The Italianate Englishman" (701); Vaughan, "The World" (1733)
	Nov 29	Review
EXAM	TBA	