Ancient History

Selected Readings

Greece

Ancient Historians

* Area of Study One
* Hesiod
  + *Works & Days*
  + *Theogony*
* Herodotus
  + *Histories* [specifically, The Greco-Persian Wars]
* Area of Study Two
* Thucydides
  + *History of the Peloponnesian War*
* Xenophon
  + *Hellenica*

Modern Historians

* Area of Study One
* Nancy Evans
  + *Civic Rites*
* Sarah Pomeroy *et al*
  + *A Brief History of Ancient Greece*
* Paul Cartledge
  + *Ancient Greece*
* Terry Buckley
  + *Aspects of Greek History*
* Tom Holland
  + *Persian Fire*
* Pamela Bradley
  + *Ancient Greece – Using Evidence*
* PJ Rhodes
  + *A History of the Classical World*
* Area of Study Two
* Donald Kagan
  + *The Peloponnesian War*
* Sarah Pomeroy *et al*
  + *A Brief History of Ancient Greece*
* Paul Cartledge
  + *Ancient Greece*
* Terry Buckley
  + *Aspects of Greek History*
* Pamela Bradley
  + *Ancient Rome – Using Evidence*
* PJ Rhodes
  + *A History of the Classical World*

Rome

Ancient Historians

* Area of Study One
* Livy
  + *The Rise of Rome*
  + *Hannibal*
  + *War in the Mediterranean*
* Polybius
  + *The Rise of the Roman Empire* [specifically, The Punic Wars]
* Appian
  + *The Third Punic War*
* Area of Study Two
* Plutarch
  + *Lives* [specifically: Caesar, Pompey, Crassus, Antony, Cicero]
* Cicero
  + *Selected Works* [specifically: The Philippics & Letters]
* Julius Caesar
  + *The Conquest of Gaul*
* Cassius Dio
  + *The Roman History: The Reign of Augustus*
* Suetonius
  + *The Twelve Caesars* [specifically: Divus Julius & Divus Augustus]
* Appian
  + *The Civil Wars*
* Sallust
  + *The Jugurthine War*

Modern Historians

* Area of Study One
* TJ Cornell
  + *The Beginnings of Rome*
* Mary Beard
  + *SPQR*
* Pamela Bradley
  + *Ancient Rome – Using Evidence*
* Nigel Bagnall
  + *The Punic Wars*
* Area of Study Two
* Mary Beard
  + *SPQR*
* Tom Holland
  + *Rubicon*
* David Gwyn
  + *The Roman Republic*
* Pamela Bradley
  + *Ancient Rome – Using Evidence*
* Catherine Steel
  + *The end of the Roman Republic: 146 – 44 bce*
* Adrian Goldsworthy
  + *Augustus*

The two HTAV text books on **Greece** & **Rome** are an excellent place to start

