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READING LIST

Course Title: A History of British and Irish Poetry from Barrett
Browning to Paul Muldoon
Location: Ewert House, Oxford
Term Dates: 28 Apr 2025 to 14 Jul 2025
Tutor: Tara Stubbs

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

Preparatory Reading List

The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.

Author	Title
Auden, W. H.	<i>Selected Poems</i> , ed. Edward Mendelson (Fabert) (other editions are fine)
Barrett Browning, Elizabeth	<i>Aurora Leigh</i> , ed. Kerry McSweeney (Oxford) (other editions are fine, and also available online)
Boland, Eavan	<i>Collected Poems</i> (Carcanet)

Course Reading List

The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.

Author	Title
Hopkins, Gerard Manley	<i>Selected Poetry</i> , ed. Catherine Phillips (Oxford) (Any edition is fine, as long as it contains the six 'terrible sonnets')

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Morgan, Edwin	<i>New Selected Poems (photocopies can be provided if hard to find!)</i>
Muldoon, Paul	<i>'Plaguey Hill' (Times Literary Supplement, July 2020) (available online via TLS website)</i>
Rossetti, Christina	<i>Selected Poems (Carcanet Press) (other editions are fine)</i>
Tennyson, Alfred Lord	<i>In Memoriam A. H. H. (Any edition (unabbreviated) is fine)</i>