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GUARDIANS & SENTINELS: 4TH-6TH STUDENT SUPPLY LIST 2025-2026

- ☐ [*The Golden Fleece*](#) by Padraic Colum*
- ☐ [*Grammar of Poetry: Student Edition*](#) by Matt Whitling
- ☐ [*Children of the Storm: The Autobiography of Natasha Vins*](#) by Natasha Vins
- ☐ [*Publicola*](#) by Plutarch & Anne E. White
- ☐ [*Black Ships Before Troy: The Story of the Iliad*](#) by Rosemary Sutcliff
- ☐ [*The Wanderings of Odysseus: The Story of the Odyssey*](#) by Rosemary Sutcliff
- ☐ Recommended: [Commonplace Journal, any color](#)**
- ☐ Spiral notebook, pens and pencils

The Golden Fleece, *Children of the Storm*, and *Black Ships Before Troy* are all books the student will read on their own as homework. (If your student still struggles with independent reading, it is recommended that they follow along in the book while listening to an audiobook or to a parent or sibling reading it aloud to them. Only *The Golden Fleece* appears to be available as an audiobook.) The other books will be read in class.

**The Golden Fleece* is the story of the Jason Argonauts. This is a summer reading assignment. If your student is coming out of Year 3 using Ambleside Online, he or she may have just finished reading Kingsley's, *The Heroes*. If this is the case, it is not necessary for them to read this book.

**Guardian and Sentinel students are asked to start commonplacing from their assigned books. They are asked to make 1-2 commonplace entries per week (these entries could count as copywork for the day in their home studies). If students already have a commonplace journal, they can continue to use the one they already have. The journal linked above is nice; it has TOC pages, and all the pages are already numbered, as well as a place to write the date. This journal is big enough that students can use this for all their school subjects, not just Arete or Lux. Please refer to the Scale How School video about how to keep a commonplace journal.

The student needs to label books and materials with his or her last name.

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