

A Level Philosophy & Ethics Reading List

PHILOSOPHY

Plato, *Republic*, Book 474c-480; 506b-509c; 509d-511e; 514a-517c

Aristotle, *Physics*, II.3

Aristotle, *Metaphysics*, V.2

Descartes, *Principles of Philosophy*, 1.60-65

Aquinas, *Summa Theologica*, I.2.3

Paley, *Natural Theology*, Chapter 1 and 2

Hume, *Dialogues Concerning Natural Religion*, Part II

Anselm, *Proslogion*, 2 and 3

Guanilo, *In behalf of the fool*

Kant, *A critique of pure reason*, Second Division III.IV

Descartes, *Principles of Philosophy*, 1.60-65

James, W. *The Varieties of Religious Experience*, lectures 9,10,16,17 and 20

Augustine, *The City of God*, Part II

Hick, J. *Evil and the God of love*, Part IV

Boethius, *Consolation of Philosophy*, Book V

Anselm, *De Concordia*

Swinburne, R. *The Coherence of Theism*, Part III

Aquinas, *Summa Theologica*, I.13

Tillich, *Dynamics of Faith*, Part 3

Ayer, A.J. *God Talk is Evidently Nonsense*

Wittgenstein, L. *Philosophical Investigations*

ETHICS

Aquinas, *Summa Theologica*, I.II (93-95)

Fletcher, J. *Situation Ethics: The New Morality*

Kant, I. *Groundwork of the Metaphysic of Morals*, Chapter 2

Bentham, J. (1789), *An Introduction to the Principles of Morals and Legislation*

Mill, J.S. (1863) *Utilitarianism*

Glover, J. (1977) *Causing Death and Saving Life*, Chapter 14 and 15

Singer, P. (1995) *Rethinking Life and Death: The Collapse of our Traditional Ethics*, Chapter 7

Aquinas, *Summa Theologica*, I-I 79

Freud, S. *The Ego and the Id*

Pope Paul VI (1968), *Humanae Vitae*

DEVELOPMENT OF CHRISTIAN THOUGHT

Augustine, *City of God*, Book 14, Chapters 16-26

Augustine, *Confessions*, Book 8

Bonhoeffer, D. (1951) *Letters and Papers from Prison*

Bonhoeffer, D. (1937) *The Cost of Discipleship*, Chapter 1

Hick, J. (1995), *God and the Universe of Faiths*, Chapters 1 and 10

The Doctrine Commission of the Church of England (1995), *The Mystery of Salvation*, Chapters 7

Pope Paul VI (1965) *Nostra Aetate; Declaration on the relation of the Church to non-Christian religions*

Tong, R. (2013), *Feminist Thought*, Chapter 1

Radford Ruether, R. *Sexism and God-Talk*, Chapter 9

Daly, M. *Beyond God the Father*, Chapter 4

Freud, S. *The Future of an Illusion*

Dawkins, R. *The God Delusion*, Chapter 9

Congregation of the Doctrine of the Faith (1984) *Instruction on Certain Aspects of the 'Theology of Liberation'*