**Recommended Reading – KS5**

**Business and Economics.**

<https://www.tutor2u.net/economics/blog> or <https://www.tutor2u.net/business/blog>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/business/>

<https://www.ft.com/?edition=uk>

<https://www.economist.com/>

Economic Review and Business Review in the school library.

We also have a library of business and economics literature in N001 that students are free to borrow from.

**English Literature and Language**

**Emagazine**

**Username : StMartins**

**Password: conrad**

**A Level English Language – Wider Reading**

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| **Language Change and Variety** |  |  |
| Language change – a potted guide | S. Mold | emagazine |
| Middle English - word formation and borrowing | S Jackson | emagazine |
| A Brief History of Australian English | L. Wilkinson | emagazine |
| Prescriptivist or Descriptivist? The Study of the English Language in the Early 20th Century | S. Horobin | emagazine |
| English - a Language of Immigrants | D. Cameron | emagazine |
| Twenty Years that Changed the English Language | D. Crystal | emagazine |
| Old English - textual investigations | A. Jordan | emagazine |
| Historical Pragmatics or, the Linguistic History of Spells, Small Words and Sweet Talk | J. Culpeper | emagazine |
| Texting - an analysis |  | emagazine |
| Borrowers and thieves - how languages take words from each other | M. Rosen | emagazine |
| Language at full stretch - analysing spoken English | R. Carter | emagazine |
| A nice and helpful approach to word change? |  | emagazine |
| Grammar and Change – Is ‘Correct’ Grammar a Myth? | G. francis | emagazine |
| Think big for a change - context and language change | A. Beard | emagazine |
| Tadpole or cuckoo? How language changes | J. Aitcheson | emagazine |
| Not so fast! The influence of Old English on everyday language | J. Blake | emagazine |
| Virtual Worlds, Virtual Words - The language of online gaming | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| Slang and Politically Correct Jargon | D Clayton | emagazine |
| Black English - a critical discussion |  | emagazine |
| Youth dialect | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| American English Slang Vernacular Analysis | I McMechen | emagazine |
| US v. British English - a pragmatic view | A. Ross | emagazine |
| Around the World with emag – a Survey of Articles (emagplus) | N. Luk | emagazine |
| **Child Language Acquisition** |  |  |
| Child Language Acquisition: Writing (CLA) | B. Eve | emagazine |
| Child language acquisition - an introduction to the main theories (CLA) | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| Child Language Acquisition - Sentence Structure and Pragmatics (CLA) | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| Learning How to Write - The development of early literacy (CLA) | D. Reah | emagazine |
| Language acquisition - Steven Pinker’s Words and Rules (CLA) | J. Shuttleworth | emagazine |
| The functions of children’s talk (CLA) | A. Ross | emagazine |
| Child Language Acquisition - early language development over 18 months (CLA) | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| **Language and Gender** |  |  |
| Language and gender: sorting the facts from the fantasy | A Goddard | emagazine |
| Tense & Aspect - Using Detailed Comments on Verb Forms | B. Kemp | emagazine |
| Frogs and snails and puppy dogs’ tails - critiquing orthodox views of gender | J. Blake | emagazine |
| Language and Gender - Opening up the emagazine Archive | D. Clayton | emagazine |
| Women’s Football – From Cinderella to Game-winner | R. Morris | emagazine |
| Modern Marking – a Challenge to Gender Neutral Marking | S. Williams | emagazine |
| Gender Stereotyping in the Language of Advertising | D. Cameron | emagazine |
| Gender - Deborah Cameron’s lecture for the emagazine Conference 2014 | D. Cameron | emagazine |
| Children’s Reading - Gender and Language | S. Battams | emagazine |
| Ladettes and slags, manwhores and boyfriends - gender, culture and language | B. Kemp | emagazine |
| **Miscellaneous** |  |  |
| Hey, I’m talking to YOU! - The language of newspapers | R. Davidson | emagazine |
| Logs, Blogs, Sites and Digests - Eight of the Best for Language A Level | B. Bleiman | emagazine |

**Wider Reading – A Level English Literature**

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| **Othello** | **Author** | **Source** |
| Shakespearean Tragedy | D Kastan | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| The Pleasure of Tragedy | A. Nuttall | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| The Shakespearean Tragic Hero | A.C. Bradley | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| Tragedy and Madness | M. Mack | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| Othello- The Portrayal of Iago | A. J. Honigmann | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| The Character of Othello | F.R. Leavis | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| Othello, Race and Society | A Loomba | Edexcel Critical Anthology |
| Critics discuss Othello: Race and Women- video clip | Various | emagazine |
| Othello - An exploration of Shakespeare’s representation of women | S. Robertson | emagazine |
| Shakespeare: Critical essay on Othello’s jealousy | B. Greer | emagazine |
| Othello - a tragedy of racism, xenophobia and misogyny | J Dollimore | emagazine |
| Othello and race in Elizabethan London | R Lees | emagazine |
| **A Streetcar Named Desire** |  |  |
| A Streetcar Named Desire - a critical discussion of the rape scene | T. Coult | emagazine |
| Setting of A Streetcar Named Desire | T. Coult | emagazine |
| Lights, music, action - motifs and symbols in A Streetcar Named Desire | V. Elliott | emagazine |
| Old South versus New America – A Streetcar Named Desire | G. Reigh | emagazine |
| Presentations of Masculinity - A Streetcar Named Desire | S. Bubb | emagazine |
| The Language of Stanley and Blanche in A Streetcar Named Desire | D. Kinder | emagazine |
| **The Picture of Dorian Gray** |  |  |
| The Picture of Dorian Gray | J. Harrison | emagazine |
| The Picture of Dorian Gray - Criticism | Various | emagazine |
| Aestheticism – A Rough Guide | R. Owens | emagazine |
| The Picture of Dorian Gray - A Celebration or Critique of the Aesthetic Life? | M. Haldenby | emagazine |
| **Chaucer: The Wife of Bath** |  |  |
| Voices in the With of Bath's Tale | K. Limmer | emagazine |
| The Wife of Bath – Individual or Stereotype? | N. Wheale | emagazine |
| The Wife of Bath in Context: Medieval Views of Marriage | M. Hebron | emagazine |
| Reading the Wife of Bath - Feminist freedom fighter or hypocritical harridan? | M.Hebron | emagazine |
| From profane to sacred - the poetry of John Donne | S. Mold | emagazine |
| John Donne’s sonnet ‘Divine Meditations’, Sonnet 1 – a close reading | M. Hebron | emagazine |
| **The Handmaid's Tale/ 1984** |  |  |
| Two Different Kinds of Dystopia - The Handmaid’s Tale and 1984 | G. O'Duffy | emagazine |
| Casting Shadows Over Our Future - the Dystopian Novel | C. Joyce | emagazine |
| Touching wood reading 1984 in 2003 | L. Webster | emagazine |
| The Handmaid’s Tale - the epilogue | L. Webster | emagazine |
| A close focus on a short passage from The Handmaid’s Tale | B. Bleiman | emagazine |
| Sci-fi novels - analysed | M. Wolfe | emagazine |
| Fragmenting the whole - the narrative inventiveness of The Handmaid’s Tale | K. Murr | emagazine |
| The Handmaid’s Tale - Worrying at words | M. Reynolds | emagazine |

**Media**

Radio 4 Media show:

* Amazing archive of shows, search the archive to match your case studies or lesson topics
  + <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00dv9hq>
* Another media radio show - The Digital Human
  + <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b01n7094>
* <http://www.channel4.com/>
* <http://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer>
* A quick search on ‘Media’ brings a myriad of results…
  + <https://www.futurelearn.com/search?utf8=%E2%9C%93&q=media>
* Right leaning broadsheet newspaper
  + <http://www.telegraph.co.uk/>
* The Guardian
  + <https://www.theguardian.com/uk>
* Free, high quality articles from the main left leaning newspaper in the UK
  + <https://www.theguardian.com/media/series/mediatalk>
* Have a look at the media specific site on the guardian
  + <http://www.ted.com/playlists/21/media_with_meaning>
* Filter the talks for the key word MEDIA 🡪 some great talks!
* Your One stop shop for Media revision
  + <http://media.edusites.co.uk/>
    - Username: mediaedusms
    - Password: media

**Philosophy**

**Epistemology**

[Berkeley, G, Three dialogues between Hylas and Philonous, 1713](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/berkeley)

[Descartes, R, Meditations on first philosophy, 1641](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/descartes)

[Gettier, E, Is justified true belief knowledge?, 1963](http://www.ditext.com/gettier/gettier.html)

[Hume, D, An enquiry concerning human understanding, 1748](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/hume)

[Leibniz, G, New essays on human understanding, 1705](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/leibniz)

[Locke, J, An essay concerning human understanding, 1690](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/locke)

[Plato, Meno, 380 BC](http://classics.mit.edu/Plato/meno.html)

[Russell, B, The problems of philosophy, 1912](http://www.gutenberg.org/ebooks/5827?msg=welcome_stranger)

[Trotter Cockburn, C, A letter from an anonymous writer to the author of the Minute philosopher index, Appendix to Berkeley, G, Theory of vision vindicated and explained, 1732](https://babel.hathitrust.org/cgi/pt?id=hvd.ah21zq;view=1up;seq=167)

[Zagzebski, L, What is knowledge?, 1999, in Greco, J, Sosa, E, The Blackwell guide to epistemology, 1998](http://eu.wiley.com/WileyCDA/WileyTitle/productCd-0631202919.html)

**Moral Philosophy**

[Annas, J, Virtue ethics, in Copp, D, The Oxford handbook of ethical theory, 2006](http://www.oxfordhandbooks.com/view/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780195325911.001.0001/oxfordhb-9780195325911-e-19)

[Aristotle, Nicomachean ethics, 350 BC](http://classics.mit.edu/Aristotle/nicomachaen.1.i.html)

[Ayer, A J, The central questions of philosophy, 1973/1991](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Central-Questions-Philosophy-Penguin-philosophy/dp/0140135804)

[Ayer, A J, Language, truth and logic, 1936](http://s-f-walker.org.uk/ebooks-index.html)

[Bentham, J, Introduction to the principles of morals and legislation, 1789](https://archive.org/details/in.ernet.dli.2015.505073)

[Diamond, C, Eating meat and eating people, 1978](http://www.jstor.org/stable/3749876?origin=JSTOR-pdf&seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents)

[Foot, P, Morality as a system of hypothetical imperatives, 1972](http://www.jstor.org/stable/2184328?origin=JSTOR-pdf&seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents)

[Hare, R M, The language of morals, 1952](http://www.ditext.com/hare/lm.html)

[Hume, D, Treatise of human nature, 1739-40](http://www.earlymoderntexts.com/authors/hume)

[Kant, I, Foundations of the metaphysics of morals, 1785](http://www.gutenberg.org/ebooks/5682?msg=welcome_stranger)

[Mackie, J L, Ethics: inventing right and wrong, 1977](https://www.scribd.com/doc/28126374/J-L-Mackie-Ethics-Inventing-Right-and-Wrong-0140135588-1991)

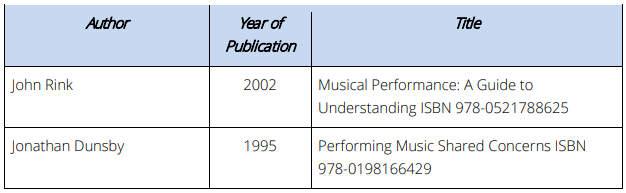
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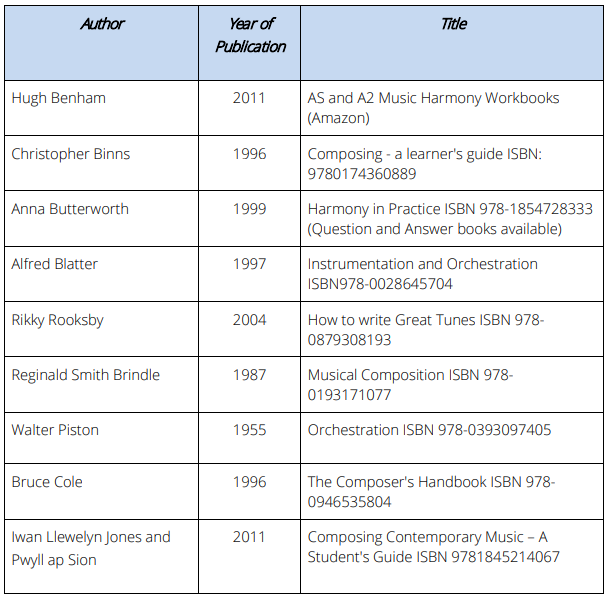
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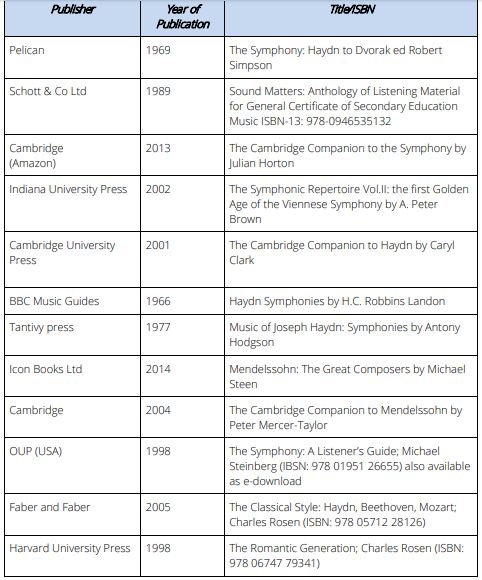
[Smart, J J C, Williams, B, Utilitarianism: for and against, 1973](https://books.google.co.uk/books?id=J0w3ER2fWv4C&redir_esc=y)

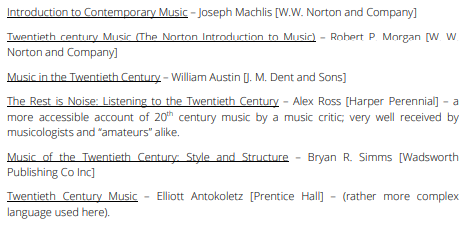
These can all be accessed using this link - <https://www.aqa.org.uk/resources/philosophy/as-and-a-level/philosophy/teach/resource-list>

**Music**









**History**

**Tudors:**

**Key texts for classroom and individual study**

• C Lee, Britain, 1483-1529, Nelson Thornes, 2008

• R Carpenter, The Church in England and the Struggle for Supremacy, 1529-1547, Nelson

Thornes, 2009

• M Tillbrook, The Triumph of Elizabethan Britain 1547-1603, Nelson Thornes, 2009

• I Dawson, The Tudor Century, Nelson Thornes, 1993

**Useful books for students**

• D Murphy (ed), England 1485-1603, Collins, 1999

• N Fellows, Disorder and Rebellion in Tudor England, Hodder, 2009

• R Lockyer & D O’Sullivan, Tudor Britain 1485-1603, Longman, 1993

• K Randall, Henry VIII and the Government of England, Hodder, 2001

• K Randall, Henry VIII and the Reformation in England, Hodder, 2001

• J Warren, Elizabeth I: Meeting the Challenge, Hodder, 2008

**Reference books**

• G W Bernard, The Kings Reformation, Yale, 2005

• C Carpenter, The Wars of the Roses, CUP, 1997

• C S L Davies, Peace, Print and Protestantism, Paladin, 1995

 S Doran, Princes, Pastors and People, Routledge, 1991

 E Duffy, The Stripping of the Altars, Yale, 1992

 G R Elton, England Under the Tudors, Routledge, 1991

• A Fletcher & D MacCulloch, Tudor Rebellions, Longman, 2004

• Griffiths (ed), The Experience of Authority in Early Modern England, Macmillan, 1996

• S Gunn, Early Tudor Government, Macmillan,1995

• J Guy, Tudor England, OUP, 1998

• C Haigh, The Reign of Elizabeth, Macmillan, 1984

• C Haigh, English Reformations, Clarendon Press, 1993

• J Loach, The Mid Tudor Polity 1540-1560, Macmillan, 1980

• D Loades, The Mid-Tudor Crisis, 1545-1565, Palgrave, 1992

• D Loades, Politics and the Nation 1450-1660, Blackwell, 1999

• D M Palliser, The Age of Elizabeth, Longman, 1992

• A J Pollard, The Wars of the Roses, Macmillan, 1988

• J Scarisbrick, The Reformation and the English People, Blackwell, 1984

• A G R Smith, Emergence of A Nation State, Pearson, 1997

• P Thomas, Authority and Disorder in Tudor Times 1485-1603, CUP, 1999

**Biographies and first-hand accounts**

• S Chrimes, Henry VII, Yale, 1999

• D Cook, Sixteenth Century England Documents and Debates, Macmillan, 1980

• D Cressy & L Ferrell, Religion and Society in Early modern England A Sourcebook, Routledge,

1996

• R Horrox, Richard III, CUP, 1991

• D Loades, The Reign of Mary Tudor, Longman, 1991

• J Loach, Edward VI, Yale, 1999

• D Starkey & L Wooding, Elizabeth, Vintage, 2001

• L Wooding, Henry VIII, Routledge, 2009

**Visual sources and websites**

• [www.johnguy.co.uk](http://www.johnguy.co.uk)

• [www.history.ac.uk](http://www.history.ac.uk)

• [www.activehistory.co.uk](http://www.activehistory.co.uk)

• [www.bbc.co.uk/history](http://www.bbc.co.uk/history)

• [www.tudoerplace.com](http://www.tudoerplace.com)

In addition, there is a small History A level library at the back of room N015, from which students can borrow and a notice board with details of latest titles to broaden their knowledge of both our topics and the wider world.

**The Cold War:**

**Key texts for classroom and individual study**

• J Aldred, Aspects of International Relations, 1945 – 2004, Nelson Thornes, 2009

• O Edwards, Access to History: The USA and the Cold War 1945-63, Hodder, 2002

• S Phillips, The Cold War in Europe and Asia, Heineman, 2001

• K Rogers and J Thomas, The Cold War, Pearson, 2008

• D Williamson, Access to History: Europe and the Cold War 1945-1991, Hodder, 2006

**Useful books for students**

• G S Barrass, The Great Cold War, Stanford University Press, 2009

• R Croackatt, The Fifty Years War, Routledge, 1995

• John Lewis Gaddis, The Cold War, Penguin, 2007

• Isaacs and Downing, The Cold War: For Forty-five Years the World Held its Breath, Abacas,

2008

• B Lightbody, The Cold War (Questions and Analysis in History), Routledge, 1999

• J Mason, The Cold War: 1945-1991 (Lancaster Pamphlets), Routledge, 1996

• T Judt, Postwar: A History of Europe Since 1945, Vintage, 2010

**Reference books**

• S Ambrose, Rise to Globalism; American Foreign Policy since 1938, Penguin, 2012

• A Applebaum, Iron Curtain: The Crushing of Eastern Europe 1944-56, Penguin, 2013

• M Dobbs, One Minute To Midnight: Kennedy, Khrushchev and Castro on the Brink of Nuclear

War, Arrow, 2009

• N Ferguson, Colossus: The Rise and Fall of the American Empire, Penguin, 2009

• J Fenby, Alliance: The Inside Story of How Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill Won One War and

Began Another, Pocket Books, 2008

• J L Gaddis, We Now Know, Rethinking Cold War History, Clarendon Press, 1998

• R Garthoff, Détente and Confrontation: American-Soviet Relations from Nixon to Reagan,

Brookings Institution Press, 1994

• W, LaFeber, America, Russia, and the Cold War, 1945-2002, McGraw-Hill, 2002

• J Mann, The Rebellion of Ronald Reagan: A History of the End of the Cold War, Penguin, 2011

• S M Plokhy, Yalta: The Price of Peace, Viking, 2011

• V Sebsetyen, Revolution 1989: The Fall of the Soviet Empire, Vintage, 2010

• F Taylor, The Berlin Wall: 13 August 1961 - 9 November 1989, Bloombury Publishing, 2009

• M Walker, The Cold War and the Making of the Modern World, Vintage, 1994

• Westad The Global Cold War: Third World Interventions and the Making of Our Times, CUP,

2007

• V Zubok, Inside the Kremlin's Cold War: From Stalin to Khrushchev, Harvard University Press,

1997

• M Zubok Vladislav, A Failed Empire: The Soviet Union in the Cold War from Stalin to

Gorbachev, University of North Carolina Prerss, 2008

**Document Collections (see also web sites)**

• J M Hanimaki and O Westad, The Cold War: A History in Documents and Eyewitness

Accounts, OUP, 2004

**Biographies and first-hand accounts**

• R Nixon, Memoirs, Simon and Schuster, 1981

• Gorbachev, Memoirs, Doubleday, 2007

• R Kennedy, Thirteen Days: A Memoir of the Cuban Missile Crisis, WW Norton, 2002

• H Kissinger, White House Years, Simon and Schuster,1979

• H Kissinger, Years of Upheaval, Simon and Schuster, 1982

**Visual sources and websites**

• S Khrushchev, Drawing the Curtain: The Cold War in Cartoons, Fontanka, 2012

• <http://www.wilsoncenter.org/program/cold-war-international-history-project>

• <http://avalon.law.yale.edu/subject_menus/coldwar.asp>

• <http://www2.gwu.edu/~nsarchiv/coldwar/documents/>

• <http://millercenter.org/academic/dgs/primaryresources/cold_war>

• <http://www.historywiz.com/primarysources/coldwarprimary.html>

• <http://web.archive.org/web/20081217154418/http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/cold.war/>

• <https://www.mtholyoke.edu/acad/intrel/coldwar.htm>

**A level Sociology**

**READING LIST AND USEFUL WEBSITES**

**Bold type indicates that there are copies in school.**

**Giddens,A. [1996]Sociology Clearly written, useful for less well researched subject areas.**

**Haralambos and Holborn [2000] Sociology-Themes and Perspectives. The original and best! Very detailed- should be used for all essays and extension work.**

Haralambos and Hoborn [2018] AQA A level Sociology Themes and Perspectives Year 1 and 2. Up to date statistics and studies for the new linear exam.

**Moore et al [2009] Sociology AS for AQA/Sociology A2 for AQA –BOTH HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, Clearly written, detailed and written for the new spec. Published by Collins.**

**Haralambos [2006]-Sociology Themes and Perspectives: Student Handbook. Condensed paper- back version of the big book. Highly recommended. Good for revising theorists and concepts they use.**

CGP Revision Guides –AS and A2 available.

http://www.homeoffice.gov.uk- for crime statistics

<https://www.ipsos.com/ipsos-mori/en-uk> for research, data and research methods

**PE**

OCR PE for A Level Year 1

John Honeybourne & Sarah Powell

ISBN 978-147-1-85173-5

OCR PE for A Level Year 2

John Honeybourne & Sarah Powell

ISBN 978-147-1-85174-2

My Revision Notes

OCR A Level PE

Keri Moorhouse

ISBN 978-1-5104-0521-9

**Drama**

THEATRE IN PRACTICE by Nick O’Brien and Annie Sutton

EDEXCEL AS AND A LEVEL DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDY GUIDE by Rhianna Elsden

THE FRANTIC ASSEMBLY BOOK OF DEVISING by Scott Graham

THE COMPLETE BRECHT TOOLKIT by Stephen Unwin

AN ACTOR PREPARES by Constantin Stanislvski

THEATRE AND ITS DOUBLE by Antonin Artaud

WOYZECK BY GEORG BUCHNER by GradeSaver

**Product Design**

How Stuff Works Videos

Technologystudent.com

jamesdysonfoundation.co.uk

The Dream Factory: Alessi since 1921 -  Alberto Alessi

50 Product Designs: Process Jennifer Hudson

Collapsibles: A design album of space-saving objects  - Per Mollerup

Design: The Definitive Visual History - DK

Art without Waste:500 Upcycled and Earth-Friendly Designs - Patty Wongpakdee

***Fashion & Textiles***

Gods and Kings: The rise and fall of Alexander McQueen and John Galliano - Dana Thomas

The Beautiful Fall: Fashion Genius and Glorious excess in 1970’s - Alicia Drake

Yves Saint Laurent: A biography - Alice Rawsthorn

The Fashion Design Course: Principles, Practice and Techniques - Steven Faerm

A Practical Guide to Sustainable Fashion (Basics Fashion Design) - Alison Gwilt

Fashionopolis: The Price of Fast Fashion - and the Future of Clothes - Dana Thomas

Wardrobe Crisis: How We Went from Sunday Best to Fast Fashion - Clare Press

Marketing Fashion: Strategy, Branding and Promotion - 2nd edition - Henrik Kubel and Scott Williams

**Biology**

**Books**

Richard Dawkins:

The Selfish Gene

The Blind Watchmaker.

Unweaving the Rainbow

Climbing Mount Improbable

The Ancestor’s Tale

Steve Jones:

Y: The Descent of Men

[In the Blood: God, Genes and Destiny](http://www.amazon.co.uk/Blood-God-Genes-Destiny/dp/0002555123/ref=pd_sbs_b_4/202-5159057-0957406?ie=UTF8&qid=1185891131&sr=1-23)

[Almost Like a Whale: The 'Origin of Species' Updated](http://www.amazon.co.uk/Almost-Like-Whale-Species-Updated/dp/055299958X/ref=cm_lmf_tit_1_rdssss0/202-5159057-0957406)  The Language of the genes

Matt Ridley

[Genome: The Autobiography of a Species in 23 Chapters](http://www.amazon.co.uk/Genome-Autobiography-Species-23-Chapters/dp/185702835X/ref=pd_sbs_b_1/202-5159057-0957406?ie=UTF8&qid=1185891131&sr=1-23)

[The Red Queen: Sex and the Evolution of Human Nature](http://www.amazon.co.uk/Red-Queen-Evolution-Human-Nature/dp/0060556579/ref=pd_sbs_b_2/202-5159057-0957406?ie=UTF8&qid=1185891131&sr=1-23)

The Language of Genes

Francis Crick: Discoverer of the Genetic Code

Nature Via Nurture: Genes, Experience and What Makes Us Human

James Watson:

DNA: The Secret of Life

The Double Helix: Personal Account of the Discovery of the Structure of DNA

Lewis Thomas:

The Lives of a Cell: Notes of a Biology Watcher.

The Medusa and the Snail: More Notes of a Biology Watcher Barry Gibb: [The Rough Guide to the Brain (Rough Guides Reference Titles)](http://www.amazon.co.uk/Rough-Guide-Guides-Reference-Titles/dp/1843536641/ref=pd_bbs_sr_1/202-5159057-0957406?ie=UTF8&s=books&qid=1185891563&sr=8-1)

Charles Darwin: The origin of species

Armand Marie Leroi: Mutants: On the Form, Varieties and Errors of the Human Body

David S. Goodsell: The Machinery of Life

Ernst Mayr: This Is Biology: The Science of the Living World

George C. Williams: Plan and Purpose in Nature

Steve Pinker: The Language Instinct

Edward O Wilson: The Diversity of Life

Richard Leaky: The Origin of Humankind

Bill Bryson: A Short History of Nearly Everything

Oliver Sachs: The Man Who Mistook His Wife For A Hat

Daniel Chamovitz: What A Plant Knows

Neil Shubin: Your Inner Fish: The amazing discovery of our 375-million-year-old ancestor

**Websites**

1. <http://www.ibiblio.org/virtualcell/index.htm>– An interactive cell biology site
2. <http://www.accessexcellence.org/RC/VL/GG>– A web site showing illustrations of many processes of biotechnology
3. [http://www.uq.oz.au/nanoworld](http://www.uq.oz.au/nanoworld/) – Visit the world of electron-microscopy
4. <http://www.dnai.org/a/index.html>– Explore the genetic code
5. [http://nobelprize.org](http://nobelprize.org/) – Details of the history of the best scientific discoveries
6. [http://nature.com](http://nature.com/) – The site of the scientific journal
7. [http://royalsociety.org](http://royalsociety.org/) – Podcasts, news and interviews with scientists about recent scientific developments
8. [http://www.nhm.ac.uk](http://www.nhm.ac.uk/) – The London Natural History Museum’s website with lots of interesting educational material
9. [http://www.bmj.com](http://www.bmj.com/) – The website of the British Medical Journal
10. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/science_and_environment>- The BBC news page for Science and the Environment
11. <https://bscb.org/> - British Society for Cell Biology

**Chemistry**

**Books**

The Pleasure of Finding Things Out - Richard Feynman

Periodic Tales - Hugh Aldersey-Williams

The Disappearing Spoon - Sam Kean

Uncle Tungsten - Oliver Sachs

The Shocking History of Phosphorus: A Biography of the Devil’s Element - John Emsley

Napoleon's Buttons: How 17 Molecules Changed History - by Penny Le Couteur and Jay Burreson

**Magazine/Journals**

Scientific American

New Scientist

The Mole

**Places of Interest**

Royal Society of Chemistry - Burlington Arcade, Regents Street Londong

Science Museum, London

Museum of the HIstory of Science, Oxford

Curie Museum, Paris

**Websites**

Periodic Table of Videos by Martyn Poliakoff [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com/)

Royal Society of Chemistry [www.rsc.org.uk](http://www.rsc.org.uk/)  Institution of Chemical Engineers [www.icheme.org](http://www.icheme.org/)  [www.chemguide.co.uk](http://www.chemguide.co.uk/)

MaChemGuy - You Tube Channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyl4QJXN9zNapzmKAn-fJgQ>

**Physics**

**Books**

* A short History of Nearly Everything - Bill Bryson
* Why don’t penguins’ feet freeze? – NewScientist
* The Grand Design – Stephen Hawkin and Leonard Mlodinow
* Newton – Peter Ackroyd
* The Quantum Universe: Everything that can happen does happen – Brian Cox and Jeff Forshaw

**Magazines/journals**

* *Physics World*
* *Scientific American*
* *New Scientist*

**Places of Interest**

* Science Museum
* National Space Centre
* Imperial war museum
* The planetarium
* Greenwich observatory

**Websites**

[**www.iop.org**](http://www.biology-online.org/)

[**www.s**](http://www.biology-online.org/)**ixtysymbols.com www.physicsworld.com**

[**http://home.web.cern.ch/topics/large-hadron collider**](http://home.web.cern.ch/topics/large-hadron%20collider)

<http://chubbyrevision.weebly.com/ocr-physics.html>

**Art**

Art: The Whole Story- Stephen Farthing

Art: Andrew Graham Dixon

Extraordinary Sketchbooks: Jane Stobart

**Equipment**

Brushes/ Graded sketching pencils, watercolours, acrylic paint/ WHSMITH coloured pencils.

**Photography**

Read this if you want to take great photographs- Henry Carroll

Photography: The definitive visual history- Tom Ang

Mario Testino: Portraits

**Equipment**

 Camera digital or SLR (desirable not essential)

**German A level independent reading**

* <http://www.dw.com/de/themen/s-9077> - Deutsche Welle has articles and videos of news items.
* <http://www.dw.com/de/17092016-langsam-gesprochene-nachrichten/a-19558469> - slow news in German. These short videos (with supporting text) are a daily round-up of the news, spoken slowly.
* <http://www.nachrichtenleicht.de/> - another website with accessible news, both video and articles.
* <http://www1.wdr.de/nachrichten/index.html> - Westdeutscher Rundfunk is a news website with articles and videos.
* <http://www.daserste.de/> - this is one of the German TV channels.
* [www.spiegel.de](http://www.spiegel.de) (magazine on world news)
* [www.stern.de](http://www.stern.de) (magazine)
* Nachrichten in 100 Sekunden
* <http://www.zdf.de/ZDFmediathek/beitrag/video/2623084/Herzrasen#/hauptnavigation/startseite> - another German TV channel that gives you some access to programmes.
* <http://www.ndr.de/index.html?redir=1> – German TV channel.
* <http://www.mdr.de/home/index.html> - German TV channel.
* <http://www.prosieben.de/> - German TV channel.
* <http://www.rtl.de/cms/index.html> - German TV channel.
* <http://www.vox.de/cms/index.html> - German TV channel.
* <http://www.sat1.de/> - German TV channel.
* <http://slowgerman.com/> - a website with videos (and supporting text) on a range of topics, spoken clearly and slowly. There is a paid-for option, but much of the content is free.
* <http://www.zeit.de/index> and <http://www.sueddeutsche.de/> - these are German newspapers.
* <http://www.planet-wissen.de/index.html> - videos with supporting text on a variety of topics
* <https://www.vorleser.net/> - this is a website that offers a wide range of audiobooks in German to stream or download, including many free ones.
* <http://www.surrey.ac.uk/englishandlanguages/languages_study_area/information_for%20_schools/listen_at_surrey/listen_to_german_at_surrey/index.htm> - the university of Surrey has compiled a range of listening exercises on a variety of topics. They also have a ‘Read German’ link with different reading tasks.
* <https://detektor.fm/> - online German radio and podcasts.
* <http://www.goethe.de/ins/gb/lon/prj/asa/top/enindex.htm> - links to different articles grouped by topics.
* <http://www.goethe.de/ins/us/saf/prj/stg/mus/vid/enindex.htm> - good place to start when looking for German music.

Other ideas:

* There are a number of books in the library you can borrow.
* Other titles of books:

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| Die verlorene Ehre der Katharina Blum |  | Heinrich Böll |
| Ich fühle mich so fifty-fifty |  | Karin König |
| Stasiland |  | Anna Funder |
| Am kurzeren Ende der Sonnenallee |  | Thomas Brussig |
| Der Besuch der alten Dame |  | Friedrich Dürrenmatt |

* Wikipedia has a huge number of articles available in German – Find a page that interests you and read it in German
* The ‘speak selection’ option on your ipad can be useful to hear a passage of German spoken in an authentic German voice. Google translate also has an option like this.
* Youtube is great if you know what you are interested in (songs, news clips, podcasts on different topics).
* youtubers you could have a look at:
  + [www.youtube.com/user/BibisBeautyPalace](https://www.youtube.com/user/BibisBeautyPalace) (beauty)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/Dagibeee](https://www.youtube.com/user/Dagibeee) (beauty)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/HerrTutorial](https://www.youtube.com/user/HerrTutorial) (random)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/ConCrafter](http://www.youtube.com/user/ConCrafter) (various topics)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/uFoneTV](http://www.youtube.com/user/uFoneTV) (lifestyle)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/SceneTakeTV/](http://www.youtube.com/user/SceneTakeTV/) (comedy)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/skaterboy3001](http://www.youtube.com/user/skaterboy3001) (various topics)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/MrWissen2go](http://www.youtube.com/user/MrWissen2go) (educational videos on recent topics)
  + [www.youtube.com/channel/UCDIDXF4WM1qQzerrxeEfSdA](http://www.youtube.com/channel/UCDIDXF4WM1qQzerrxeEfSdA) (comedy/random)
  + [www.youtube.com/user/doktorallwissend](http://www.youtube.com/user/doktorallwissend) (videos answering existential questions usually asked by teenagers!)

There is a function on Youtube where you can slow down the speed of a video by clicking on the gear icon and adjusting the speed. At 50% speed, the audio will be slowed down as well. 25% speed is too slow for the audio, so there won’t be any sound at that point.

**Geography A Level Additional Reading List**

Geography An Integrated Approach  David Waugh

Geography Review (found in the 6th form library)

David Harvey – Reinventing Geography

David Harvey – The ways of the World

Held, D. (ed) 2004 A Globalizing world? Culture, Economics, Politics, Routledge / Open University Press, 2nd edition

Murray, W.E. 2006 Geographies of Globalization, Routledge

Gough, J., Eisenschitz, A. and McCulloch, A. 2006 Spaces of Social Exclusion, Routledge

The Economics of Climate Change – Nicholas Stern

Mapping: Ways of Representing the World – Dorling & Fairbairn

Questioning Geography – Castree

Territory: The Claiming of Space – David Storey

Dwyer, C.L. (2017). Transnational religion, multiculturalism and global suburbs. In Garbin, D., Strhan, A. (Eds.), Religion and the Global City. (pp. 173-188). London, UK: Bloomsbury Publishing

Dwyer, C. (1999). Migrations and Diaspora. In Crang, P., Cloke, P., Goodwin, M. (Eds.), Introducing Human Geographies. (pp. 287-295). London: Edward Arnold.

T, Cantle (2012) Interculturalism: For the Era of Globalisation, Cohesion and Diversity

Prisoners of geography – Tim Marshall

Divided – Tim Marshall

World of flags – Tim Marshall

Histories of Nations – Peter Furtado

The world in conflict – John Andrews

Factfullness – Hans Rosling

Adventures in the Anthropocene – Gaia Vince

This changes everything – Naomi Klein

Dead Aid – Dambisa Moyo

Welcome to the urban revolution – Jeb Brugmann