

# Philosophy

A good way into the A-Level Philosophy course is to read some high quality introductory philosophy books. The following books are recommended:

- 'Think' by Simon Blackburn
- 'Truth' by Simon Blackburn
- 'Philosophy: A Very Short Introduction' by Edward Craig
- 'An Introduction to Philosophy' by Jon Nuttall
- 'The Philosophy Book' by Will Buckingham and Peter J. King

The following website is also recommended: <https://thepanpsycast.com/home>. This website hosts a range of philosophy podcasts, many of them being directly relevant to A-Level Philosophy.

Podcasts on the following topics are recommended:

- ethics (particularly utilitarianism, Kantian ethics and Aristotle's Nicomachean Ethics)
- philosophy of religion (particularly the ontological, teleological and cosmological arguments for the existence of God)
- philosophy of mind (particularly mind, body and consciousness and dualism and materialism).

