



<p>A Level Syllabus and Assessment Structure: OCR A Level Religious Studies Assessed by 100% exam 3 X 2 hour exams of equal weighting.</p>	
<p>Required (Task Time:) 2-3 hours</p>	<p>Please read the specified chapters from these two books;</p> <p>Vardy, P. (1999) <i>The Puzzle of God</i>, SCM Press- Read chapter 3 ‘The Background to the Debate about God’</p> <p>Vardy, P.(1999) <i>The Puzzle of Ethics</i>, SCM Press – Read the chapter on Utilitarianism</p> <p>For each of the chapters you have been asked to read, summarise the key points in one of the following ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a review of each chapter outlining which were the most useful sections and whether you enjoyed the chapter/ why/ why not. • List any key terms from the text in a vocabulary list, researching their meanings (if not clear from the text) and record these. • Create a picture mind-map of the key ideas. Use doodles and images to illustrate these.
<p>Highly Recommended (Task Time:) 1 hour</p>	<p>Watch the videos below, choosing one to focus on for your task. Write a list of discussion points/questions it raises. Choose (at least) one of your questions and draft at least three possible answers that might be given.</p> <p>https://www.ted.com/talks/damon_horowitz/transcript Ted Talk by Damon Horowitz – We Need a Moral Operating System</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-a739VjqdSI Utilitarianism: Crash Course Philosophy #36</p>
<p>Optional</p>	<p>Optional Reading; Richard Dawkins (anything by him, but ‘The God Delusion’ and ‘The Blind Watchmaker’ are probably the most relevant and accessible)</p> <p>‘Sophie’s World’ Jostein Gaarder</p> <p>‘A Little History of Philosophy’ Nigel Warburton</p>
<p>Optional</p>	<p>Optional Podcasts: Panpsycast</p> <p>Optional Youtube Channels: Crash Course Philosophy Philosophy Tube Closer to Truth</p>