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- *Introduction to Functional Programming using Haskell* by Richard Bird (2nd edition). ISBN: 978-0134843469
- The Pattern on the Stone: The Simple Ideas That Make Computers Work by Daniel Hillis. ISBN: 978-0465025961

WEBSITES, MAGAZINES, ETC

- Oxford's Geomlab: www.cs.ox.ac.uk/geomlab/home.html
- [CS4FN \(Computer Science for Fun\)](#) is a magazine on computer science aimed at school students
- [Computer Science Unplugged](#) - a Computer Science curriculum for pre-university students developed in New Zealand.
- Free, online lectures and courses from [Academic Earth](#). (There's a Maths section as well as the Computer Science one.)
- *Quantum Computing for High School Students* - [article from Scott Aaronson](#) at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- The columns of Brian Hayes in [American Scientist magazine](#).
- Articles by the journalist [Sara Robinson](#).
- Computational Thinking, [by Jeannette M. Wing](#).
- BBC's [Make IT Digital](#) initiative.
- [Oxford Mathematics Alphabet](#).

Some more practical activities

Don't forget: programming goes far beyond creating web pages, so don't restrict your reading and practical experimentation to this one area.

- [The Turtle system](#) is a graphics programming environment designed to provide an enjoyable introduction to programming in Java syntax, together with a practical insight into fundamental concepts of computer science such as compilation and machine code.
- The [Alice system](#) from Carnegie Mellon University provides a point-and-click environment for designing 3-D animations and is a useful introduction to object-oriented programming.
- [Elizabeth](#) is an automated conversation and natural language processing program that provides an enjoyable introduction to natural language processing, and that can give insights into some of the fundamental methods and issues of artificial intelligence within an entertaining context.
- [CodeAcademy](#) provides a fun introduction to programming.
- [Scratch](#) is a programming language and online community where you can create your own interactive stories, games, and animations.
- [Young Rewired State](#) is a series of collaborative hacking events for under 18s. It brings together young developers to build web and mobile applications that attempt to solve real world problems.
- [Project Euler](#) is a series of challenging mathematical/computer programming problems.
- The [British Informatics Olympiad](#) is a national computer programming competition for British Schools and colleges.
- The [UK Bebras Competition](#) is a problem solving competition for years 2 – 13, with a focus on computational and logical thinking, designed to get students excited about computing and computational thinking. It does not require any preparation and is completed online in schools. Registration takes place through school coordinators.
- [Khan Academy Pixar in a Box](#) is a behind-the-scenes look at how Pixar artists do their jobs. You will be able to animate bouncing balls, build a swarm of robots, and make virtual fireworks explode.
- National Cipher Challenge: www.cipher.maths.soton.ac.uk/
- Micromouse Competition: www.tic.ac.uk/micromouse/index.asp

Design

Smart Design: The Products of Lateral Thinking
 Industrial Design
 Dictionary of Design Since 1900
 Materials for Inspirational Design
 Design Museum Book of 20th Century Design
 Designing Interactions

Grinyer, C.
 Heskett, J.
 Julier, G.
 Lefteri, C.
 McDermott, C.
 Moggridge, B.

The Design of Everyday Things
Emotional Design
Pioneers of Modern Design: From William Morris to Walter Gropius
Presentation Techniques

Norman, D.A.
Norman, D.A.
Pevsener, N.
Powel, D.

Drama

Your first point of call should be www.drama.ac.uk, which contains an excellent guide on applying to drama school: the Drama UK Guide. You may also find the following helpful and of interest:

The Theatre and its Double	Artuad, A.
The Director and the Stage: From Naturalism to Grotowski	Braun, E.
On Theatre	Brecht, B.
The Empty Space	Brook, P.
The Oxford Illustrated History of Theatre	Brown, J.R.
So You Want to Go to Drama School?	Freeman, H.
The Theatre: A Concise History	Hartnoll & Brater
100 Exercises to Get You into Drama School: Improve Your Acting and Audition Skills	Howl & Rowe
Avant Garde Theatre 1892-1992	Innes, C.
Fifty Key Theatre Directors	Mitter, S.
Year of the King	Sher, A.
An Actor Prepares	Stanislavski, C.

Economics

- **Freakonomics: A Rogue Economist Explores the Hidden Side of Everything** by [Stephen J. Dubner](#) (Author), [Steven D. Levitt](#) (Author)
- **The Economic Naturalist: Why Economics Explains Almost Everything**
by [Robert H Frank](#)
- **The Undercover Economist Paperback**
by [Tim Harford](#) (Author)
 - Thinking Fast and Slow Daniel Kahneman ISBN: 1846140556
 - Poor Economics: A Radical Rethinking of the way to fight Global Poverty Abhijit Banerjee ISBN: 1586487981
 - Worldly Philosophers Robert Heilbroner ISBN: 0140290060
 - Keynes – the Return of the Master Skidelsky ISBN: 184614258X
 - Predictably Irrational: Hidden Forces That Shape Our Decisions Dan Ariely ISBN: 0007256523
 - Return of Depression Economics and the Crisis of 2008 Krugman ISBN: 184614239
 - Animal Spirits Akerlof & Shiller ISBN: 780691142333
 - The Big Short: Inside the Doomsday Machine Michael Lewis ISBN: 1846142571
 - The Ascent of Money Niall Ferguson ISBN: 014103548X
 - The Upside of Irrationality Dan Ariely ISBN: 780007354764
 - Losing Control Stephen D King ISBN: 0300154321
 - Development as Freedom Amartya Sen ISBN: 0192893300
 - The Big Questions: Tackling the Problems of Philosophy with Ideas from Mathematics, Economics and Physics Stephen Landsburg ISBN: 143914821X
 - Drunkard's Walk Leonard Mlodinow ISBN: 0713999225
 - How Markets Fail: The Logic of Economic Calamities John Cassidy ISBN: 1846143004
 - New Ideas from Dead Economists Todd Buchholz ISBN: 0452288444
 - Prophet of Innovation: Joseph Schumpeter and Creative Destruction TK McCraw ISBN: 0674025237

Useful Websites

- Institute for Economic Affairs: www.iea.org.uk/
- The Economist magazine: www.economist.com/
- National Institute of Economic and Social Research: www.niesr.ac.uk
- International Monetary Fund: www.imf.org/external/

Engineering

Try the following websites: The Engineering Council www.engc.org.uk and Year in Industry www.yini.org.uk

Made to Measure	Ball, P.
How Things Work	Bloomfield, L.A.
New Science of Strong Materials: or why you don't fall through the floor	Gordon, J.E.
Structures: or why things don't fall down	Gordon, J.E.
Mechanics of Flight	Kermode, F.
Engineering: A Beginner's Guide	McCarthy, N.
Sustainable Energy Without the Hot Air	MacKay, D.
Invention by Design	Petroski, H.
To Engineer is Human	Petroski, H.

- Sustainable Energy – Without the Hot Air
by David J.C. MacKay
Published by UIT, 2008

ISBN: 0954452933

This book is available as a free download from www.withouthotair.com/download.html

- How Do Wings Work? by Holger Babinsky
Published by Physics Education, 2003
doi: 10.1088/0031-9120/38/6/001
Not a book but a paper published in the Institute of Physics journal Physics Education that is available as a free download from the Physics Education website
- Sustainable Materials – With Both Eyes Open
by Julian Allwood and Jonathan Cullen
Published by UIT Cambridge Ltd., 2012
ISBN: 190686005X
This book is available as a free download from <http://withbotheyesopen.com/read.php>
- Engineering in Society edited by Rob Lawlor
Published by the Royal Academy of Engineering, 2013
An e-book published by the Royal Academy of Engineering that is available as a free (pdf) download from the RAEng website
- Engineering: A Beginner's Guide
by Natasha McCarthy
Published by Oneworld Publications, 2009
ISBN: 1851686622
- The New Science of Strong Materials – or Why You Don't Fall Through the Floor by J.E. Gordon
Published by Penguin, 1991
ISBN: 0140135979
- Structures – or Why Things Don't Fall Down
by J.E. Gordon
Published by DaCapo Press, 2003
ISBN: 0306812835
- Cats' Paws and Catapults: Mechanical Worlds of Nature and People by Steven Vogel
Published by W.W. Norton & Co., 2000
ISBN: 0393319903
- The Gecko's Foot: How Scientists are Taking a Leaf from Nature's Book by Peter Forbes
Published by Harper Perennial, 2006
ISBN: 0007179898
- What Engineers Know and How They Know It: Analytical Studies from Aeronautical History
by W.G. Vincenti
Published by Johns Hopkins University Press, 1993
ISBN: 0801845882
- Flying Buttresses, Entropy and O-Rings: The World of an Engineer by James L. Adams
Published by Harvard University Press, 1992
ISBN: 0674306899
- Bebop to the Boolean Boogie: An Unconventional Guide to Electronics by Clive Maxfield
Published by Newnes (Elsevier), 2009
ISBN: 1856175073
- Invention by Design – How Engineers get from Thought to Thing by Henry Petroski
Published by Harvard University Press, 1998
ISBN: 0674463684
- To Engineer is Human: The Role of Failure in Successful Design by Henry Petroski
Published by Vintage Books, 1992
ISBN: 0679734163
- Remaking the World by Henry Petroski
Published by Vintage Books, 1999
ISBN: 0375700242
- Small Things Considered: Why There is No Perfect Design
by Henry Petroski
Published by Random House, 2004
ISBN: 1400032938
- Pushing the Limits: New Adventures in Engineering
by Henry Petroski
Published by Vintage Books, 2005
ISBN: 1400032946
- Design Paradigms: Case Histories of Error and Judgment in Engineerin by Henry Petroski
Published by Cambridge University Press, 1994
ISBN: 0521466490
- Success Through Failure: The Paradox of Design
by Henry Petroski
Published by Princeton University Press, 2008
ISBN: 0691136424
- The Essential Engineer: Why Science Alone Will Not Solve Our Global Problems
by Henry Petroski
Published by Knopf Publishing Group, 2010
ISBN: 0307272451
- Why Buildings Fall Down
by Matthys Levy and Mario Salvadori
Published by W.W. Norton & Company Ltd., 1994
ISBN: 039331152X

- Why Buildings Stand Up by Mario Salvadori
Published by W.W. Norton & Company Ltd., 1991
ISBN: 0393306763
- The Science of Formula 1 Design
by David Tremayne
Published by J.H. Haynes & Co. Ltd., 2009
ISBN: 1844253406
- The Simple Science of Flight by Henk Tennekes
Published by MIT Press, 2009
ISBN: 0262513137
- Understanding Flight
by David W. Anderson and Scott Eberhart
Published by McGraw-Hill Professional, 2009
ISBN: 0071626964
- Made to Measure: New Materials for the 21st Century
by Philip Ball
Published by Princeton University Press, 1999
ISBN: 0691009759
- Why Things Break: Understanding the World by the Way It Comes Apart
by Mark E. Eberhart
Published by Three Rivers Press, 2005
ISBN: 1400048834
- Seven Wonders of the Industrial World
by Deborah Cadbury
Published by Harper Perennial, 2004
ISBN: 0007163053
- The Backroom Boys: The Secret Return of the British Boffin
by Francis Spufford
Published by Faber & Faber Ltd., 2004
ISBN: 0571214975
- The Existential Pleasures of Engineering
by Samuel C. Florman
Published by Souvenir Press Ltd., 1995
ISBN: 0285632876
- Think Like An Engineer by Guru Madhavan
Published by Oneworld Publications, 2015
ISBN: 1780746377
- How Things Work – The Physics of Everyday Life
by Louis A. Bloomfield
Published by John Wiley & Sons, 2009
ISBN: 0470223995
- Advanced Design and Technology
by Eddie Norman, Joyce Cubitt, Syd Urry and Mike Whittaker
Published by the Longman Group Ltd., 2000
ISBN: 0582328314

WEBSITES

- Online library and Engineering web forum: www.engineering.com/
- Royal Academy of Engineering: www.raeng.org.uk/
- **Institution of Civil Engineers: www.ice.org.uk/**

English

A full list of key texts for each period of literature can be obtained from NMK. The following will provide an excellent overview of literary history and critical analysis:

The Routledge History of Literature in English
Mastering English Literature
English Literature: A Student Guide

Carter & McRae
Gill, R.
Stephen, M.

The books are arranged according to genre or time period so you can become as well read as possible, especially if you are keen to study English Literature at university.

- **Gothic Fiction**
- *The Castle of Otranto* by Horace Walpole
- *The Mysteries of Udolpho* by Ann Radcliffe
- *The Monk* by Matthew Gregory
- *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley
- *Confessions of an English Opium Eater* by Thomas de Quincey
- *Dracula* by Bram Stoker
- *Northanger Abbey* by Jane Austen
- *Nightmare Abbey* by Thomas Love Peacock
- **Nineteenth Century and Victorian Novels**
- *Pride and Prejudice*, or any other Jane Austen novel
- *The Moonstone* by Wilkie Collins

- *Confessions of a Thug*, by Philip Meadows Taylor
- *The Man who would be King* by Rudyard Kipling
- *Oliver Twist, Great Expectations, Hard Times* or any other by Charles Dickens
- *Wuthering Heights*, Emily Bronte
- *Jane Eyre*, Charlotte Bronte
- *Vanity Fair*, William Thackeray
- *Jude the Obscure* or any other Thomas Hardy
- *Lady Audley's Secret*, Mary Elizabeth Braddon
- *Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde* by Robert Louis Stephenson
- *The Picture of Dorian Gray*, Oscar Wilde
- *She*, H Rider Haggard
- **American Literature**
- *Moby Dick*, by Herman Melville
- *The Last of the Mohicans*, by James Fenimore Cooper
- *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*, Mark Twain
- *The Narrative of the life of the slave Frederick Douglas*, by Frederick Douglas
- *The Scarlet Letter*, by Nathanael Hawthorne
- *The Bostonians* or any other, Henry James
- *Lord Jim*, by Joseph Conrad
- *The Turn of the Screw*, by Henry James
- *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*, by Ken Kesey
- *The Catcher in the Rye*, J D Salinger
- *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Harper Lee
- *The Handmaid's Tale*, by Margaret Atwood
- *The Catcher in the Rye*, J D Salinger
- *The Great Gatsby*, by F Scott Fitzgerald
- *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, Zora Neale Hurston
- *The Grapes of Wrath*, by John Steinbeck
- *Babbitt*, Sinclair Lewis
- **20th century Classics**
- *Lady Chatterley's Lover* or others by D H Lawrence
- *The Dubliners*, or others by James Joyce
- *Metamorphoses*, by Franz Kafka
- *Nineteen eighty four*, by George Orwell
- *Brave New World*, by Aldous Huxley
- *The Go Between*, L P Hartley
- *Lord of the Flies*, William Golding
- *Catch 22*, Joseph Heller
- *Lucky Jim*, by Kingsley Amis
- *Oranges are not the only fruit*, by Jeanette Winterson
- **Contemporary Classics**
- *Enduring Love* or any other by Ian McEwan
- *The Curious Incident of the dog in the Night*, Mark Haddon
- *The Time Traveller's Wife*, by Audrey Niffenegger
- *Cold Mountain*, by Charles Frazier
- *Angela's Ashes*, by Frank McCourt
- *Paddy Clarke Ha Ha Ha*, by Roddy Doyle
- *High Fidelity*, by Nick Hornby
- *The Beach*, Alex Garland
- *The Butcher Boy*, Patrick McCabe
- *Life of Pi*, Yann Martel
- *Man and Boy*, Tony Parsons
- *Trainspotting*, Irvine Welsh
- *White Teeth*, Zadie Smith
- *Brick Lane*, Monica Ali
- *The Wasp Factory*, Ian Banks
- *London Fields*, Martin Amis
- *Never Let Me Go*, Kazuo Ishiguro
- *The Rotter's Club*, Jonathon Coe
- *The Help*, Katheryn Stockett
- *The Kite Runner or A Thousand Splendid Suns*, Khaled Hosseini
- *A week in December*, Sebastian Faulks
- **War Literature**
- *Regeneration*, Pat Barker
- *Birdsong*, Sebastian Faulks
- *All is quiet on the Western Front*, Erich Maria Remarque
- *Scars upon my heart*, Catherine Reilly
- *Black Watch*, Gregory Burke
- *How many miles to Basra?*, Colin Teevan
- *The Winter in Madrid*, CJ Sansom
- *Catch 22*, by Joseph Heller
- **Critical study recommended by OCR**

- Montgomery/Durant/Fabb/Furniss/Mills – *Ways of Reading*, Routledge
- Malcolm Peet and David Robinson – *Leading Questions: a Course in Literary Appreciation*,
- Robert Eaglestone – *Doing English*, Routledge
- David Lodge – *The Art of Fiction*, Penguin
- **Text Specific Criticism**
- **AS coursework**
- ‘Gender, class race and fiction’ by Lizbeth Goodman
- ‘How I wrote *The Color Purple*’ by Alice Walker
- *Alice Walker’s The Color Purple and other works – A Critical Commentary* by Barbara Christian
- *A Feminist Introduction* by Renee C Hoogland
- *Writing the Subject: Reading The Color Purple* by bell hooks
- *The Color Purple: In Defence of Happy Endings* by Andrea Stuart
- *Toni Morrisons Beloved: A Readers Guide to Essential Criticism* by Carl Plasa
- *Beloved: Casebooks in Criticism* by William L Andrews
- *Bookclub-in-a-box discusses Small Island*
- **AS Exam Jane Eyre**
- *Jane Eyre: Casebooks in Criticism* by Elise B Michie
- *Jane Eyre: Readers Guide to Essential Criticism* by Sara Lodge
- *The Madwoman in the Attic* by Sandra Gilbert
- **A2 Coursework**
- **America**
- ‘Critical Theory Today’ by Lois Tyson
- ‘The Great Gatsby A Readers Guide to Essential Criticism’ by Nicholas Tredell
- ‘Critical Essays on The Great Gatsby’ by Lionel Trilling
- *An Interpretation of The Great Gatsby* by Philip Reynolds
- *American Prose and Poetry in the 20th Century* by Caroline Zilboorg
- *F Scott Fitzgerald A Biography* by Edward J Rielly
- *American Legends: The Life of F Scott Fitzgerald* by Charles Rivers
- *Student Guide to Robert Frost* by Warren Hope
- *Robert Frost: A Biography* by Graeme C
- *Robert Frost: A Life* by Jay Parini
- **Gothic**
- *The Cambridge Companion to Coleridge* by Lucy Newlan
- *The Cambridge Companion to Gothic Fiction* by Jerold E Hodge
- *The Gothic Tradition* by David Stevens
- *The Cambridge Companion to Edgar Allan Poe* by Kevin J Hayes
- *Gothic* by Fred Botting
- *A Companion to the Gothic* by David Bunter
- **A2 Exam - Shakespeare**
- *Shakespeare* by Bill Bryson
- *1599 a Year in the Life of William Shakespeare* by James Shapiro
- *A Selection of Critical Essays on King Lear*, Frank Kermode
- *A Shakespeare Reader: Sources and Criticism* by Richard Danson Brown
- *A Routledge Literary Sourcebook on King Lear*
- ***Other Suggestions:***
- A Brave New World- Aldous Huxley
- In Cold Blood- Truman Capote
- Heart of Darkness- Joseph Conrad
- The Handmaid’s Tale- Margaret Atwood
- Frankenstein- Mary Shelley
- Gulliver’s Travels- Jonathan Swift
- A Streetcar Named Desire- Tennessee Williams
- The Oxford Book of English Verse
- The Third Man- Grahame Greene
- Brideshead Revisited- Evelyn Waugh
- The Lovely Bones- Alice Sebold
- Dracula- Bram Stoker
- The Kite Runner- Khaled Hosseini
- Atonement- Ian McEwan
- 1984- George Orwell
- Letters- John Keats
- Selected Essays- George Orwell
- The Great Gatsby- F. Scott Fitzgerald
- Othello- William Shakespeare
- The Tempest- William Shakespeare
- Richard III- William Shakespeare
- Hamlet- William Shakespeare
- Macbeth- William Shakespeare
- Twelfth Night- William Shakespeare
- The Cambridge Companion to English Novelists-Variou
- The Cambridge Companion to Shakespeare-Variou
- We also recommend you read as much poetry as possible: Ted Hughes, Seamus Heaney, Carol-Ann Duffy, John Keats, Philip Larkin, John Donne, Robert Frost, Wilfred Owen etc.

- Jonathan Bate, *English Literature: A Very Short Introduction* provides an excellent overview of the subject and ways in which it is studied.
- Jonathan Culler, *Literary Theory: A Very Short Introduction* questions why and how English should be studied in a lively, engaging way.
- The London Review of Books, New York Review of Books, Times Literary Supplement, New Yorker and the books sections of the broadsheets are well worth dipping into from time to time. The Extension English seminar series will also provide a very useful outline of critical approaches and perspectives:
- Poetry Society: www.poetrysociety.org.uk/
- Literary Review: www.literaryreview.co.uk/
- Times Literary Supplement: www.the-tls.co.uk/tls/

Film Studies

Documentary Film: A Very Short Introduction
 Projections 12: Filmmakers on Film Schools No. 12
 Essential Film: A World History
 Film School Confidential: The Insider's Guide To Film Schools
 Film Production Theory
 Understanding Movies
 Cinema Studies: The Key Concepts
 Making A Winning Short
 On Film-making
 501 Movie Directors
 The Film Director Prepares
 Film Theory: An Anthology
 Film History: An Introduction
 Cinematic Storytelling: The 100 Most Powerful Film Conventions...
 A Short History of Film

Aufderheide, P.
 Boorman & Donohue
 Borden et al.
 Edgar & Kelly
 Geuens, J.P.
 Giannetti, L.
 Hayward, S.
 Levy, E.
 Mackendrick & Cronin
 Schneider, S.J.
 Schreiberman, M.A.
 Stam, R.
 Thompson & Bordwell
 Van Sijll, J.
 Winston, Dixon & Foster

French

AQA A Level Year 1 and AS French Student Book by Robert Pike (Author), Colin Povey (Author), Paul Shannon (Author)

- Atouts: AQA French student book - Bell
- Literature in French/ French literature in translation- Balzac, Camus, Satre, Zola
- French magazines, newspapers - Le Figaro, Le Monde

Geography & Geology

We do not expect that all of the books below will be read, but you cannot begin to understand the world unless you begin to find out about it. It is a journey, not a destination. A number of these books reside on the shelves in Poole. Many of these authors will have published other books more recently, which will no doubt be worth reading if you come across a title that looks interesting.

Tubes: Behind the Scenes at the Internet
 Wars, Guns & Votes: Democracy in Dangerous Places
 Guns, Germs and Steel: A Short History of Everybody
 The Earth: An Intimate History
 Trilobite!
 The Ghost Map: The Hidden Power of Urban Network

Blum, A
 Collier, P.
 Diamond, Jared
 Fortey, R.
 Fortey, R.
 Johnson, S.

What does China think?
 High Tide: News from a Warming World
 Sustainability: Without the Hot Air
 Global Casino: An Introduction to Environmental Issues
 the Rivers Run Dry
 The McDonaldization of Society
 Treasure Islands: Tax Havens and the Men Who Stole the World
 The World: A Beginner's Guide
 Atlantic: A Vast Ocean of a Million Stories
 The Map that Changed the World

Leonard, M.
 Lynas, M.
 Mackay, D. The
 Middleton, N. When
 Pearce, F.
 Ritzer, G.
 Shaxson, N.
 Therborn, G.
 Winchester, S.
 Winchester, S.

Any relevant titles from the OUP Very Short Introductions series e.g. Geopolitics; Globalisation; Climate Change; American Immigration; International Migration; Malthus; Marx; Empire; The British Empire; Keynes; Film; Nationalism; The Blues; Barthes.

- Wars, Guns and Votes: Democracy in Dangerous Places P. Collier (2009)
- The Real Global Warming Disaster C. Booker (2009)
- Geographies of Global Change: Remapping the World R. Johnson (ed) (2002)
- What Does China Think? M. Leonard (2008)
- Sustainability Without the Hot Air D. Mackay (2008)
- The Global Casino: An Introduction to Environmental Issues N. Middleton (2003)

- The Earth: An Intimate History Richard Fortey
- Trilobite! Richard Fortey
- The map that changed the world: William Smith and the birth of Modern Geology Simon Winchester
- High Tide: News from a warming world Mark Lynas
- The Weather Makers Tim Flannery
- **GLOBAL ISSUES**
- John Berger [2000]: Lilac and Flag – Bloomsbury Publishing [and the others in the trilogy]
- Tim Butcher [2008]: Blood River - Vintage
- Joseph Conrad [2007]: Heart of Darkness – Penguin
- Ma Jian [2002]: Red Dust –Vintage
- Patrick French [2011]: India. A Portrait - Allen Lane
- Ma Jian [2009]: Beijing Coma - Vintage
- Eric Schlosser [2002]: Fast Food Nation: What the All American Meal is Doing to the World - Penguin
- Duncan Hewitt [2007]: Getting Rich First – Chatto & Windus
- Jung Chiang [2004]: Wild Swans – Harper Perennial
- Tony Parsons [2008]: My Favourite Wife – Harper
- Dave Gorman [2008]: America Unchained – Ebury Press
- P D James [2010]: Children of Men – Faber & Faber
- Jonathan Watts [2010]: When a Billion Chinese Jump – Faber & Faber
- Joe Bennett [2010]: Where Underpants Come From: From Checkout to Cotton Field – Travels Through the New China Profile Books.
- Khaled Hosseini [2008]: A Thousand Splendid Suns - Bloomsbury Press
- Khaled Hosseini [2004]: The Kite Runner - Bloomsbury Press
- John Le Carre [2006]: The Constant Gardener – Sceptre
- Mark Edwards [2009]: Hard Rain – Hardrainproject
- Richard Wrangham [2010]: Catching Fire: How Cooking Made Us Human – Profile Books
- Fred Pearce [2009]: Confessions of an Eco Sinner: Travels to Where My Stuff Comes From – Eden Project Books
- Fred Pearce [2007]: When the Rivers Run Dry: What happens When Our Water Runs Out? – Eden Project Books
- Fred Pearce [2010] People Quake: Mass Migration, Ageing nations and the Coming Population Crash – Eden Project
- Mike Berners-Lee [2010]: How Bad Are Bananas? The Carbon Footprint of Everything – Profile Books
- Charles Clover [2005]: The End of the Line. How Overfishing is Changing The World and What We Eat - Ebury Press.
- Michael Braungart [2009]: Cradle to Cradle – Vintage
- Stewart Lee Allen [2003]: In the Devil's Garden: A Sinful History of Forbidden Food - Ballantine Books.
- Richard Girling [2005]: Rubbish! Dirt on Our Hands and Crisis Ahead – Eden Project Books
- Mark Kurlansky [2009]: The Last Fish Tale - Jonathan Cape
- Nicolas Stern: [2009]: A Blueprint for a Safer Planet - Bodley Head
- **PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY**
- Whitley Strieber [2004]: The Day after Tomorrow – Gollancz
- Joe Simpson [1998]: Touching the Void – Vintage
- Douglas Brinkley [2007]: The great deluge – Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans and the Mississippi Gulf Coast – Harper
- Sebastian Junger [2006]: The Perfect Storm: A True Story of Men Against the Sea - Harper
- Erich Krauss [2005]: Wave of Destruction: One Thai Village and its Battle with the Tsunami – VISION paperbacks
- Mike Davis [1998]: Ecology of Fear – Vintage
- James Lovelock [1979]: Gaia, a new look at life on Earth – OUP; [2006]: The Revenge of Gaia – Penguin
- James Lovelock [2010]: The Vanishing Face of Gaia; A final warning - Basic Books
- Al Gore [2006]: An Inconvenient Truth –Bloomsbury
- David Alexander [1993]: Natural Disasters - CRC Press
- Tim Flannery [2007]: The Weather Makers - Penguin
- Stanley Williams [2001]: Surviving Galeras - Little, Brown and Company
- Richard Girling [2008]: Sea Change: Britain's Coastal Catastrophe - Eden Project Books
- Simon Winchester [2004]: Krakatoa: The Day the World Exploded: August 27, 1883
- Simon Winchester [2006]: A Crack in the Edge of the World: The Great American Earthquake of 1906
- Mark Lynas [2008]: Six Degrees: Our Future on a Hotter Planet
- George Monbiot [2007]: Heat: How We Can Stop the Planet Burning
- Bjorn Lomborg [2003]: The Skeptical Environmentalist - CUP
- Bjorn Lomborg [2009]: Cool it: The sceptical environmentalist's guide to global warming
- Gavin Pretor Pinney [2007]: The Cloudspotter's Guide
- Craig Leland Childs [2002]: The Desert Cries
- David McCollough [1984]: The Johnstown Flood - Touchstone Books
- Brice Hiscock [2000]: The Big Storm - Aladdin Picture Books

- Ian Stewart & John Lynch [2007]: Earth – The Power of the Planet - BBC Books
- Ian Stewart [2004]: Journeys from the Centre of the Earth - Century
- Dave Eggers [2009]: Zeitoun – Penguin
- David King & Gabrielle Walker (2009): The Hot Topic: How to Tackle Global Warming..... - Bloomsbury.
- Elizabeth Kolbert [2006]: Field Notes from a Catastrophe: Man, Nature, and Climate Change - Bloomsbury
- Martin Rees [2003]: Our Final Century Will Civilisation Survive the Twenty First Century? - Arrow Books
- James Hansen [2009]: Storms of My Grandchildren: The Truth About the Coming Climate Catastrophe - Bloomsbury
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- <http://plus.maths.org/content>
an online magazine of articles, maths in the news etc aimed at sixth form
- <http://www.mathscareers.org.uk>

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Life at the Extremes

Getting into Veterinary School

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Bad Pharma: How drug companies mislead doctors and harm patients

Succeeding in your medical school interview

Medical Ethics: A Very Short Introduction

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Learning Medicine

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 - S. Nuland, *How we live* (Vintage, 1998)
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 - S. Mukherjee, *The Emperor of All Maladies: A Biography of Cancer* (Schribner, 2011)
 - A. Gawande, *The Checklist Manifesto: How to Get Things Right* (Profile Books, 2010)
 - ‘Doctors To Be’ - 8 part BBC television series (Streaming still available)
- WEBSITES**
- British Medical Association: <http://bma.org.uk/>
 - Royal Society of Medicine mailing list: www.rsm.ac.uk/medicalcareers/index.php
 - Online introduction to anatomy: https://camtools.cam.ac.uk/access/content/group/071fad89-2687-4b3f-0047-a99afea45e73/Basic%20Anatomy/fabinfo/basic_anatomy.htm
 - Radio programmes on medical ethics: www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b007xbtd
 - Wellcome Trust: www.wellcome.ac.uk/
 - Human Genome Project: <http://genome.wellcome.ac.uk/>
 - Oxford Medical School Gazette: www.omsg-online.com/
 - Institute of Biomedical Science: www.ibms.org/
 - Physiological Society: www.physoc.org/
 - British Veterinary Association: www.bva.co.uk/

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France in the New Century	Ardagh, J
Encyclopaedia of Contemporary French Culture	Hughes & Reader
Contemporary Germany: A Handbook	Lewis, D.
Encyclopaedia of Contemporary German Culture	Sandford, J.
Contemporary Spain: A Handbook	Ross, C.
Encyclopaedia of Contemporary Spanish Culture	Rogers, E.

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A Guide to Musical Analysis	Cook, N.
Music: A Very Short Introduction	Cook, N.
A History of Western Music	Grout & Palisca
Music Ho! A Study of Music in Decline	Lambert, C.
The Classical Style	Rosen, C.
The Rest is Noise	Ross, A.
Oxford History of Western Music	Taruskin, R.
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Additional	
Routledge Guidebook to Descartes and the Meditations	Hatfield, G.
Meno and Euthyphro	Plato
The Problems of Philosophy	Russell, B.

PE

- AQA A Level PE For Year 1 and AS. Authors Carl Atherton, Symond Burrows, Ross Howitt and Sue Young. ISBN-13: 9781471859564
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- Bevis, P & Murray, M. AQA AS Physical Education (2008) Nelson Thornes. Roscoe D, Davis B, Roscoe J.
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- Physical Education and the Study of Sport. Robert Davis PhD, Jan Roscoe
- Sports Psychology. Inside the athletes mind. Jonny Bell

Physics

Quantum: A Guide for the Perplexed	Al Khalili, J.
University Physics	Benson, H.
The New Cosmic Onion	Close, F.
Particle Physics: A Very Short Introduction	Close, F.
We need to talk about Kelvin	Chown, M.
Thinking Physics	Epstein, L.C. The
Character of Physical Law	Feynman, R. QED
Feynman, R.	
The Feynman Lectures Vol. I, II, III	Feynman, Leighton & Sands
The Quark and the Jaguar	Gell Mann, M.
The Elegant Universe	Greene, B.
Mr Tomkins in Paperback	Penrose & Gamow
Physics for the Inquiring Mind	Rogers, E.
Big Bang	Singh, S.
Black Holes and Time Warps	Thorn, K.
Spacetime Physics	Wheeler, J.

- Big Bang Simon Singh
- The Elegant Universe Brian Greene
- Thinking Physics Lewis Carroll Epstein
- We need to talk about Kelvin Marcus Chown

- The Cosmic Onion by Frank Close, Heinemann Educational Books, ISBN 0-435-69171-6
- Particle Physics by Christopher Bishop, John Murray (Publishers) Ltd, ISBN 0-7195-8589-9
- Chaos by James Gleick; (Paperback)
- Advanced Physics, Tom Duncan, John Murray (Publishers) Ltd, ISBN 0-7195-5199-4.
Introduction (About Physics) and chapters on Electricity (pp50 – 71) and Statics and Dynamics (pp135 – 155)
- Surely You're Joking, Mr. Feynman! Publisher: WW Norton & Co ISBN 13: 9780393316049
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- The big questions – The universe by Stuart Clark, Quercus popular science, ISBN 978 1 84916 238 8
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Politics: A Very Short Introduction
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Garner et al.
Heywood, A.
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Storey, W.
Wolff, J.

Psychology

Introductory Textbooks
Foundations of Psychology: An Introductory Text
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Basic Psychology
Psychology: The Science of Mind and Behaviour

Introduction to Psychology
Zero Degrees of Empathy: A New Theory of Human Cruelty
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Hayes, N.
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Magic of Reality: How do we know what is real?
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Psychology in Action
The Mismeasure of Man
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Talk Language
How the mind works: A General Introduction to Understanding the Mind
The Language Instinct: Is Language Innate or Linked to Culture?
Phantoms in the Brain: Human Nature and the Architecture of the Mind
Nature via Nurture: Genes, experience and what makes us human
The Man who Mistook his Wife for a Hat
The Mind's Eye: How Humans Perceive the World Around Them

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- [Memory: A Very Short Introduction ISBN-13: 978-0-19-280675-8](#)
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- Atkinson & Hilgard's Introduction to Psychology ed. Edward E. Smith (Wadsworth)
- Foundations of Psychology: an Introductory Text Nick Hayes (Thomson) *Interesting or popular background reading*
- Games People Play Eric Berne (Penguin)
- Body Language Allan Pease & Peter Cox (Sheldon)
- Talk Language Allan Pease (Pease Training)
- Your Memory: A User's Guide Alan Baddeley (Multimedia Textbooks)
- Oxford Companion to the Mind ed. Richard L. Gregory (OUP)
- The Language Instinct Stephen Pinker (Penguin)

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Sociology: Introductory Readings

Sociology: Themes and Perspectives

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Introducing Sociology: A Graphic Guide

Sociology: The Basics

A Dictionary of Sociology

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- Quirkology: The Curious Science Of Everyday Lives: Richard Wiseman
- Gang leader for a day – Sudhir Venkatesh
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- Non-stop Inertia: Ivor Southwood
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- Sociology: Themes and Perspective Michael Haralambos & Martin Holborn
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- Gang Leader for a Day- Sudhir Venkatesh
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- Criminological Theory: A Brief Introduction, J. Mitchell Miller et al
- Class, Race, Gender and Crime, Gregg Barak

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<http://www.channel4.com/programmes/4od> (Dispatches and Unreported World are both excellent)

www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer (Panorama, Question Time and News Night)

www.bbc.co.uk/radio4 (Several current affairs programmes. Listen to In Our Time, which has eminent academics discussing a lot of the topics that we study

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Websites

www.pponline.co.uk: This website contains articles on the latest ideas and techniques involved in enhancing elite performance. It ranges from exploring new approaches to training and coaching to looking at techniques used in specific sports such as cycling. Articles cover the three main disciplines of sports science: Exercise & Health Physiology, Biomechanics and Sport Psychology.

www.sportscientists.com: This website is updated daily with articles relating to the science behind the most recent success or failure in specific sporting events. All sports are discussed in detail.

Journal of Sports Sciences: This journal is produced monthly on behalf of the British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences and covers all disciplines related to sport and exercise sciences. Most issues contain at least one article on exercise physiology or training.

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- Edward Craig Philosophy: A Very Short Introduction (Oxford)
- Nigel Warburton A Little History of Philosophy (Yale UP). Very accessible.
- Thomas Nagel What Does it All Mean? (OUP). Short, readable.
- Simon Blackburn Think (OUP). Readable and engaging.
- Bertrand Russell The Problems of Philosophy (OUP). A classic, nearly 100 years old, but still readable.
- J. Ayer Language, Truth and Logic (Penguin). Another classic, this one from the 30s
 - Great Dead Philosophers (some of the more accessible texts)
- Plato Meno and Euthyphro
- Descartes Meditations
- Berkeley Three Dialogues
- Hume Enquiry Concerning Human Understanding and Dialogues on Natural Religion
- J. S. Mill Utilitarianism
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- The Gospels and Jesus Graham N. Stanton (OUP)
- The Puzzle of God Peter Vardy (Flame)