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Philosophy & Ethics Subject Guide



What subjects go well with this?

- English
- History
- Politics

- Psychology
- Religious studies
- Sociology

What degrees could it lead to?

- <u>Religious studies</u>
- <u>Theology</u>
- Islamic studies
- Human rights
- <u>Anthropology</u>
- <u>Classical Civilisation</u>
- English
- <u>History</u>
- <u>Psychology</u>
- Sociology
- <u>Politics</u>
- <u>Law</u>

- International Relations
- War and Peace Studies
- <u>Divinity</u>
- <u>Teaching</u>
- Jewish Studies
- <u>PPE Philosophy, Politics &</u>
 <u>Economics</u>
- Social Work
- Youth Work

Which skills could I develop?

- Constructing/ analysing arguments
- Presenting structured ideas
- Persuasive writing
- Creative problem solving
 - What careers could it lead to?
- Barrister
- Chaplain
- **Civil Service Fast** <u>Streamer</u>
- Further education teacher
- Higher Education **Lecturer**

- Local Government Officer
- Marketing Executive
- <u>Newspaper</u> Journalist
- Paralegal

- **Psychotherapist**
- Secondary teacher
- Solicitor •
- Social Worker •
- **Recruitment Consultant**

What else should I know?

You cannot be a lazy thinker in philosophy and your commitment to the course will be clear from the amount of reading you do. Interviews for university philosophy courses often involve discussions about what you have read, not just your set texts. The more you read in philosophy, the better you will become at forming intelligent arguments of your own.

Useful websites

Royal Institute of Philosophy British Philosophical Association <u>A Level Philosophy</u> **Philosophy Now**

https://www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with-my-degree/philosophy

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- Self-motivation
 - Team work
 - Open to new ideas