**Preparing for A Level RS**

**Here are some ideas/resources to help you prepare for you’re a Level:**

Firstly take a look at the course overview and if you get chance look to read some of the things found on the Reading list.

After that the best thing to do to help give you a head start is to keep watching the news (in particular any new found scientific discoveries (that could contrast or even compliment faith) e.g. Genetic engineering, origins of the universe, etc.

**You can also watch some of these introductory videos:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1A_CAkYt3GY>

What is Philosophy? (Crash Course philosophy videos – Give a decent idea of issues, not the best though).

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VDiyQub6vpw>

Plato (School of Life videos – Again, ok, not always explained as well as they could be).

**Also read the sheet:**

A Brief Guide to the world of Philosophy of Religion

**Finally:**

This might seem strange, but try and watch the following films (even if it is just one):

* The matrix (1999) – Don’t bother with the sequels.
* The Truman show (1998) – Sir’s favourite of the 3.
* Total recall (1990 or 2012) – Classic Arnie movie or not so good version with Colin Farrell.

**All of this, or even just some of it, will give you a really good background into some of the topics/theories/ideas we will look at over the next two years of the course.**

Thanks and enjoy.

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