

Welcome
to!

A level Philosophy

Introduce yourself to your partner

Why have you chosen Bullers Wood?

What qualifications are you also taking?

Why did you opt to take Philosophy A level?

What do you think the A level will be like?

What do you think will be the main challenges?

What will you have to do to enjoy success in it?

Create **three**
statements about
yourself...

...**two** of which
are true...

...and **one** of
which is false





Think of a memory aid that other people could use to learn your name...

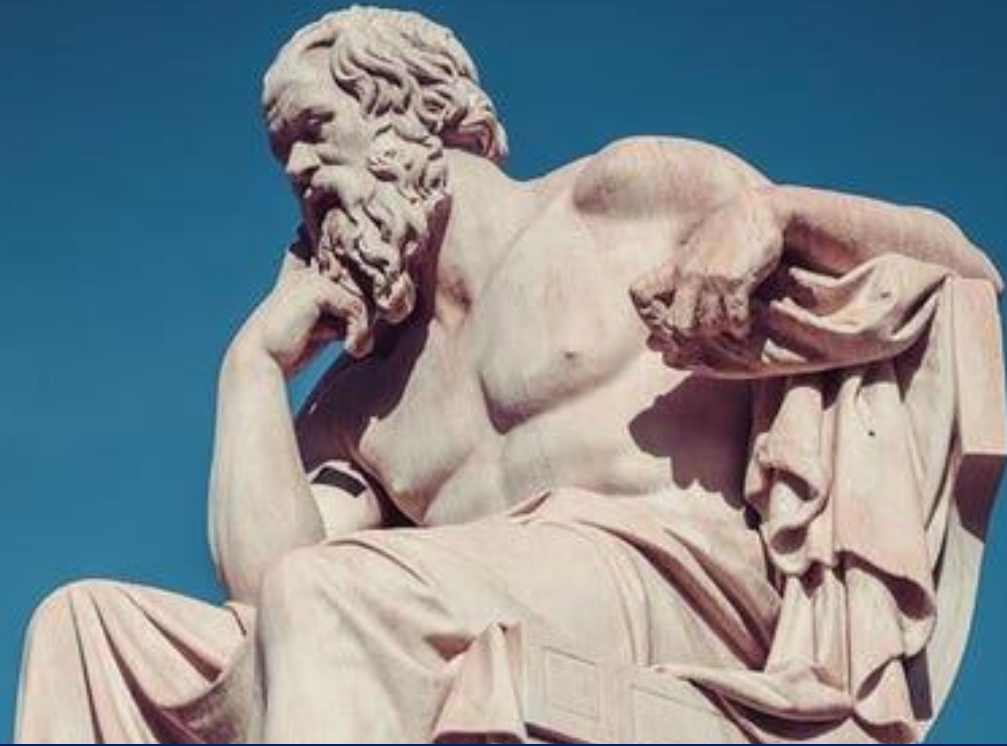
Ideally your first name and surname



Question and answer

3

Write three paragraphs to sum up your views on one or more of the issues you discussed



**What is
philosophy?**

What is philosophy?

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1A_CAkYt3GY&ab_channel=CrashCourse

**Now write a
definition of
philosophy**

Course
details

A level Philosophy



A-LEVEL PHILOSOPHY

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Specification

For teaching from September 2017 onwards

For A-level exams in 2019 onwards

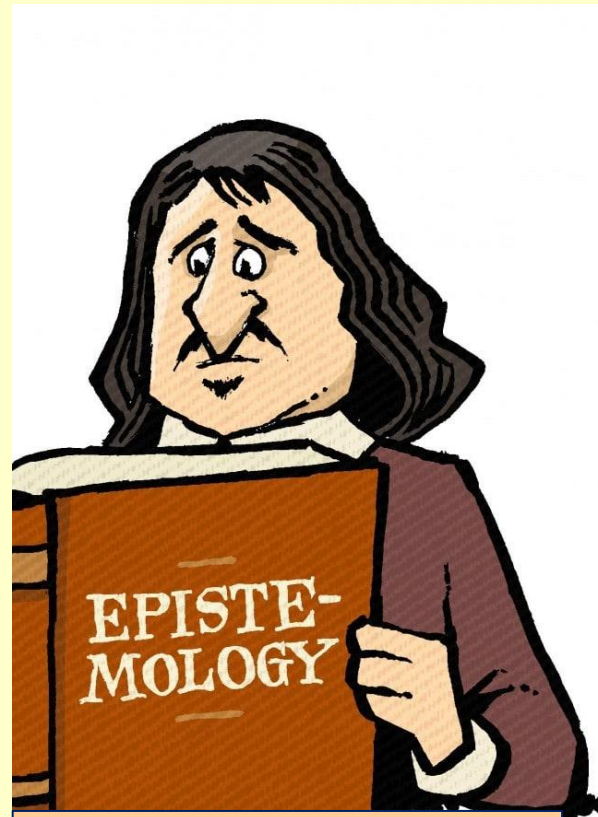
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Google...

'AQA 7172'

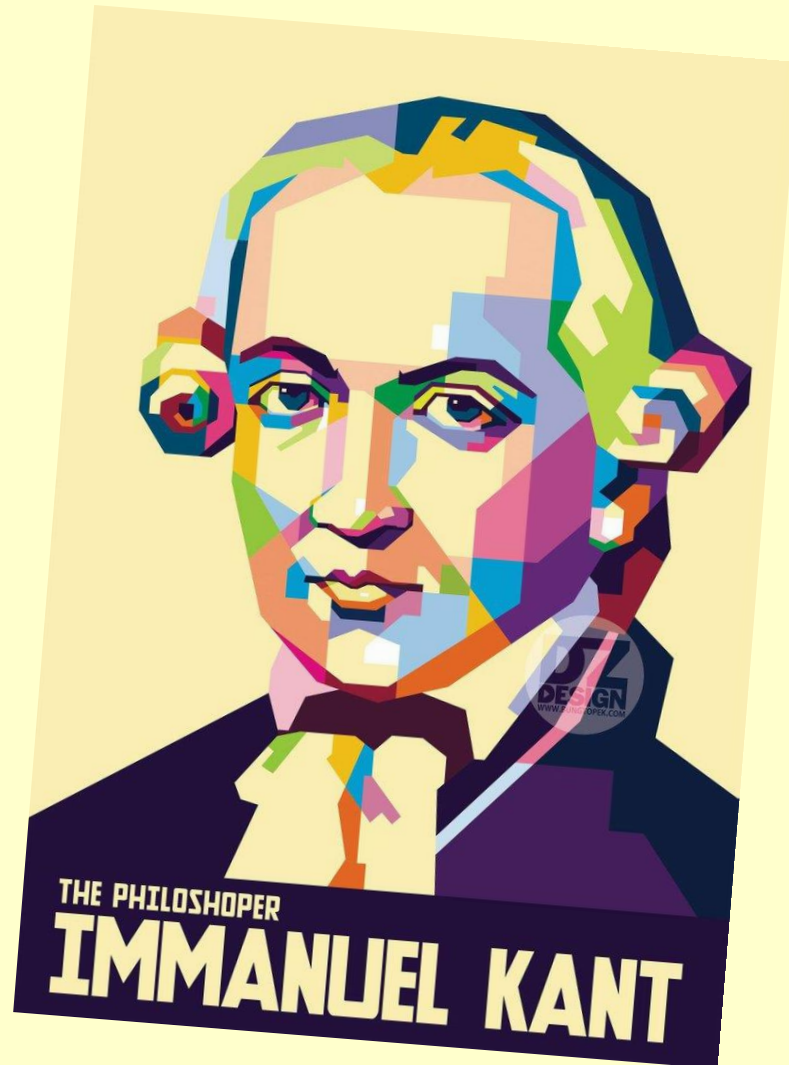
Four units

Epistemology

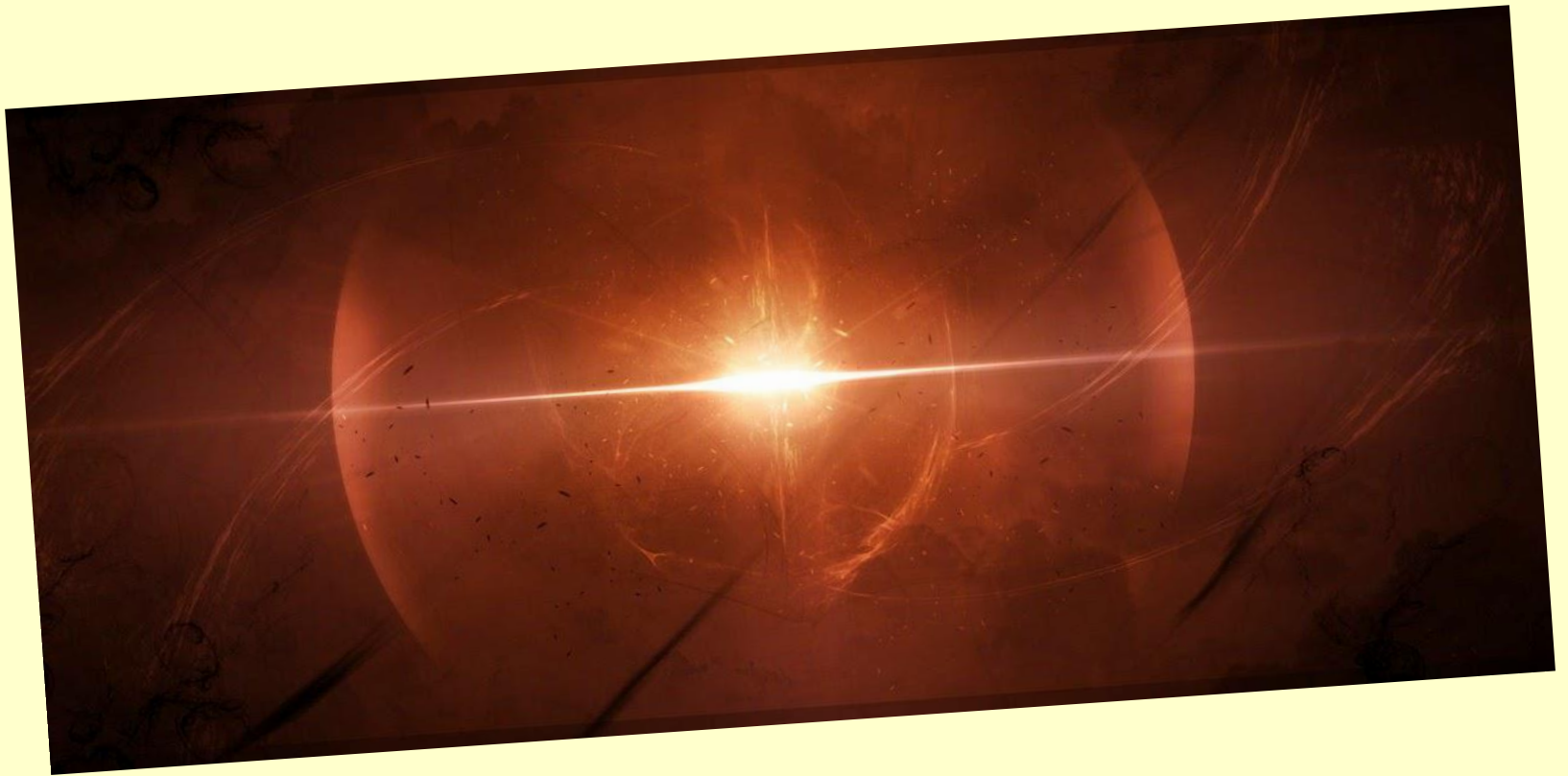


Descartes

Ethics

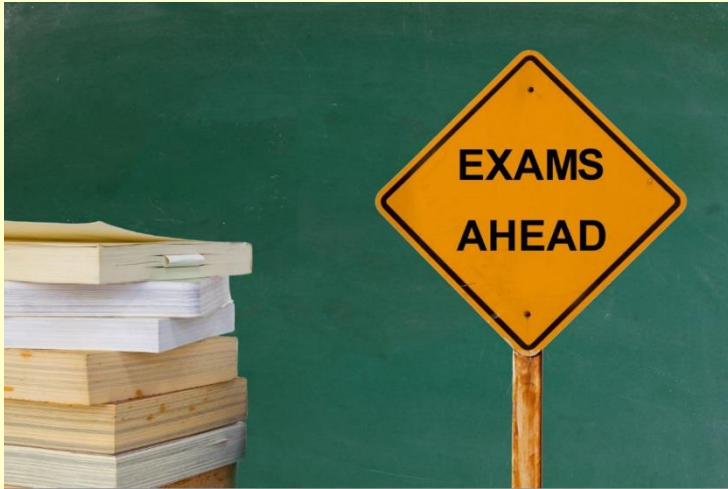


Metaphysics of God



Metaphysics of mind





Exams

- **7172/1**
Epistemology
and Ethics
- **7172/2**
Metaphysics of
God and of mind
- Each is **3 hours**
- May 2026

Quick review:

1. Who is the awarding body?
2. What is the spec. no.
3. So what do you google?
4. What are the four units? Name them
5. How many exams? How long? And when?
6. What topics is the first exam on?
7. And the second?
8. Name two philosophers we'll be looking at.

website

questioningeducation.co.uk

The mind is a fire to be ignited.



<http://questioningeducation.co.uk/pi/>

Summer work



Resourcing
yourself

Epistemology

Self-

organisation

Print (relevant bits)
of the specification

Store in a
folder at home



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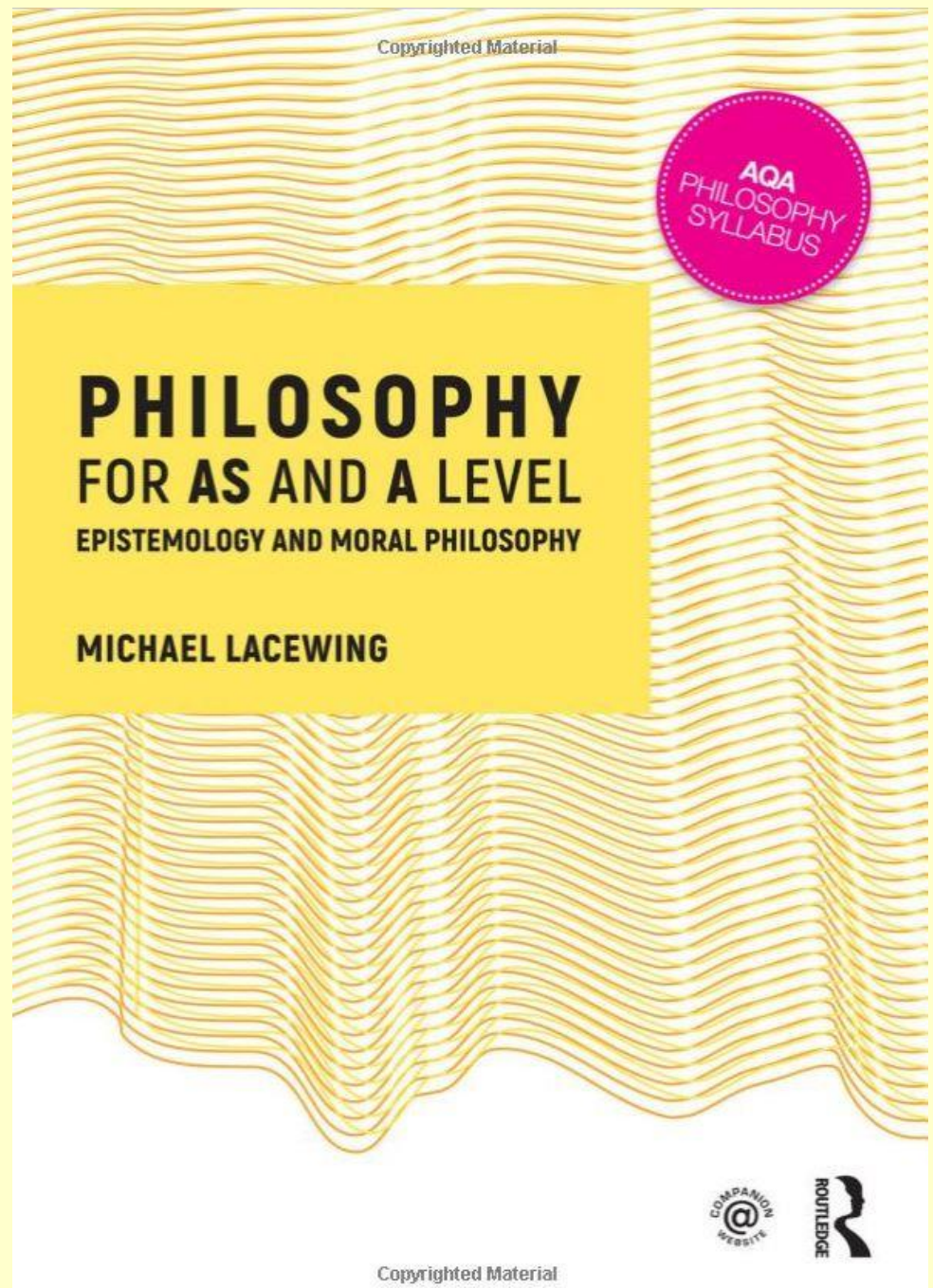
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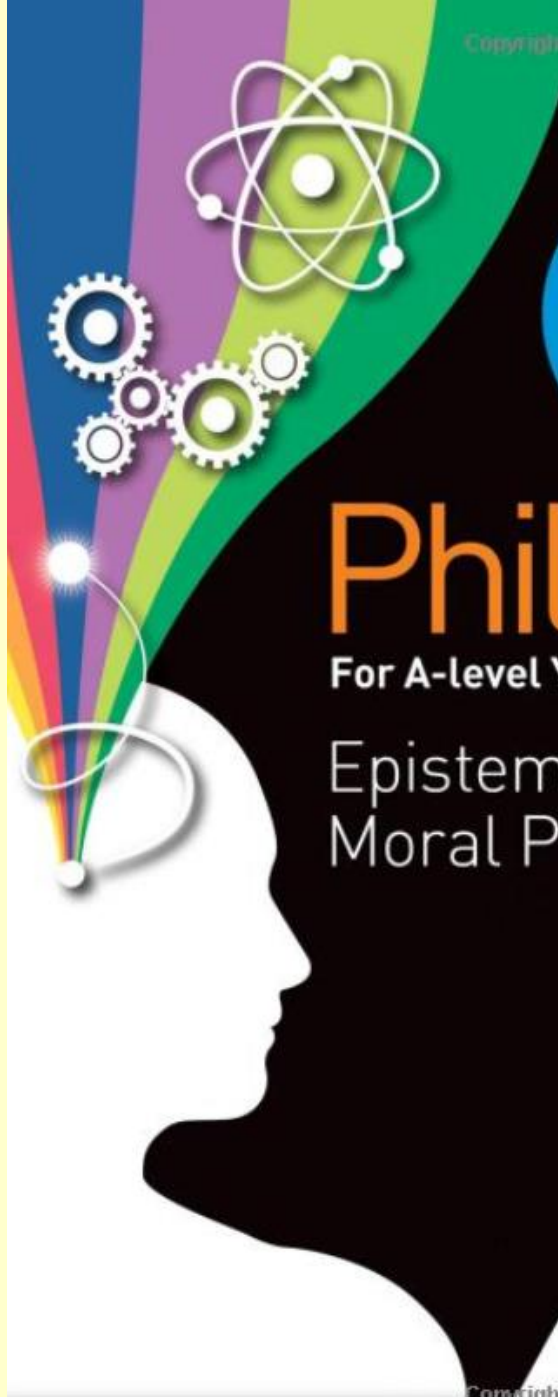
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Philosophy

For A-level Year 1 and AS

Epistemology and
Moral Philosophy

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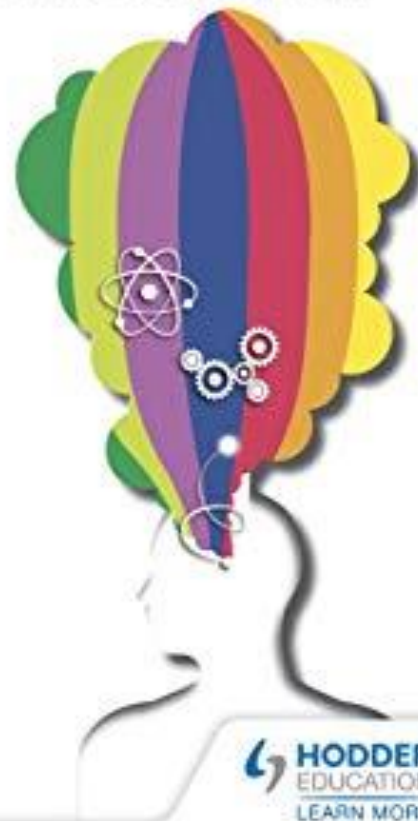
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AQA A-level

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER 1 EPISTEMOLOGY
AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY



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How to get an A in

A-LEVEL PHILOSOPHY

Deconstructing the **AQA syllabus** to achieve
maximum marks with minimum effort



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AS Level
Philosophy
REVISION GUIDE
Paper 1

AQA

Epistemology
and
Moral Philosophy

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Quick review...

1. What's the main thing you must print?
2. What must you get?

More about
the exams

(Epistemology)

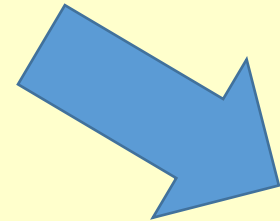
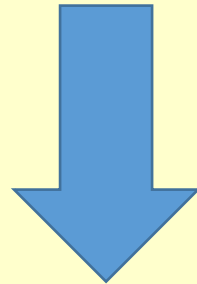
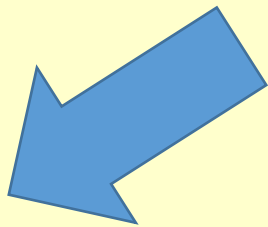
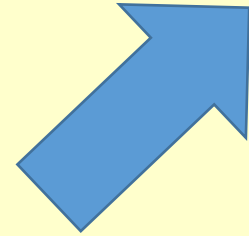
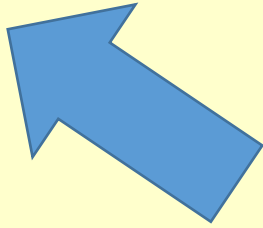
Exam questions

- Read
-  the ones you can't yet answer at all
-  the ones, if any, for which you can already write something creditable
-  the ones, if any, you know quite a bit about already

Exam questions

- Read through the exam questions
- What trigger words are used?
- What is the subject matter of the questions? Be specific
- How is the question paper configured?

The epistemology exam



The
epistemology
content

**Read through the
spec. extract**

**Highlight
philosophers' names**

**Highlight technical
concepts**

**Indicate how
the syllabus is
divided**

The epistemology syllabus

