

## **Political Philosophy**

- Minogue, K. *Politics: a Very Short Introduction*, OUP 1995: readable and very short
- Heywood, A. *Political Ideologies: an Introduction* (Palgrave Macmillan 2003); *Politics* (Macmillan 1997); *Political Theory* (Macmillan 1999); *Key Concepts in Politics* (Palgrave 2000): introductory textbooks by the Chief Examiner in A Level Government and Politics
- Wolff, J. *An Introduction to Political Philosophy*, OUP 1996: a very readable introductory book
- Raphael, D. D. *Problems of Political Philosophy*, Palgrave 1900: readable, thematic approach
- Swift, A. *Political Philosophy: a Beginner's Guide for Students and Politicians*, Polity 2001: concentrates on the themes of social justice, liberty, equality and community, and manages to condense many wide-ranging debates in clear and succinct discussions
- Lee, S. *Law and Morals: Warnock, Gillick and Beyond*, OUP 1986: a short and readable survey of the relevant debates on questions of law
- Baggini, J. *Philosophy: Key Themes*, Palgrave MacMillan 2002: written for the A level
- Thomas, G. *Introduction to Political Philosophy*, Duckworth 2000: much lengthier than Wolff, but still very clear and readable
- Miller, D. *Political Philosophy: a Very Short Introduction*, OUP 2003
- Freedman, M. *Ideology: a Very Short Introduction*, OUP 2003
- Crick, B. *Democracy: a Very Short Introduction*, OUP 2002
- Knowles, D. *Political Philosophy*, Routledge 2001

Specifically on tolerance:

McKinnon, C. *Toleration*, Routledge 2005