

## **Biology Reading List**

### **News and videos**

- Watch one episode of the news every day (BBC or C4). The news is biology at the moment.
- Download the BBC News app onto your phone. Add 'health' and 'science and environment' to the my news section. Check every other day for biology related articles.
- <http://royalsociety.org> - podcasts, news and interviews with scientists about recent scientific developments.
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zpgcbk7> - bbc bitesize. A really good resource to revise any areas of the GCSE specification that you know you found difficult. All of this knowledge and understanding will be required at A level.

### **If you are thinking of a medical career / university course / working in the NHS**

- Adam Kay – This is Going to Hurt (beware, this highlights the real issue of working in the NHS)
- Amanda Brown – The Prison Doctor

### **To extend you biological knowledge and understanding**

- Ben Goldacre – Bad Science
- Diane Fossey – Gorillas in the mist
- Richard Dawkins – The Selfish Gene
- Yuval Noah Harari – Sapiens, A Brief History of Humankind
- Oliver Sachs – The Man who Mistook his Wife for a Hat (this overlaps nicely with psychology)