SOCIOLOGY READING SUGGESTIONS



The set textbooks will be:

Title	Author
Sociology for AQA Volume 1 5 th	Ken Browne
Edition	
AQA A Level Sociology Book One	Webb, Westergaard, Trobe, Townend

Here is a list of books we suggest you might read. These are all books related to the study of society, and therefore linked to some or all units of the A Level Sociology specification.

Can you think of any books to add?

Title	Author	Unit
Discipline and punish:	Michel Foucault	Crime and Deviance
The birth of the prison		
Who Guards the	Brian Stratton	Crime and Deviance
Guards?		
The Good Immigrant	Nikesh Shukla	Beliefs in Society
		The Sociology of
		Education
I, Phoolan Devi: The	Phoolan Devi	All units
autobiography of		
India's bandit queen		
Natives: Race and Class	Akala	All units
in the ruins of Empire		
Death by Fire	Mala Sen	Beliefs in Society
Chavs: The	Owen Jones	All units
demonisation of the		
working class		
Roots	Alex Haley	All units
Shantaram	Gregory David Roberts	Beliefs in Society
		Crime and Deviance
Criminal Classes:	Angela Devlin	The Sociology of
Offenders at School		Education

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