



"My brain has never been so stretched before and I loved it. It seems intense to try and cover 'Philosophy' in 5 days, and it really is but the way it's done is interactive enough and the tutors so enthusiastic that you feel as though you are actually philosophically engaged in the process. The other people were also wonderful; I don't think I've ever got to work with such an interesting and interested group."

PHILOSOPHY SUMMER SCHOOL

6th – 10th August 2012 * Ages 15-18 * University of London Union

Our lives and our world are full of mystery. The nature of knowledge, how we perceive and understand the world around us, what is the meaning of our lives, what, if anything, happens when they are over, what are key moral values such as justice and fairness that we try to live our lives by, what is beauty in art and what is its appropriate role in society, what is the relationship between consciousness and action?

When one considers the number of such fundamental and fascinating, yet un-answered questions in our lives, one begins to understand the words uttered by Plato nearly 2500 years ago when he claimed that "Philosophy begins in wonder". The Philosophy Summer School is an opportunity for students aged 15-18 to embrace and explore their wonderment about the world and our place in it, and to tackle intriguing and crucial questions about them.

Metaphysics * Epistemology * Meta-Ethics * Moral Philosophy * Plato *
Formal Logic * Continental Philosophy * Aesthetics * Political Philosophy

For a full schedule, details of tutors and feedback from the 2011 Summer School please visit www.debatechamber.com.

Philosophy is a discipline which helps students to develop key cross-curricular skills. The clarity of thought and argument which is necessary to succeed in this subject teaches its students to develop clear, concise and logical positions, as well as the ability to put forward effective arguments and to persuade others.

The Debate Chamber Philosophy Summer School is ideal for students who are thinking about studying philosophy at university, or who simply enjoy tackling thorny problems in a logical manner and questioning their everyday assumptions.

Book a place:

The fee for the five-day Summer School is £360 per student. Please note that this course is not residential and that accommodation must be booked independently if required. Places will be allocated on a strict first-come-first-served basis.

To make a booking, please fill in the booking form on our website, www.debatechamber.com, email info@debatechamber.com, or call us on **0845 519 4827**.

