Courses PhL 10.25.06

I am not sure how many "courses" to do at once. Doing only one course at a time would probably be tedious, whereas doing 20 courses at once would be spreading things too thin. Perhaps the college model suggests that the number should be in the 3-6 range. At age 58, time is running out on some of these subjects.

So here are some candidate self-taught "courses" I am thinking about. 4

1) reviewing the entire **Campbell** 1990 book, maybe getting a more current one. This would be just to get back into the flow of things in the biology world. My first reading of Campbell was August-October of 2002, which is 4 long years ago. The 1990 book is now 16 years ago, that is a long time in the biology research world! I would be willing to just buy the current book. After this review, I would try to read some of the other bio books I have, or try to get directly into some kind of "research" such as MS.

2) review the **geology** readings I have already done, then read the Utah geology book recently acquired.

3) start into the **history of Rome** with all the APL books that are accumulated.

4) review **Sister Wendy's art** book, then continue in that book and try to get to the end.

5) start readings in **music history** from various books I have collected on that subject. Part of this would be taking a look at the subject of **opera**, about which I know nothing at all.

6) do **piano music sight-reading**, such as the rest of the Mozart sonatas, I have done 3 so far.

7) **Athletic course** requiring daily exercises of a non-violent nature and measurements. The idea here is to be your own "personal trainer" and get things going.

8) **Physics research**, ask some good questions and pursue them where they lead, no requirement to do what someone else wants you do to. This is the self-funded research idea that I have been working toward.

9) **Language** study: Spanish, French, German, Greek, Russian, Italian, pick one or more!