

January 2024

Dear Parents / Carers,

**Re: Year 9 Options Evening Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 6.00pm – 8.00pm**

We are writing to invite you to the Year 9 Options evening. The purpose of the evening is to provide some information and guidance relating to the choices about to be made by the students in Year 9.

As you will appreciate, this is a vital stage in your son or daughter's education and the choices made will determine the examinations he or she will take in the future.

The evening will involve a short presentation detailing the nature of the process and highlighting certain important factors to consider. You will receive an options booklet upon arrival at main reception.

Staff will be available in different locations around the site and you are welcome to meet with subjects before attending the main presentation according to the schedule below. The main presentation outlines the steps in the application process.

There will also be a careers event running for general careers guidance and information about further education, higher education and modern apprenticeships.

In order to assist with car parking and visitor numbers, specific form groups should arrive no earlier than the time stated below:

5.50pm: 9STR, 9KGS, 9KTK, 9MPN, 9NOL, 9CCU, 9EPR, 9TRE

6.50pm: 9MLI, 9ESH, 9GDR, 9LWR, 9ABD, 9THY, 9SET, 9BRN

Other important dates in the process:

**Subject consultations**

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February**

**Option choices deadline**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March**

We look forward to seeing you on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February.

Yours faithfully



Mrs A Moody  
Assistant Headteacher - Director of Year 9



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