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31st March 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Options Evening, Wednesday 20th April 5.30pm – 7.00pm

I am writing to invite you to the Year 9 Options Evening on Wednesday 20th April starting at 5.30pm. It is a face-to-face event, taking place at school.

There will be two identical presentations starting at 5.30pm and 6.00pm in the Hall. If you are planning on attending the first presentation, please aim to arrive prior to 5.30pm – it will start promptly. Both presentations are identical: it is taking place twice to help manage the flow of people throughout the evening). In addition to the presentation in the Hall, there will be opportunities to find out about the different subjects, which will take place in K Building. All subject and faculty leaders will be available to speak with.

This event is a very important part of the options process where your child will be selecting the subjects that they will study over the next 2 years. Mr Newman, Mr Megaw and Mr Walsh will be delivering an overview of the Year 9 Options Process and how choosing the right qualifications now can impact on your child's choices at post-16 and beyond.

The options process takes place over a number of weeks and a timeline of events is published below.

Date	Event	Details
20 th April 2022	Year 9 Options Evening	Starting promptly at 5.30pm in the Hall with follow up subject presentations in our new school building. There is choice of 2 presentations with the first presentation starting at 5.30pm and the second starting at 6.00pm. Our families are welcome at either presentation.
27 th April 2022	Year 9 Parents' evening	This is a virtual parents evening taking place using our online system. This is an ideal opportunity to discuss with staff suitable choices for Key Stage 4. Further details on booking appointments will be provided in due course.
6 th May 2022	Year 9 option choice deadline	All students will need to have confirmed their option choices using our online system by Friday 6 th May.
May 9 th - 27 th	Option choices are reviewed	Various meetings with students and senior staff will take place in school to confirm their option choices for Key Stage 4.
June	Option choices confirmed	Option choices will be confirmed with students prior to the end of Year 9.

We have a wide range of GCSE and Vocational Technical Qualifications on offer to meet the needs of our students and we look forward to meeting you and your child on Wednesday 20th April.

Yours faithfully



Mr B Walsh
Assistant Principal



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