



THE MOUNTBATTEN SCHOOL

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1 February 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 8 Mini-Options Evening – Thursday 22 February 2024

We would like to invite you and your child to attend our Mini-Option Evening on Thursday 22 February in the Olympic Hall from 6pm – 7pm. Parking on-site can sometimes be difficult in the evenings, so please allow plenty of time.

Students have now reached a key point in Year 8 at The Mountbatten School. The Mini-Options process is all about asking them to start selecting the subjects they have more interest in pursuing at GCSE. As part of the process, we want to support students by giving them advice and guidance on options which we feel will support their needs.

Students will receive information regarding Mini-Options during their assembly on Tuesday 20 February. The Mini-Options Booklet and subject information videos will be available on the school website from Wednesday 21 February, so if you have any questions, please feel free to ask them at the Mini-Options Evening.

The deadline for students to complete their Mini-Option choices is 3.30pm on Wednesday 20 March. We would ask that you sit down with your child and look through the subjects available and relevant videos. Once the online form has been filled in it is essential that, as parent/carers, you tick the approval box at the bottom. *Please note, students can only select one DT (design and technology) subject.*

Year 8 Parents Evening – Thursday 14 March 2024

This will take place on **Thursday 14 March 2024** and information regarding the evening will be sent home shortly. This will be an opportunity to meet your child's teachers to discuss their progress and seek advice, which may support them with their option choices.

We look forward to welcoming you and your child to the Options Evening. Please do not hesitate to contact us if we can be of any further assistance.

Yours sincerely

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