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03 January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 9 Options Evening – Thursday 12 January 2023, 6.00pm

We would like to invite you and your child to attend our Options Evening on Thursday 12 January from 6:00pm until 7:00pm. Year 9 options is the process through which students choose the subjects they wish to study in Year 10 and Year 11. The evening will take place in the school hall. It will include a short presentation on the options process, guidance on how to support your child as they move from Lower to Upper School and a chance to talk to option subject teachers about their courses.

Students will receive information regarding options in an assembly on Friday 6 January. Our Options Booklet, detailing the process, will be provided by email. Subject staff have prepared videos to help answer questions you might have on all subjects, which will be available on the school website before the event.

The deadline for students to complete their Option choices is **Monday 2 February 2023**. 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.**

Year 9 Online Parents Evening

This will take place on **Thursday 26 January 2023**. 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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