



YEAR 9 OPTIONS



Please silence your mobile phones.
Thank you!

WELCOME

Speakers:

- Mrs Kirsty Cleworth, Assistant Headteacher
- Mr Dan Grainger, Head of Year 9

After the presentations:

Opportunity to meet with teachers to discuss options subjects



PURPOSE OF THIS EVENING



Explain KS4 options
and why they are
important



To explain the
options process
and deadlines



To introduce the
core compulsory
curriculum



To provide you
with an opportunity
to raise any queries

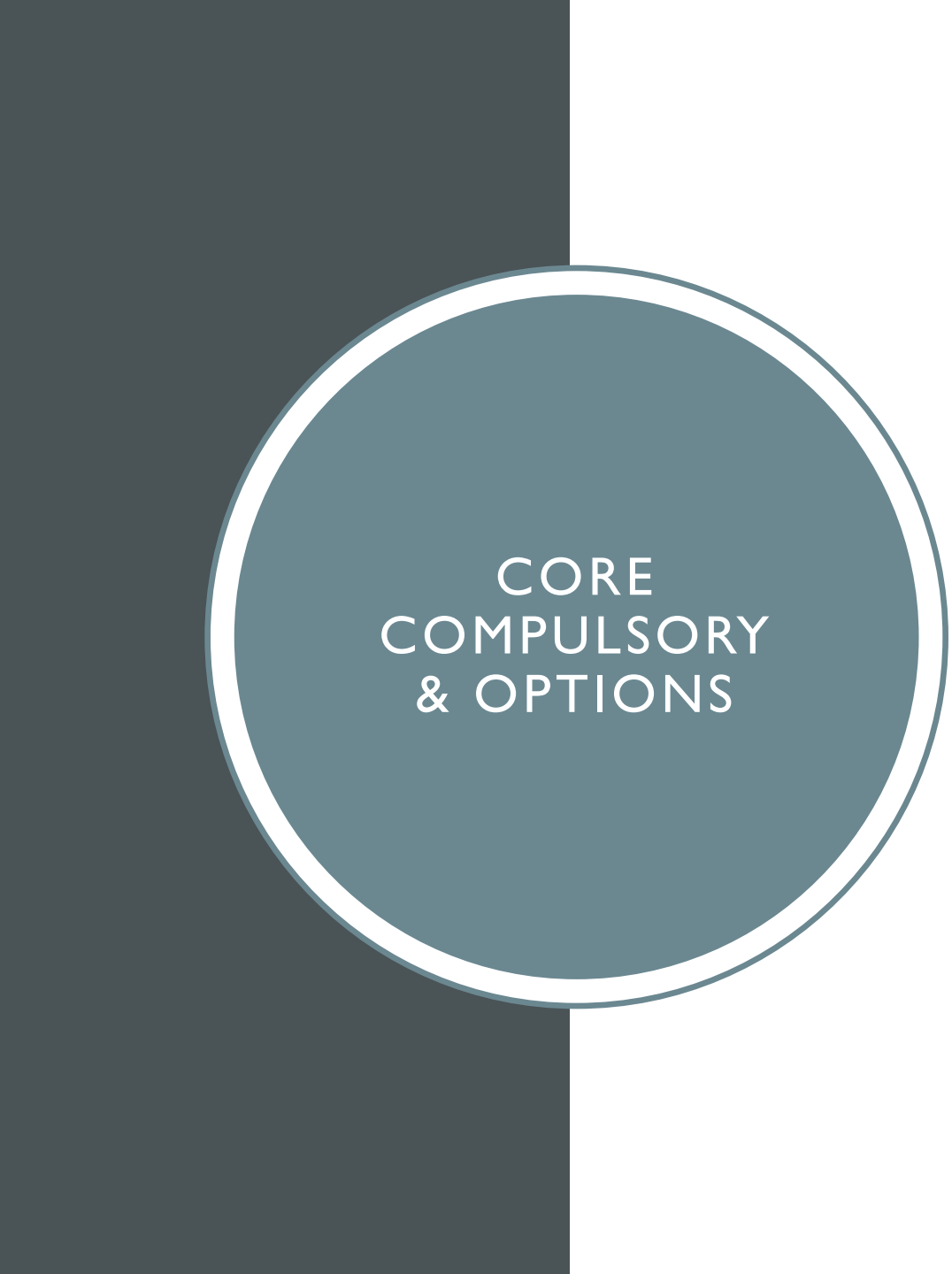
WHY ARE OPTIONS IMPORTANT?

Selecting the right courses now is crucial for:

1. Shaping students' experience over the next two years
2. Maximizing their potential for outstanding qualifications
3. Students studying the right subjects for them
4. Opening doors to future education, careers, and earning potential

Our goal is to support every student in achieving their ambitions for their future career, job, and life.





CORE
COMPULSORY
& OPTIONS

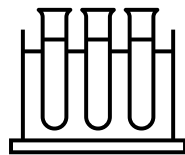
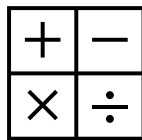
- All Students will follow a compulsory Core course
- All Students will choose 4 options, plus 2 reserve choices, from a list of available subjects
- Student subject allocations will be confirmed in the Summer term

CORE COMPULSORY SUBJECTS

Qualifications

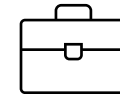
- English Language & English Literature
- Maths
- Combined Science

Up to 5 GCSEs for most students



Not Leading to Qualifications

- Careers
- RSE
- Citizenship
- Religious Studies
- PE



OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

GCSE

- Geography
- History
- RE
- French
- German
- Film Studies
- Art

- Textiles
- Drama
- Food Preparation
- Design Technology
- Business

VOCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- Music
- Dance
- Health & Social Care
- ICT
- Sports

HOW TO CHOOSE THE RIGHT SUBJECTS

- What are your interests, strengths and career aspirations?
- A balanced curriculum
- Don't chose because of friends or teachers



- What am I interested in?
- What is the work like?
- What A-levels do I need or want to study for my future career?
- Do I want to go onto university? What courses would I be interested in studying?
- Which courses suit how I learn?
- What would I enjoy?



Do choose...



- * Subjects you like
- * Subjects you have done well in and gained good marks
- * Subjects you feel would help you to be successful in whatever you choose to do after the end of Year 11

Don't choose...



- * Subjects that your friends are choosing (they may not be in your class)
- * Subjects that your favourite teacher teaches (you may not be in their class)
- * Subjects that you think other people would like you to take



6PM FRIDAY 13TH
FEBRUARY

Options Choice Submission Deadline

A link to a MS Forms survey will be sent after this evening. One submission per student only. Ensure that you are happy with the choices and reserve choices before submitting.



GCSE Options Form

Only pick one 1st choice, one 2nd choice, one 3rd choice etc.


If you do not complete the form correctly you are more likely to miss out on your preferred options.

[Start now](#)

GCSE Options Form

Hi, Liam. When you submit this form, the owner will see your name and email address.

* Required

Select one 1st choice subject, one 2nd choice subject, one 3rd choice subject etc until you have picked your 6 choices - select all other subjects as "not a choice" * 


	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice	5th Choice	6th Choice	Not a choice
Art and Design	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Art and Design: Textiles	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Business Studies	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Design Technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drama	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
English	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

Incorrect
You cannot pick more than one subject as your 1st choice.

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Incorrect

Some subjects have been left blank.

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Drama	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Film Studies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Food Preparation and Nutrition	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
French	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Geography	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
German	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Health and Social Care	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
History	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
ICT	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Music	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Religious Studies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Sports Studies	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Correct

One subject has been selected in each of the “choices” columns.

All other subjects have been placed in the “not a choice” column.



WHAT NOW?



Visit

- Take the opportunity to visit subject stalls this evening to find out more about subjects

Speak

- Speak to teachers and read materials displayed, including FAQ

Read

- Use the QR code to access the options booklet if this has been mislaid

Discuss

- Discuss your choices at home and choose your 4 preferred subjects and 2 reserve

Submit

- Submit your choices by the deadline – **13th February**

Home languages



Languages on offer are:

Arabic

Bengali

Chinese (Mandarin)

Greek

Gujarati

Italian

Japanese

Panjabi

Persian

Polish

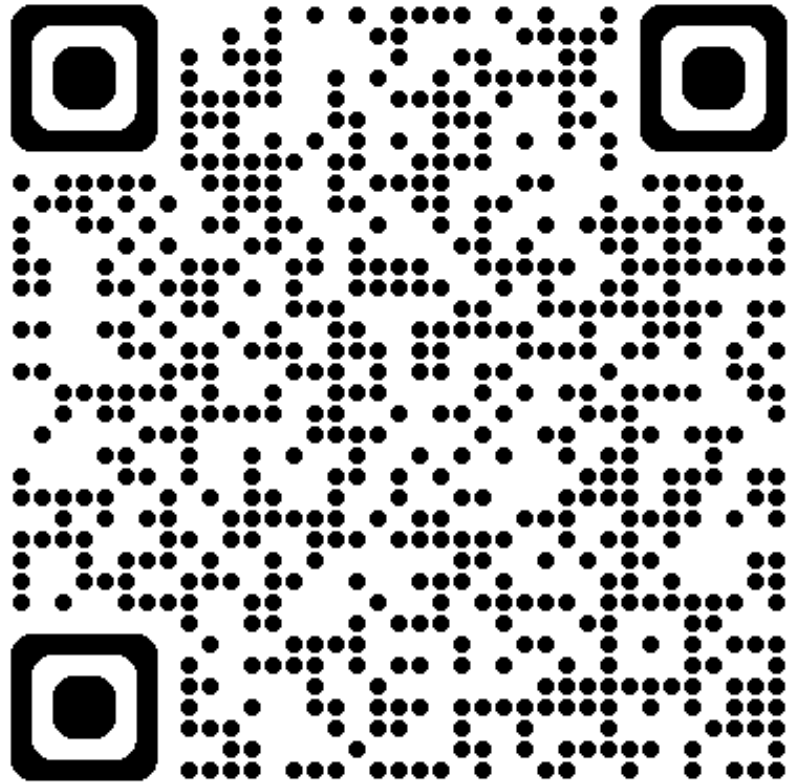
Portuguese

Russian

Spanish

Turkish

Urdu



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SUBJECT LOCATIONS



Refectory

Business
French
German
Health & Social
care
ICT
Sport Studies

Drama studio

Art
Dance
Drama
Music
Textiles

Assembly Hall

Brian Ennis

Stark

Design
Food
English
Film Studies
Maths
Science

Library

Geography
History
Religious Studies
SEND

Reception