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Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Year 9 Options Evening - Thursday 18th January 2024 - 4:30pm to 5:15pm (E band)

I am writing to invite you to the Year 9 Options Evening on Thursday 18th January. This is a crucial step in the options process where your child will be selecting the subjects they will study for the next two years.

The event will start at **4:30pm** in the main hall. Mr Wilson (Options Process Lead) and myself will deliver a presentation with an overview of the Year 9 Options process and how choosing the right options pathway will impact on your child's choices at Post 16 and beyond. Following the presentation, you will have the opportunity to:

- Speak with the different subject teams to find out more about each subject course.
- Meet with our Careers Team to help you and your child to plan for success.
- Meet with experienced school leaders who can provide advice to support your child's choices.

It is our intention to help all students make well judged, informed choices about the optional subjects they choose. During the evening, students will be presented with an options document containing a link to our interactive options website. This platform will provide essential information about each of the courses that your child can choose to study at the start of Year 10. We encourage students to take time at home to go through the information and options carefully before selecting their options. We will share more information regarding the options forms and how your child will make their options next week.

Please could I also take the opportunity to remind you of the Year 9 Parent/Carer evening taking place on Thursday 25th January 4-7pm. This event is planned during the options window to provide the opportunity to discuss your child's current progress in each of their subjects and consider this before making option choices. Further information regarding this evening will follow at the start of next week.

The staff team and I look forward to meeting you and your child next Thursday evening.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please contact me at the academy.

Yours faithfully



Dan Greenwood
Vice Principal