

YEAR 9 OPTIONS EVENING

3 MARCH 2022

MAKING GOOD CHOICES

- “May your choices reflect your hopes, not your fears.” Nelson Mandela
- There are 16 separate subjects to choose from; students choose THREE
- Students will study NINE GCSEs or equivalent qualifications (there is an option to complete a GCSE in photography or music as an extra-curricular activity)
- Things to think about.....

Core Subjects

English Literature

English Language

Mathematics

Science (dual award / 2 GCSEs)

Religious Education

MAKING GOOD CHOICES

- DON'T
- Choose an option because your friends are choosing it
- Choose an option because you think it's easy – all GCSEs and BTEC qualifications are challenging
- Choose an option because you like the teacher – you might not get that teacher!
- Choose an option because an older sibling did it and you've got all the revision guides

MAKING GOOD CHOICES

- DO
- Talk to your teachers about your option choices
- Talk to your parents or other family members about your option choices
- Read the information about each option subject on the school website
- Find out what the exam requirements are for each options – some subjects have coursework others don't
- Be honest with yourself about which subjects you like, which you don't and why

Option A

Spanish
Art
Computing
Engineering
Travel and Tourism
Health and Social Care
Music

Option B

History
Geography
ASDAN (invitation only)

Option C

Art
Catering
Drama
Engineering
Graphics
Health and Social Care
History
ICT
Music
PE
Triple Science (invitation only)
Travel and Tourism