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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Options Launch: Online Event - Wednesday 19 January 5:30pm - 6:30pm

We would like to invite you to our Year 9 Options Online Launch Event on **Wednesday 19 January** from 5:30pm until 6:30pm. This will be an online live event delivered through Microsoft Teams.

The purpose of this evening is to outline the process for selecting option subject choices, to present the range and type of subjects we are offering and describe the support we provide for you and your child. You will be able to access this event at the above time by following this link - Year 9 Options Launch: Online Event – Wednesday 19 January 5:30pm – 6:30pm

During the event we will outline the following:

The Options Process (5:30pm – 6:10pm)

A presentation will be delivered by senior and pastoral staff. It will describe the curriculum choices at Key Stage 4, how to make an application for option subjects and outline the guidance available to students.

Live Q and A (6:10pm - 6:30pm)

Throughout the event participants will be able to type questions. The final 20 minutes of the evening will be used to answer some of the most frequently asked questions. We will respond to others with written replies during the event.

This is an important evening and we encourage all parents/carers to attend with their child. If prior commitments prevent this then the event will be recorded and a copy provided to view at your convenience.

This year is focused on preparing students for Key Stage 4; ensuring that they are choosing subjects that will create a range of opportunities in the future. We look forward to talking to you and your child from 5:30 pm until 6:30pm on **Wednesday 19 January.**

Yours sincerely

Mr J Fernandes Deputy Headteacher

