

5th February 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

Further to my letter last week regarding options, is it encouraging to see that many of you have taken the opportunity to book appointments to speak with subject leaders regarding option choices. Unfortunately, due to the nature of the virtual system appointment slots are limited on the evening.

To this end, could I remind you that appointments should be kept solely for the purpose of discussing potential option choices in a particular subject. Appointments should only be needed if the information required is not available from the options book or options presentation (released on Monday), or from the formal Year 9 parents evening on the 24th February. All other 'non-options' queries should be sought to be explored in the usual way.

For those parents who struggle to book an appointment slot and still require information, please email the subject leader for further information.

I have again shared the timeline for you below. The options link to complete choices will be sent via email to the students by the end of next week.

Monday 8th February Year 9 virtual options presentation via TEAMs inc virtual

options book (both on website)

Thursday 11th February Pathways Appointments with Subject leaders (if needed)

Friday 12th February Year 9 annual reports to parents

w/b Monday 22nd February Student interviews (for those students who need one)

Wednesday 24th February Year 9 virtual Parents evening

Thursday 4th March Latest date for option returns

Yours sincerely

Mr R Hall

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