



January 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Options Information Evening: Thursday 26 January 2023

Over the next few weeks your child will be making their subject choices for their GCSEs which begin in September 2023.

I am writing to invite you to our Year 9 Options Information Evening on Thursday 26 January. This evening will include a presentation about the Key Stage 4 (KS4) curriculum and how the options process works as well as the opportunity to find out more about the subjects on offer so informed GCSE choices can be made.

The evening is scheduled as follows, and is split to allow us to accommodate the whole year group:

5.30 pm	Presentation in the Theatre: The KS4 Curriculum and the Option Process for those in Cotswold and Mendip
6.00pm	'Subject Showcase' for Cotswold and Mendip in the Main Canteen
6.30pm	Presentation in the Theatre: The KS4 Curriculum and the Option Process for those in Sedgemoor and Quantock
7.00pm	'Subject Showcase' for Sedgemoor and Quantock in the Main Canteen

The 'subject showcase' section of the evening is an opportunity to find out more about the content and topics taught in each options subject at KS4. Staff and students will be available to speak to but please note they will not be able to comment on your child's individual progress – this will take place at Year 9 Parents' Evening in March.

We would like both parents and Year 9 students to attend this evening to aid with discussions at home but we do request that the smallest number from each household attends to help manage group sizes.

A reminder that the entrance to the school is via Station Road and Meadow Close. Please do not try and access the school site via the Leisure Centre car park.

We look forward to seeing you at the information evening.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Mason
Deputy Headteacher