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Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: Year 9 Options Evening - Thursday 17th January 2019

You and your daughter are invited to attend the Year 9 Options Evening on Thursday 17th January 2019. The evening will give you an opportunity to learn more about the options process and the courses that are on offer. The school will be open from 6:30pm until 8:30pm and there will be a presentation in the Main Hall at 6:30pm.

After the presentation you are invited to visit the different subject areas where there will be examples of resources, and class work for you to look at. Staff in the options subjects will also be available to provide further information about specific courses.

Before your daughter completes her option choices, she will have an opportunity to discuss them with either her Head of Year, Miss Shephard, or a member of the Senior Leadership Team. After her meeting she will come home with a completed option form. Final choices will then need to be submitted online using the SIMS Parent app by Tuesday 5th March. I will send you further guidance on how to do this later in the month.

The Year 9 Parents' Evening will be held on Thursday 14th February 2019 from 4:15 pm – 6:45pm, for which you will have individual appointments with subject teachers to discuss your daughter's progress. You will receive a letter about this in due course.

Unfortunately, there is no parking on the school site. The police have asked us to advise parents not to park in Holt Lane or St Paul's Church Hall car park but to use Jubilee Avenue where there is more space.

We look forward to seeing you on Thursday 17th January; please let me know whether you can attend by clicking on the link provided below by **Monday 14th January**:

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Yr9OptionsEveJan2019

Yours sincerely

Mr B Adams

Assistant Headteacher