

21<sup>st</sup> February 2019

## **Year 9 Options Evening**

Dear Pupils and Parents

We are looking forward to seeing you at our Year 9 Options Evening on **Tuesday 5 March 2019**. This is a very important part of the options process and we aim to provide valuable advice and guidance to help your son/daughter make suitable choices for GCSE. In order to ensure that you have all of the information that you need to make these choices, the format of the evening will be as follows:

### **6:00pm – 6:30pm**

This event will start in the Main Hall at 6pm where I will outline the options process and provide some guidance and support in making appropriate choices. The mechanism for making your choices will also be explained, along with any relevant dates and deadlines.

### **6:30pm – 8:00pm**

This will be an opportunity for you to meet teachers of subjects that you are considering, as well as some older pupils who are currently doing the subjects. You will have an opportunity to ask questions and discuss any concerns during this time.

The GCSE prospectus will be available on the school website before the Options Evening and this will give more information about each of the subjects that we offer, as well as some general advice on the options process.

I look forward to working with you and the pupils to ensure that everyone is happy and settled as we move into the GCSE programme in September 2019.

**Yours sincerely**

**Mr P. Lewis**  
**Deputy Headteacher**