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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Options choices for Year 9 Students

We are today sending information to our Year 9 students regarding the initial stage of their Options process.

Students are required to choose their preferred Humanities subject, Geography or History, that they will continue to study to GCSE.

In addition, students can let us know that they wish to study both Geography and History and drop one of their Creative Options. They can also say whether they would wish to drop one of their creative options and follow a Sport qualification instead. These latter changes will all be subject to enough students wishing to study a particular subject.

This initial information from the students will allow us, as we did in Year 8, to finalise the subject model for Years 10 and 11. Based on this model we will then ask students to confirm their **final** choices. This second stage will happen in March.

Year 10 & 11 Curriculum Subjects:

English, Maths, Science, French, Core PE, PSHE, Be Inspired, EBACC Option (Geography or History), Option 1 (continued), Option 2 (continued)

Students wishing to study Geography and History for GCSE will, depending on numbers, be able to change Option 1/2 to their second humanities subject. This also applies to Sport where students will, dependent on sufficient numbers, be able to change one of their options to Sport.

Teachers and tutors will be available via email to discuss any queries you or your child may have and to offer support in this process.

Yours faithfully



Mrs Crawley
Head of School