

The Warriner School

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Dear Parent, Guardian or Carer

Key Stage 4 Options Process 2022

Next term is a busy and exciting one for our Year 9 students, as they make their option choices for next year. Our calendar is designed to ensure that students and their families have as much information and advice as they need in order to make informed and positive decisions about their future pathways. Our key events/dates in the process are:

Wednesday 16th February: Student Assembly

Students will attend a special 'Options' assembly during the school day to explain the process and will be signposted to the online options booklet that contains details of the courses on offer and the relevant forms for completion.

Thursday 17th February: Information Evening

Students and their families are invited to a virtual information evening. This will begin with a presentation after which each department and senior colleagues will be available to provide information on specific courses and answer any questions you may have. Full details with links to the virtual sessions will be provided nearer the time.

Wednesday 16th March 5.00-7.00pm: Careers Fair

Our Careers team, plus a range of exhibitors from different education and employment fields, will be on hand in the School Hall to discuss opportunities.

Wednesday 23rd March 3.30-7.30pm: Virtual Subject Consultation Evening

The annual Subject Consultation Evening to discuss student progress is deliberately timed to coincide with the options process. In addition to this being a traditional 'parents evening' it will also provide you with the opportunity to talk to individual subject teachers about the courses on offer and their suitability for your child. A separate letter will be sent out nearer the time, detailing online booking arrangements.

Tuesday 5th April: Options Deadline

All students must ensure they have submitted their online options form by this date.

We look forward to seeing you online at the Information Evening on Thursday 17th February.

Yours sincerely

Miss Lotty Keys
Assistant Headteacher

Miss Amy Maggs
Head of Year 9

"It's great how you make the children feel so central to the process, and in charge of their own destinies. Quite a few of our friends have older children at different schools, and I was braced for a much more stressful, angst-ridden process."

Year 9 parent



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