



# Great Wyrley Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers

We are writing to inform you about the upcoming **Key Stage 4 Options Process**, which has begun this week. This is a crucial step in your child's educational journey as they choose the subjects they will study for the next two years.

## Understanding the Options:

To ensure your child makes informed choices, we have organised several opportunities for them to learn about the various options available:

- **Subject Assemblies:** During the week, each subject leader will conduct an assembly specifically for students considering their options. These assemblies will provide detailed information about the content, assessment, and future pathways associated with each subject.
- **Parents' Evening:** On **Thursday 29 February**, we will host a **Parents' Evening** from 4:30pm to 7:00pm. This is an excellent opportunity for you to meet subject teachers and discuss any questions you may have regarding specific subjects and your child's suitability. Appointments for this can be made until midnight on Wednesday 28 February.

## Additional Resources:

We understand that making informed decisions requires comprehensive information. Therefore, we have prepared **subject-specific presentations** outlining key details about each option. These presentations are available online on the school website underneath the heading 'Year 9 Options'.

## [Subject Videos](#)

## Importance of Key Stage 4 Options:

The choices your child makes during this process will significantly impact their academic experience and future career opportunities. We encourage you and your child to actively participate in the upcoming events and discussions with your child to ensure they select subjects that align with their interests, strengths, and aspirations.

We understand that navigating the options process can be overwhelming. To assist you further, we have provided a comprehensive guide on **completing the options form** through the following link:

<https://www.greatwyrleyacademy.org.uk/assets/downloads/Options-2024/Completing-the-Options-Form-720p30.webm>

This guide walks you through each step, ensuring a smooth and efficient experience for you and your child.

We encourage you to explore the resources provided and actively engage with your child throughout this important decision-making phase. Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mrs Drury.

We will be sugaring the options form on Friday 1st March to be completed by Friday 15th March.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Studholme', written in a cursive style.

Mr J Studholme  
Deputy Headteacher



