



6th December 2022

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Dear Parents/Guardians of Year 9 Students

Year 9 Parents Options Evening 5.12.22 - Information from Meeting

Thank you for your time last night and we hope you found the session informative and useful. If you were unable to attend or would like to check specific information, please see the attached presentation slides.

As mentioned in the session, there are a number of steps that now need to take place to enable your child to select options that they will enjoy and succeed at. This information can be found on slide 18 and is shown in the table below:

When	What	Parent/Guardian to do list
Dec 22	Online Options Brochure	Go through this with your child.
Dec 22	Options Website	Watch the subject videos together. Encourage them to go and talk to subject teachers to ask more questions.
Jan 23	Options Assemblies	Ask them what they thought of the assemblies and the information they learnt about each subject.
18th Jan 23	Initial Options Choices	Before the 18th help your child pick a provisional list of options using all the information they have gathered so far
9th Feb 23	Parent Consultation Meetings	Last minute information gathering and questions before final options submission.
9th to 15th Feb 23	Final Options Choices	Help your child complete their final option choices. Not a first come first served, but deadline is the 15th Feb 23



24th April 23	Deadline for changes	Before this date email any requests for changes, with reasons, to Miss Page. It may not be possible to make the requested change.
1st 3 weeks in Sept 23	Consider Option Changes	If there is a valid reason Miss Page & Mr Anwar will consider changing a subject. As long as the impact on the student and their other opinions is not excessive. Requests must be made via email, outlining the reasons. Meetings and further discussion may be required.

Thank you for your support. If you have any specific questions, please contact us via office@arden.solihull.sch.uk

Yours sincerely



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