



The curriculum

The vast, accumulated wealth of human knowledge, and what we choose to pass on to the next generation through teaching in our schools, must be at the heart of education.



Designing a curriculum

National Guidance

Local Employers

Balance

Needs of the individual

Enjoyment



Year 10 and 11 GCSE and Vocational Courses

- English Language
- English Literature
- Mathematics
- Double Science
- Personal Development
- PE

- Geography
- History
- French
- German
- Spanish
- Separate Science
- Computer Science
- ICT Creative iMedia
- Design and Technology
- Food Preparation & Nutrition
- Health & Social Care
- Religious Studies
- Sport Studies
- Business
- Fine Art
- Dance
- Drama
- Music

Up to

4

choices



What do you currently study in Year 8?

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- History
- Geography
- Spanish
- German

- Art
- Technology
- Music
- Drama
- Computing
- BPE
- PE



What will you study in Year 9?

COMPULSORY SUBJECTS

This is a fixed set of subjects which all pupils study

OPTION CHOICES

Up to three further choices selected from a larger range of subjects



Year 9 Compulsory Subjects

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Geography
- History

- Spanish
- DT / Food
- Music
- BPE
- PE



Year 9 Optional Subjects

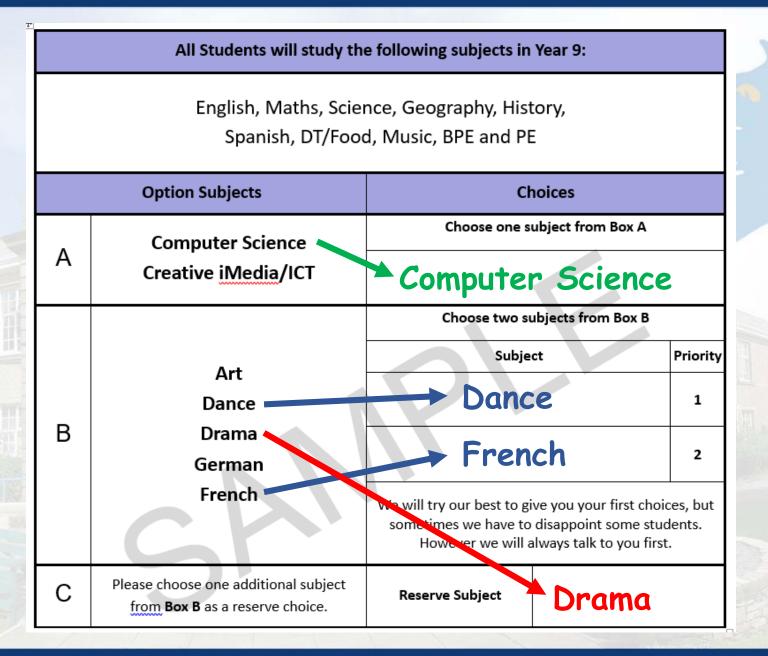
Computer Science or Creative iMedia/ICT

Art
Dance
Drama
French
German

2x



Example Year 8 Options Form





Online Options Form

Year 8 Options Form 2024

All Students will study the following subjects in Year 9:

English, Maths, Science, Geography, History, Spanish, DT/Food, Music, BPE and PE

This form will only accept one set of choices so please consider carefully before submitting your choices.

Hi, Andy. When you submit this form, the owner will see your name and email address.

- * Required
- 1. Computing * 🛄

Please choose one of the two computing subjects below.

- Computer Science
- Creative iMedia/ICT

Can only be completed once

Deadline Friday 23rd February



Making Choices

- The first time you have a choice.
- Think carefully.
- Difficult to make a serious error about the future.
- But it may determine what you can do in Y10/11.
- Keeping doors open!



How do I decide?

You need to consider these questions:

- What am I good at?
- What do I enjoy?
- What do I need?

You need to talk to:

- Parents
- Form teacher
- Subject teachers



What happens now?

- Options Assembly on Friday 2nd February
- Options Study Guide sent to parents and online Options Form sent by email to pupils
- Parents Evening on Thursday 8th February
- Online Options Form completed by Friday 23rd February



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Year 8 Choices 2024