

Our ref: GBA/AG/Yr 9/Option Evening 2011

26 January 2012

Dear Parents/Guardians

**YEAR 9 UPPER SCHOOL OPTIONS EVENING - THURSDAY 9 FEBRUARY**

We are holding our annual Year 9 Upper School Options Evening in school on the evening of Thursday 9 February. This is the opportunity for you to visit each curriculum area and find out more about the upper school courses on offer this year.

The evening has been split in two parts: a talk in the school hall and time to visit all curriculum areas. It is vital that your son/daughter attends this evening with you as they need to be fully aware of the commitments they are making when they select their courses.

**Tutor groups: C, S, N, HD**

6.00-6.45pm Talk in the main hall, 6.45pm Visits to curriculum areas.

**Tutor groups: W, V, SK, H**

6.00-6.50pm Visits to curriculum areas 7.00pm - talk in the main hall.

More details about the option process will be made available on the evening of 9 February. Your son/daughter will also receive an upper schools courses booklet on Monday 30 January. It would be helpful if you and your child could look at this before the Options Evening and bring it along on the night. A copy of this will be available on the school website.

On this evening there will also be career advisors available in the Learning Resource Centre. There is no need to make an appointment but please feel free to talk to them if you would like any additional information about career options.

If your son/daughter is interested in doing any sort of vocational courses then you need to discuss this with Miss Knight before the Options Evening. Please ring the school to make an appropriate appointment.

This is a really important evening and I look forward to seeing you all on 9 February.

Yours faithfully

Mrs G K Badesha  
Assistant Headteacher

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**REPLY SLIP** (Please return to your tutor by Wednesday 1 February 2012)

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STUDENT NAME ..... TUTOR GROUP .....

I have received the letter regarding Options Evening on 9 February 2012 and will be attending.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE .....