

## Year 8 Options 2021

This year you are going to make the following decisions about the courses of study you will follow next year:

- Your Humanity preference
- Your Language preference
- Your Year 10 Exam Option preference
- Your Enrichment preference

### Humanities

You will need to indicate your preference of History, Geography or both.

### Languages

You will need to indicate your preference to take French or German or Chinese. You may also consider a combination of French and German or French and Chinese or German and Chinese. You will **not** be able to study French or German in Year 9 if you have not studied this subject in Year 8.

### End of Year 10 Exam option

You will indicate 3 preferences and 1 of these will be allocated. These will be taken from the following courses:

#### GCSE

- Drama
- Film Studies
- Statistics
- Computer Science
- Product Design
- Religious Studies

#### Vocational

- Hospitality & Catering
- Child Development
- Engineering Design
- Sport Studies
- Construction & the Built Environment
- ICT—Creative i-Media
- Music Technology

#### **Dates and deadlines:**

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March:** Year 8 Parents' Evening

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April:** Year 8 Options information sessions P1

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May:** Deadline for completed Options preference form.

### Curriculum Enrichment

You will indicate 5 preferences and be allocated 3 to study for one more year and may then decide to study one of these in years 10 and 11. If you are indicating a preference to study two Languages or both Humanities, these must be one of your selections:

- The second Language and /or the second Humanity
- Art
- Drama
- Music
- PE
- Computer Science/ICT
- DT Product Design or Food or Textiles