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Dear Parent/Carer

Reminder: Year 9 Parent and Options Evening – Monday 12 February

The academy is introducing **Schoolcloud** which is an **online appointment booking system**. This allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers. For the Year 9 Parents and Options Evening on Monday 12 February, please book appointments with your child's subject teacher in English, maths and science using Schoolcloud.

Appointments can be booked on Schoolcloud from **Monday 5 February and will close on Monday 12 February 2024 at midday**. Appointments are available between 4:00pm and 6:45pm. Please visit <https://shirebrookacademy.schoolcloud.co.uk/> to book your appointments. A short guide on how to book appointments is attached and is also on the Academy's website. Please contact the academy if you are unable to book an appointment via Schoolcloud.

Please ensure that you **do not** book an appointment during your child's presentation time (indicated below).

Options Presentation

You will also have the opportunity to hear a presentation about the options process/policy as well as being able to speak to subject teachers regarding options courses and view exemplar work and subject content. The presentation will be held in the Theatre at the times indicated below specific to the tutor group of your child:

4:30pm – 9DLO & 9GHA

5:00pm – 9HCA & 9LHE

5:30pm – 9RGR & 9TDU

Options booklets will be issued to students during week commencing **5th February**.

Your child will receive information for the most appropriate pathway they are guided towards to provide the best opportunity for their future during an assembly on **Monday 12th February**. The deadline for completion of option forms online using **Google Forms** will be **Friday 1st March 2024**.



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All our students are required to follow GCSE courses in English, mathematics and science and they will have the opportunity to choose from a wide range of GCSE and vocational courses. It is important to remember, that if too few students choose a subject then this subject may not run, also if too many students choose a subject, some students may have to make alternative choices.

If you have any questions regarding the options process or your child's individual options, please do not hesitate to contact enquiries@shirebrookacademy.org with an email title of 'Options'. Alternatively, you can contact us directly via email:

dsmith@shirebrookacademy.org – Mr D Smith - Assistant Vice Principal (Options)

wfooster@shirebrookacademy.org – Mr W Foster – Pastoral Leading Lead Year 9

Kind regards

Mr D Smith
Assistant Vice Principal (Options)



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