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Dear Parent/Carer

KS4 Options Update

I write to thank you for submitting your child's KS4 options form and to let you know of the next steps in the process. We are now in the process of designing next year's timetable. Our goal is to maximize the number of students who can study their top two preferred Academic Choice subjects, alongside their Academic Breadth subject. We are constrained in this by practicalities, such as the size of classrooms and availability of specialist teachers. When a subject is over-subscribed, we refer to students' third and fourth Academic Choice subjects. Whilst we are working on this process, it is not possible to make amendments to your child's options preferences.

I will write to you again in June with information about the options subjects that your child has been allocated for Years 10 and 11. At this stage, there will be an opportunity to request changes in advance of your child beginning their subjects in September. This would, however, only be possible if there was a space available in the requested subject.

Your Feedback

We are keen to ensure that the information that we provide to parents/carers and students is useful in making informed choices. To help us evaluate this and improve for future years, I would be grateful if you could complete this brief online survey (if you haven't already). It should take about 5 minutes. <https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/BB4G0L/>.

With kind regards



Miss McMinn
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