

Upper 4 GCSE options evening



Monday evening saw many of our Upper 4 pupils and their parents brave Storm Debi to hear about the GCSE options process and important decisions that our pupils would be making over the coming weeks. The guidance issued on the evening gave parents and pupils key information about the Fifth Form curriculum to help inform decision making.

Pupils were advised to choose subjects which:

They will enjoy; this means researching content closely and asking teachers and others who know them well for advice.

They can succeed in.

Reflect individual interests and personal qualities!

Are assessed in the best way for them.

After a presentation in the PAC, pupils and their parents moved to the library where subject leaders and our careers advisor, Mrs Sharrock were available to offer detailed information about their subjects and advice around careers.

The event marked the starting point for the process and over the coming weeks, pupils will be supported to explore future careers and learn more about themselves in terms of interests, qualities, and skills.

In January the pupils will experience GCSE taster lessons and have a final opportunity to consult with teaching staff ahead of the options deadline on 6th February. Overall, a busy and exciting milestone for our Upper 4!

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