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Dear Parent/Guardian

## **GCSE Options: Year 9 Ready**

As we approach the end of Year 8 it is important that students begin their preparations for the start of their GCSE studies. To support students with this, all year 8 students will be given introductory sessions for their chosen GCSE option subjects. These sessions will allow students to develop an understanding of the demands of the GCSE course and how best to be successful in the subject.

## GCSE Options Introductory Sessions: 3-4 July 2023

Students will have a 1-hour session for each of their 4 options subjects. A bespoke timetable will be issued to students for these days. During these sessions, students will complete some work in preparation for the course. These sessions provide students a final opportunity to consider whether they have made the correct choices for themselves – should your son/daughter wish to discuss a change they must do so directly with Mrs Gibbs as a matter of urgency.

Yours sincerely

Ms D Williams Assistant Headteacher

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