Wednesday 3 January 2024

Dear Parents/Carer,

I am writing to you to invite you to attend a Parent Teacher Consultation Evening which will include the Year 8 Options process. The evening will take place on **Wednesday 17 January between 3:00pm-6:00pm.**

We recognise just how important it is for you and your child to make informed choices about the options process and to ensure that you have a good understanding of how your child is progressing academically.

To ensure that you are as well informed as possible there will be several elements to the process.

In person at the PTC
- A presentation from Mrs Deane, Assistant Principal for Raising Standards, and Mrs Stobart, Director of Maths, will take place at 3:30pm and will be repeated at 5:15pm. This presentation will talk you through the Options process and what to expect.

- Subject stalls with Subject Leaders and Teachers of all Options Subjects to discuss your child's current progress and the details of the courses.

A booklet:
- We will give the students a paper copy of the Options Booklet; this paper copy will have all course details. An electronic copy will be available online and will be emailed to you with a link to the option form for your child's pathway.

Using the School Cloud platform:
- You will be able to book appointments between 3:00pm-6:00m with your child's current core teachers (English, Maths and Science).

Mrs Betteridge our SENDCo will also be available at the PTC to talk through any specific queries regarding SEND.

Mr Roberts Wray our Careers Advisor will also be available on the evening for drop in appointments.

The appointment booking system will be available from **3pm on Wednesday 10 January** via the link below. The only requirements for booking appointments are the use of your email address and your child's name and date of birth.
https://bourne.schoolcloud.co.uk/

We look forward to welcoming you into the Academy, to support your child through this process.

Yours sincerely

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