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Dear Parents/Carers

Options Evening Thursday 6th February 2025

It's been wonderful to see Year 9 students enjoy a three year KS3 (Year 7, 8 and 9) and experience a wide range of subjects and enrichment activities. At Ormiston Victory Academy we are passionate about providing the highest standards of vocational, technical and academic courses at KS4 (Year 10 and 11). We are proud to offer 27 option subjects which are tailored to careers in the local area and across wider reaching sectors.

The options process itself began in November 2024 with option subject assemblies. Following this, students completed an initial preference survey. The purpose of this survey was to identify trends in uptake and design the option blocks. Students are however, not held to their initial preference choices and it will only be the subjects selected on the final options form that will be considered.

All students will receive their Options Booklet on the week beginning the 20th January 2025. Please make sure that this is kept safe so that it can be used during the options process and the Options Evening. The booklet can also be found electronically on our website under 'Curriculum' and 'Year 9 Options'. Within the booklet you will find detailed course information for each subject as well as key dates for the options process. Please take time to sit down with your child to explore the subjects they are interested in following.

Due to the size of the Year Group and parking capacity at the academy, the Options Evening will take place in two sessions. This will be as follows:

Session 1: 4.00pm - 5:30 pm (Talk in the Main Hall 4 - 4.30pm followed by time with subjects)

Session 2: 5.45pm - 7.15pm (Talk in the Main Hall 5.45 - 6.15pm followed by time with subjects)

Subject display boards will be available to view in the atrium and canteen area.

It is essential that you sign up for the session that you would like to attend and indicate how many people will be attending. If reading this letter on paper you can scan the QR code or if using electronically, click on the Google Form link below.

<https://forms.gle/pVuqpVdCzcGPAVbQA>



Please complete by Friday 24th January 2025

There is also an opportunity on the form to ask any questions that you may have ahead of the event.

The official options form is available at the back of the Options Booklet. Following the Options Evening, this will also be available as an electronic Form. **The deadline to select and submit your option subjects is 12th February 2025.**

We really look forward to seeing you at the academy on Thursday 6th February 2025.

Yours sincerely,



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Mr K Palmer
Head of Year 9