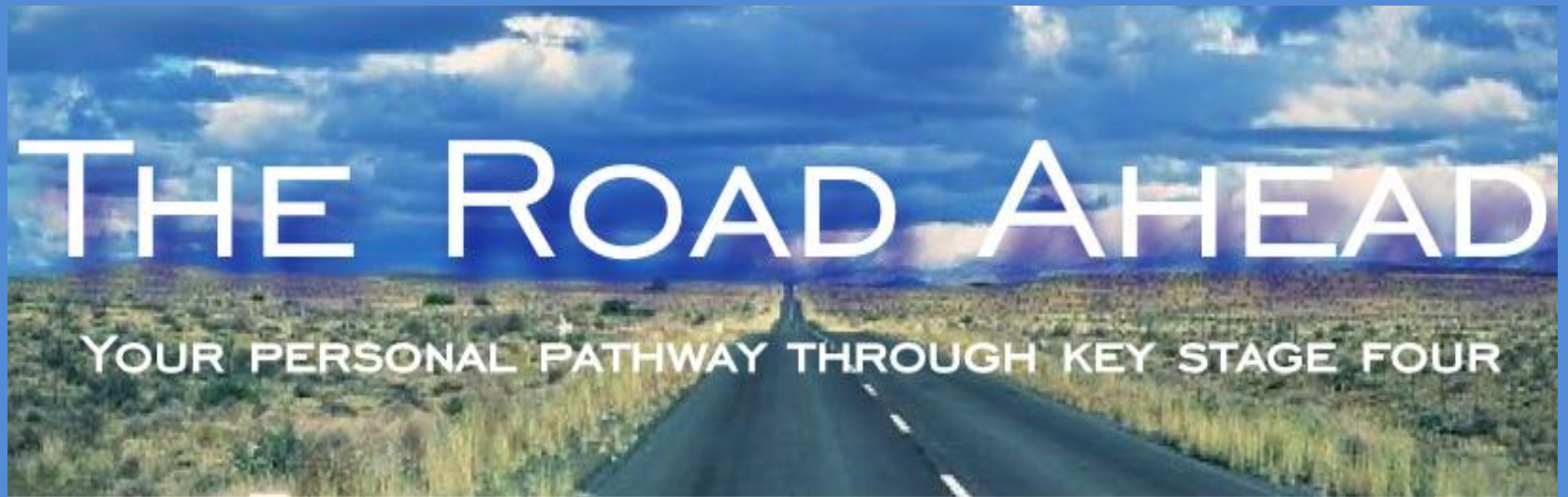


Options



Key Dates

Monday 18 th January:	Student Options Virtual Presentation Released
25 th February:	Videos available for Virtual Options Information Evening
Friday 5 th March:	First day that an Options form can be handed in
Friday 19 th March:	Deadline for handing in Options form
Between 18 th January and 19 th March:	Individual student appointment with tutor, head of year or selected member of staff

The Key Stage 4 Curriculum

English

Mathematics

Science

Ethics

Core PE

+

4 Option subjects

Option subjects on offer:

GCSEs

- Art
- Business Studies
- Computer Science
- Design and Technology
- Drama
- Food Preparation and Nutrition
- French
- Geography
- German
- History
- Music
- Physical Education
- Spanish
- Separate Science

Technical Awards

- ICT/Multimedia - (Level 2)
- Travel and Tourism (Level 2)
- Prince's Trust (Level 2 PDE)
- Materials Technology (School Based Award)

You must choose either
History or Geography.
(you can choose both)

We recommend choosing a
language (French, German
or Spanish).

How to choose

THINK:

- Subjects you are **good at**
- Subjects you **enjoy**
- Subjects that will help you with your preferred **future job/education**
- Subjects that **keep doors open**
- Listen to **advice**



Don't make mistakes:

- Don't choose because your friends are
- Don't choose because of a teacher (the teacher might change)
- Don't be pressured into something you don't want to do - *It's **your** choice*
- All the courses require hard work



To help you:

- Mrs Godfrey, Mr Nonweiler, Mr Bamford
- Your Tutor
- Your options appointment
- Older Students
- Family and Friends
- Subject Teachers
- The options booklet

The options form

Rank at least 5 subjects (1 is the subject you want to do the most)

e.g.

GCSE Subjects	Humanities - Please select at least one:	
	Geography	4
	History	
	Languages - We recommend selecting one:	
	French	
	German	2
	Spanish	
	Other GCSE Subjects:	
	Art	
	Business Studies	6
	Computer Science	
	Drama	
	Food Preparation and Nutrition	
	Music	1
	Physical Education	
	Resistant Materials	5
	Third Science	
Technical Awards:		
Technical Subjects	Travel and Tourism	
	ICT / Multimedia	3
	Prince's Trust	
	Materials Technology	

Will I get my choices?

- **We guarantee your 1st choice**
- You might not get the others

In 2019:

- Roughly 95 out of 120 got their first 4 choices
- About 20 got their first 5 choices
- About 5 had to choose again as their choices did not fit

If you hand in your form late, or change your mind after handing in the form, you are much less likely to get your preferred choices

Can I change my mind?

- If you submit your form late, or ask to change it, you are less likely to get your choices as classes may be full or certain lessons may become incompatible.
- If we are able to make a change for you, we will.
- If you start year 10 and find you hate a subject we might allow changes up to the end of September but there can be no changes after that.

Questions?

Email:

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Subject Leads

Various emails - use a langtree school email account to look up the teacher or check the school website

**Please fill in the pre-option
appointment form**

(link sent to year 9 students in the email
with this presentation)