



January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

RE: YEAR 8 OPTIONS PROCESS 2023

I am writing to inform you about the Year 8 Options Process, and how this will take shape this year. Students get a comprehensive support programme that will enable them, with your help and guidance as well, to select the right GCSE courses.

The time line of activities is as follows:-

- This letter outlining the Options Process
- L4L lessons from 16th Jan detailing the process and giving guidance to students – Y8 Options Booklet handed out (will also be on the College Website, Student, Y8 Options)
- Option subject areas will provide additional information within lessons in the Spring Term to help support choice making
- Y8 Remote Parents Evening **Thursday 2nd February** – opportunity to ask questions
- Y8 Options Evening **Thursday 9th March** – promotion and information about each option subject available (Option forms available on the evening)
- Deadline for completion of Y8 Options Forms is **Friday 24th of March**

Thank you for your continued support, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mr Dowey, Careers Lead tdowey@minsthorpe.cc if you require any additional information.

Yours sincerely,

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Assistant Principal

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