

Alcester Academy

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Dear Y8 Parents/Carers

Options' Evening – tonight 6.00pm LIVE in school

We are looking forward to seeing you in person for tonight's Options' Evening. This is a really exciting time for the students.

I was planning to address all parents and students at 6.00pm this evening in the hall to start the evening off. Usually, this means that the hall is extremely full and will therefore be quite warm. I am very aware of the weather forecast today however and the extreme heat predicted. As such, if you would prefer to, and for your comfort, I have recorded the presentation in advance. You can find the link here <https://clickv.ie/w/Guv1>

It may suit you to watch this together, as a family before you attend the evening, or afterwards instead. This recording and, the presentation will be available on the school website for you: [Alcester Academy | Options](#)

From 6.00pm, there will therefore be two choices tonight for you as parents therefore:

- Arrive at school, collect the necessary information booklets for your child and proceed to visit those subject areas or staff that you need more information from. All teachers are on site tonight for your assistance and will be ready to start at 6.00pm.
- Or, arrive at school, and still continue to hear the presentation from me aiming to start as close to 6.00pm as possible in the hall. Then proceed to speak to teachers as required.

The evening will close promptly at 7.30pm (bell will ring), allowing you enough time to see the staff required.

I have attached the option choices in advance for your reference. If your child has a gold sheet as an insert in their information booklet, they are expected to select at least one humanity and a modern foreign language. If they have a green sheet, they are encouraged to take two humanities subjects.

When parking, please could I ask you to park respectfully allowing residents access to their driveways during the evening.

We look forward to seeing you later on today.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Mellors
Headteacher



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