

23 January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Year 9 Options Evening - Tuesday 11 February 2020, 5.30pm - 6.30pm**

Year 9 students are at the start of the process of selecting their GCSE and BTEC options for Year 10. The Options Evening will provide a valuable opportunity for you and your child to find out about the various subjects and qualifications that are available to them.

As you arrive at school, you will be able to pick up your **named copy** of the options booklet which outlines all the choices on offer to Year 9 students.

There will be representatives on hand from each of the options subjects, and also Science where students need to choose between double award GCSE and triple award GCSE. You will be able to discuss with teachers the details of their subjects which should help you and your child to make an informed choice for next year.

As part of the evening, there will be a 15 minute presentation in the hall, outlining the overall options process at Caludon Castle School. The **presentation** will run twice, at **5.45pm** and at **6.15pm**. Please let us know which presentation you wish to attend using the online booking procedure. This can be found at <https://caludoncastle.parentseveningsystem.co.uk> or as a shortcut on the Caludon Castle website – EMAIL/PORTAL tab at the top of the home page.

Students will receive a final form on which to make their choices which must be returned to their tutors by **Monday 17 February**. We will then issue a confirmation form for you to consider over the half term break and then sign to confirm the options choices made. This will need to be returned to school by **Friday 6 March**.

We look forward to seeing you at the Options Evening.

Yours faithfully



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