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Dear Parent/Carer

**GCSE Choices Evening,
Thursday 7th March 2024 - 5 to 7 pm**

Year 9 students will soon be asked to choose their GCSE options in preparation for their KS4 studies. Although this is a fantastic opportunity for students to take control of their future; we also realise that it can also be quite overwhelming. To help students, and parents, through this process we would like to invite you to the GCSE Choices Evening on Thursday 7th March 2024, between 5-7 pm.

We will open the evening with a short presentation about the options process, and then provide some time for parents/carers and students to talk to the teachers of the options subjects. During this time, students and parents/carers will be able to speak to staff and gain an understanding of the content and skills required in each course.

Parents/carers can show their interest in attending the evening using the Parents Evening Booking System. The booking system will open at 3 pm on Tuesday 27th February, 2024.

At TNHA, all students will study a core curriculum that includes GCSE English language, English literature, Mathematics, French and Combined Science as well as recreational PE and PSHE/LOOL. Students choose 3 further subjects from the 'Choices list' and a reserve choice. Whilst we will make every effort to accommodate top three student choices, we may have to use reserve subjects. It is important that students choose reserve subjects that they would feel comfortable studying.

Choices forms will be available on the day for students to collect. We would encourage you to come along on the evening to see what options are available and speak to the subject staff.

We look forward to seeing you on the evening, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at the academy or via email at Emily.Thomason@attrust.org.uk.

Yours faithfully

**Miss E Thomason
Vice Principal**

