



Tuesday 2 May 2017

Dear Year 9 Parents and Students

Please see below the table listing the subjects available at IGCSE in Year 10 for the academic year 2017-2018. Before making your choice, we recommend that you (1) attend the Options Information Evening on Tuesday 9 May 2017 at 18:00 in the gymnasium, (2) read carefully the Year 10 Options Handbook for 2017-2018 emailed to all Year 9 parents, (3) review the 'Conditions' detailed below the table and (4) research online the admissions requirements of universities you may have already targeted for your child/ren to apply to. As the courses run over two years, students commit to their choices for Year 10 and Year 11.

Student's name: _____ Year 9 Form Group: _____

Blocks	Weekly allocation (hours)	Subjects	Choice / Please tick as appropriate
English	5	First Language + Literature	
		Second Language	
Mathematics	5	Mathematics	
Science	5	Combined (one award)	
		Coordinated (two awards)	
Options Block A	3	Physical Education	
		Art and Design	
		3rd Science	
		Global Perspectives	
Block B	6	Arabic First Language + IS	
Options Block C (MFL)	3	Arabic 2	
		French	
		Hindi	
Options Block D (Humanities)	3	Geography	
		Global Perspectives	
PE non-IGCSE (compulsory)	1		

'Conditions':

Depending on the following 'conditions', you must choose one subject per block.

- (1) Mathematics, being alone in its block, is compulsory for all students.
- (2) Block B is compulsory for Arabic First Language speakers and available to Arabic First Language speakers only.
- (3) If Block B is chosen, Blocks C and D are not available.
- (4) To choose a third Science in Block A, Coordinated Sciences must be chosen in the main Science block.
- (5) The MFL Option must remain the same as the language studied in Years 7 to 9.
- (6) Global Perspectives cannot be chosen twice (Blocks A and D).
- (7) IGCSE PE is mixed (girls and boys together) and a minimum of 10-12 students are required to run the course.

Parent's name: _____ Date: _____

Parent's signature:

PLEASE RETURN TO YOUR FORM TUTOR BY SUNDAY 14 MAY 2017