



Oaklands School

"The best for all, the best from all"

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Dear Parents/Carers

Option Choices 2021

Following the transition process at the start of the autumn term we are now ready to offer a range of vocational subjects to our students in key stage four.

Every student will have the opportunity to choose one additional subject to study in Year 10 and one additional subject in Year 11. Please note students **cannot** choose the same subject for both years.

We want to make sure that every student makes an informed choice so to ensure this we will have the following opportunities:

- Thursday 16th September – Options Assembly for students. Staff will have the opportunity to talk to students about their subject and students can ask questions.
- Friday 17th September – Class session to give students further opportunities to ask questions in a smaller group
- Monday 20th September – 2.00pm Zoom meeting for Parents. This meeting will give parents the opportunity to ask questions about the various courses on offer.

Joining details are:

Kerry Woods is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5351781947?pwd=NEdVOVRDdYtISnVINlgrZ1dZM3JrQT09>

Meeting ID: 535 178 1947

Passcode: Horse

- Monday 20th September – Online form sent to your email for you to make a choice for your son/daughter
- Thursday 23rd September – First full taster session for students
- Thursday 30th September – Students will start their allocated option choice

We are proud to be able to offer a significant range of accredited option choices for our students. Please see the option choices below.

Each student must choose **one** option choice.

Choices – with links to the exam board specification:

ICT - Entry level qualification that broadens the skillset of the students.

https://www.cityandguilds.com/-/media/productdocuments/digital_and_it

Child Care – Entry Level qualification, learning how to communicate with young children with a view to working in this sector.

<https://www.qualhub.co.uk/qualification-search/qualification-detail/ncfe>

Nails and Beauty - Entry level qualification introducing the hair and beauty sector.

<https://qualifications.vtct.org.uk/finder/qualfinder/unit.php?unit=UV10343>

Animal Care - Entry level qualification giving an insight into working with animals.

https://www.cityandguilds.com/-/media/productdocuments/land_based_services/entry_level/4807

Units 340 - 344

Hospitality and catering - Entry level qualification introducing the roles and responsibilities in the hospitality industry.

https://www.cityandguilds.com/-/media/productdocuments/land_based_services/entry_level/4807

Units 363 -371

Sport – Level 1 Award in Skills for professionals in sport

https://www.ocnlondon.org.uk/Portals/L1_Cert_in_Skills_for_Professions_in_Sport.pdf

If you have any questions please feel free to email – office@oaklandsschool.org

Yours sincerely



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