

DSD/NPM

28 February 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

### Year 8 Options Evening

Ormiston Horizon Academy would like to invite you to the Year 8 Options Evening on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. The evening will commence with a presentation in the Theatre at 5:30pm. Please arrive by 5:15pm.

The option choices for September 2019 offer a range of academic and vocational courses. It is important that students are in a position to make an informed decision based on their abilities, interests and aspirations so please take time to discuss the options with your child. Options discussions are already underway in the academy and students will be receiving guidance from Personal Tutors, Head of Year, Curriculum Leaders and Careers advisors.

Following the presentation in the Theatre students and parents/carers will have the opportunity to meet curriculum teams to find out more information about each course.

**Careers and further education advisors will be available on site on the evening from 5.00pm.**

The Guided Options booklet will be available to download from the academy website prior to the evening and a copy of the booklet and a personalised option form will be given to your child. The aim is to ensure that students are able to follow their chosen courses, however please be aware that it may not always be possible. Students are asked to make reserve choices for each option.

Following the Options evening, completed option forms should be returned to the academy by **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March.**

Contact details for each Curriculum Leader are provided in the Options information booklet if there are any subject specific questions you would like to discuss.

For any other issues please contact the academy.

We look forward to seeing you at the Options Evening.

Yours sincerely

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Mr D Denker  
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