



# Dereham Neatherd High School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Year 9 Options Evening: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2025

All year 9 pupils will shortly be starting the process of choosing the subjects they would like to study at GCSE level in years 10 and 11.

At Neatherd, we want all pupils to leave our school with a broad range of respected qualifications that prepare them for life in 21st century Britain. Our GCSE courses give every pupil a balanced and engaging education and allow them to progress successfully on their chosen study or career pathway.

To help you and your child to choose the best subjects for them, we would like to invite you to our options evening, held from **5pm - 6.30pm on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February**. During this evening, you will have the opportunity to visit classrooms, talk to teachers about the options subjects, and see some of the work produced by current pupils. There will also be a short talk in the gym at 5pm, repeated at 6pm, where you can find out more about the options process.

A copy of our options booklet will be given to your child, which gives you further details of each options subject. There is plenty of time to explore options and discuss choices with your child, as the deadline for submitting the options preference form is **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025**.

We look forward to seeing you at our options evening.

With best wishes,

Mrs H Holmes  
Assistant Headteacher



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