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Dear Year 9 Parents and Carers

This morning Year 9 will have had an assembly learning about the Options Process for Key Stage 4. Over the next few weeks, pupils will be learning about the options they have for their GCSE subjects and will be making decisions about what they want to study going forward.

This is such an exciting time for them as it marks the first time they have some autonomy over the curriculum they study, and we look forward to working in partnership with you to get these decisions right.

I have created this short video which explains the process, the timeline and how you can support at home. For reference – here are some key dates:

Wednesday 18 March: Pupil Assembly

Thursday 19 March: Year 9 Parent Consultation Meetings

Week after Easter: Online Options Booklets distributed to families

29 and 30 April: One-to One Options Evening

At Lynn Grove we are proud to provide the opportunity for you and your child to have a one-to-one meeting with a senior member of staff to help guide the options process, in addition to the parent consultation evening. Please do use both of these opportunities to better understand your child's strengths, areas of enjoyment and ambitions for the future.

We look forward to working with you on this important next step. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's form tutor.

With very best wishes.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A Brookes".

Mrs Brookes
Principal