



YEAR 9 OPTIONS INFORMATION

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OPTIONS GUIDELINES

- You must select **one** option from **Box 1**
- You must select **three** options from **Box 2**, along with a reserve choice
- If you do not want to study Triple Science (3 GCSEs one in each of biology; chemistry and physics), you must select from one of the other options in Box 1
- Ensure your choices are broad and balanced and cover a range of subjects
- Make your choices based on your understanding of the subject, not because your friends are choosing to do it or because you like a particular teacher

KEY DATES

NOV 2021

19th

Issue individual student logins to register options

DEC 2021

16th

The deadline for registering option choices

FEB 2022

25th

Final confirmation of option choices

Thursday 18 November - Visit www.hccs.info for:

- The options briefing by Mr Bielby & Mrs Gosset
- Options subject videos
- Subject information sheets

CORE CURRICULUM

English Language

English Literature

Maths

Science
(2 GCSEs covering Biology,
Chemistry & Physics))

PE
(non-examined)

1

Choose one of these:

Triple Science GCSE
Computer Science GCSE
French GCSE
Geography GCSE
German GCSE
History GCSE
Spanish GCSE

2

Choose 3 further choices (ranked 1,2 and 3) from this box along with 1 reserve choice:

Art GCSE	Business GCSE	Computer Science GCSE
Creative Media BTEC	Dance BTEC	Design & Technology GCSE
Drama GCSE	Enterprise & Marketing Cambridge	Geography GCSE
Food & Nutrition GCSE	French GCSE	History GCSE
German GCSE	Health & Social BTEC	PE GCSE
IT BTEC	Music GCSE	Spanish GCSE
Psychology GCSE	Religious Studies GCSE	

There are some courses that must not be taken together. Please note that **you cannot opt for:**

- Business GCSE **and** Enterprise and Marketing Cambridge
- GCSE PE **and** BTEC Dance
- Design and Technology GCSE **and** Food and Nutrition GCSE
- More than two Modern Foreign Languages
- More than two Humanities (Geography, History and Religious Studies)
- More than two Arts (Art, Drama, Music)