



# St Martin's School

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Dear Parent/ Carer,

I am sure you are aware that in September 2017 we introduced GCSE courses running for our Year 9 students. There are a number of different curriculum models running at this time of education transition and we intend to continue this highly successful approach for September 2019.

Our intention is that all students will follow an ICT / Enterprise skills development in Year 9 prior to making a transition to the Welsh Baccalaureate to meet Welsh Government requirements and students will still have three full open subject choices. In order to understand how this curriculum will work at St. Martin's, the options evening will explain the key points in more detail and provide an opportunity to meet with subject staff. This evening will take place on **Tuesday 5th March 2019 at 5pm**. There will be full presentations running at both 5pm and 6pm.

Following the options evening, a free choice survey of subjects students wish to select will be used to create the option blocks. It must be highlighted that often not all subjects will run and this varies as a result of the combination of subjects selected by students in the year group and the subject performance at GCSE.

We look forward to seeing you at the forthcoming Options Evening which is an opportunity for you to gather vital information to support a very important time in the future of your child's education.

Yours Faithfully,

Mr M. Yeoman (Deputy Headteacher)

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