Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to you to explain a change to the timetable at SBR, and the introduction of ‘Options’ for students in Years 9,10 and 11.

Pupils have made it clear there are some areas of the curriculum they simply refuse to engage in, and to try and encourage a more positive experience for them in school, we have put together an option package, which allows them to choose SOME of their subjects.

I must be clear that there is an expectation that they attend ALL English, Maths and Science lessons, as these are a core requirement. Please reaffirm this with them.

I have been through the process with pupils, but have told them to discuss it with you also. Please return the slip below at your earliest convenience, or email or write to me at the school (for my attention) with your child’s name, and their 4 choices if that’s easier.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Carey

Deputy Headteacher

Please choose **ONE** option from each box. Please only choose any subject **ONCE**. (ie, if you have selected ‘Cooking’ from Option 2, you cannot choose it from Option 3 as well.) You should end up with 4 different subjects in the ‘Pupil choice’ box.

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| Pupil name: | | | |
| OPTION 1 | OPTION 2 | OPTION 3 | OPTION 4 |
| 2 x 45 min lessons | 4 x 45 min lessons | 4 x 45 min lessons | 4 x 45 min lessons |
| **PE**  **MUSIC**  **OUTDOOR EDUCATION** | **ICT**  **PE**  **COOKING** | **COOKING**  **ART**  **MEDIA STUDIES** | **ART**  **ICT**  **GARDENING** |
| Pupil choice: | Pupil choice: | Pupil choice: | Pupil choice: |