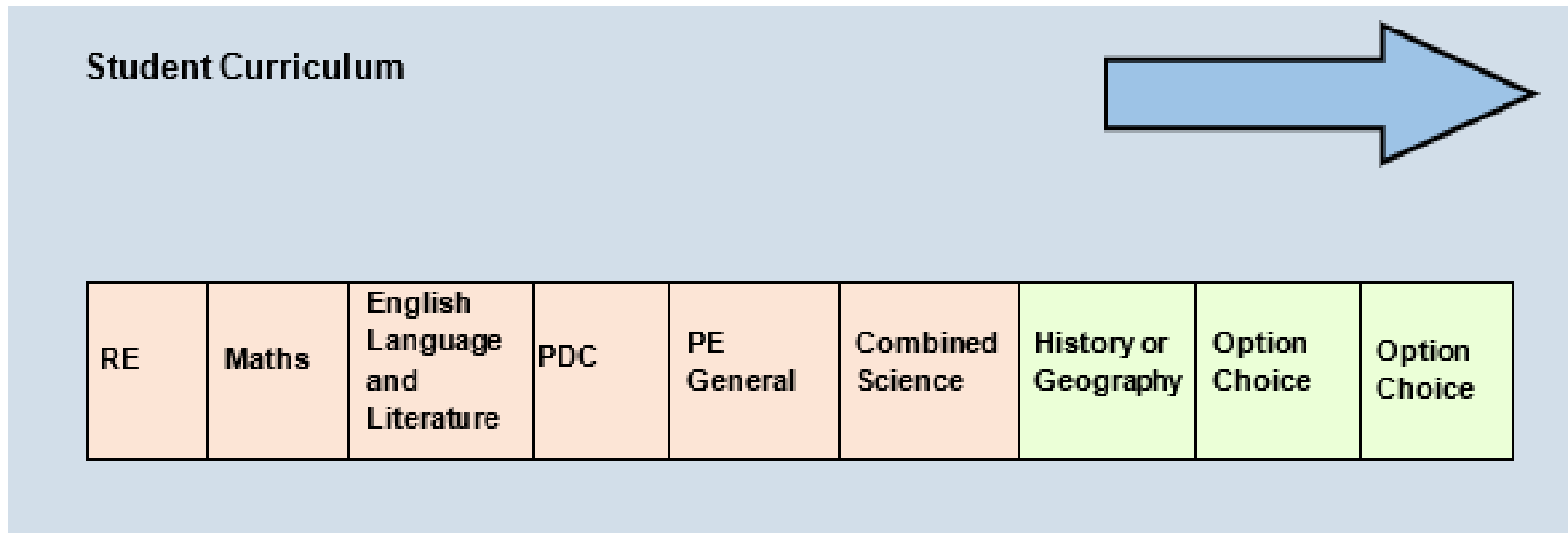


Y9 Options 2022

Year 9 Options





Option Choices

Art: Fine Art *

Art: Photography*

Business

Child Development

Computer Science

Design and Technology with Resistant
Materials **

Design and Technology with Electronics **

Drama

French

Geography

History

Media Studies

Music

PE

Spanish

L2 VCert Health and Fitness

Triple Science (students in Set 1 for Science)

Food Preparation and Nutrition



Points to Note:

1. **Students must choose either History or Geography**
2. **Students must also choose 2 other subjects (input your favourite one first) and a reserve choice (3 in total) .**
3. **All choices should be entered via SIMS App. Details of how to do this will be emailed the week of 28th February.**

Please note the following :

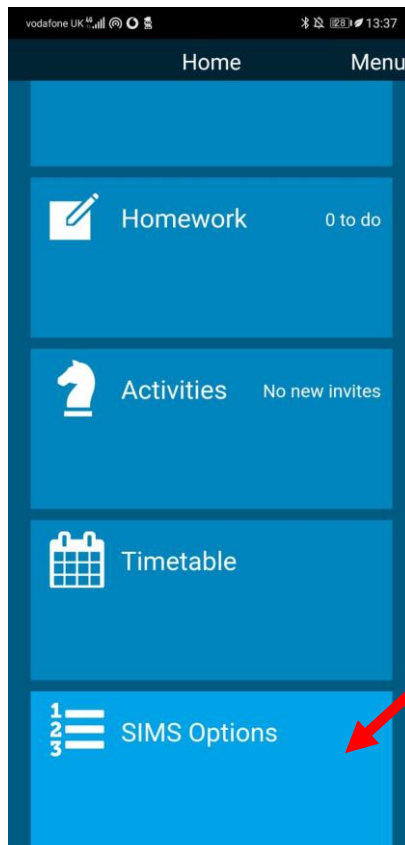
* **Students are not permitted to choose both Fine Art and Photography**

†***Students are not permitted to choose Design and Technology with Resistant Materials and Design and Technology with Electronics.**

If there is insufficient demand for a course, it will not run.

We will try to ensure that you will be offered your choices but there may be some cases where we can only offer your reserve.

Choosing Options Online



Log in to your SIMS Student app and click on SIMS Options

Choose Option 1

This will be either Geography or History.

Option 1

You need to choose either Geography or History.

You have chosen 0 of 1 courses from this list

Geography GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	History GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>
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Once you have made your choice, the subject box will turn blue.

Option 1

You need to choose either Geography or History.

You have chosen 1 of 1 courses from this list

Geography GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	History GCSE Full Course <small>Choice</small> <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>
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Choose Option 2

This will be a free subject choice.

(Don't choose the same subject as option 1)

Option 2

You need to choose one subject from this list. Please don't choose the same subject as Option 1.

You have chosen courses from this list

Art GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Business S GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Child Deve GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>
Drama GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	French GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Geography GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>
History GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Media Stud GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Music GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>
Physical E GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Computer Programming GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Photography GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>
Science GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Spanish GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Technology GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>
Technology Food GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Technology Elect GCSE Full Course <small>This course is also available in other lists.</small>	

Choose Option 3

This is a free choice subject

(Don't choose the same subject as Option 1 or Option 2)

Across Options 2 and 3, you must not choose Electronics and Technology (Resistant Materials). You can only choose one of these subjects.

Across Options 2 and 3, you must not choose Art and Photography together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

Option 3

You must choose one subject from this list. Please don't choose the same subject as Option 1 or Option 2.

Across Options 2 and 3, you must not choose Electronics and Technology (Resistant Materials) together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

Across Options 2 and 3, you must not choose Art and Photography together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

You have chosen courses from this list

Art GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Business S GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Child Deve GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>
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Technology Food GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	Technology Elect GCSE Full Course <small>i This course is also available in other lists.</small>	

Choose Reserve Option

This is a reserve choice and is free subject choice.

(Don't choose the same subject as Options 1, 2 or 3)

Across Options 2, 3 and the reserve, you must not choose Electronics and Technology (Resistant Materials). You can only choose one of these subjects.

Across Options 2, 3 and the reserve, you must not choose Art and Photography together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

Reserve Option Choice

You must choose one subject from this list. Please don't choose the same subject as Options 1, 2 or 3.

Across Options 2, 3 and the reserve, you must not choose Electronics and Technology (Resistant Materials) together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

Across Options 2, 3 and the reserve, you must not choose Art and Photography together. You can only choose one of these subjects.

You have chosen courses from this list

Art GCSE Full Course <i>i</i> This course is also available in other lists.	Business S GCSE Full Course <i>i</i> This course is also available in other lists.	Child Deve GCSE Full Course <i>i</i> This course is also available in other lists.
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Once you have selected three subjects from the three options blocks and the reserve, you will see your choices on the right hand side of the page.

This next page will give you the options to put your choices in order but you don't need to do this.

My Choices in Order of Preference (Total Choices: 4)

To change your order of preference select a choice and click the position in the list you would like to move it to.

- 1 History**
GCSE Full Course Option 1
- 2 Drama**
GCSE Full Course Option 2
- 3 French**
GCSE Full Course Option 3
- 4 Music**
GCSE Full Course Reserve Option Choice

Student Choices - C

Save

Option 1

You need to choose eit

You have chosen 1 of 1

Geography GCSE Fu

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Click 'Save' at the top of the page.

There have been some compatibility issues with certain devices. If you access the website and find the plan has not loaded please contact simsapp@oaklandscatholicschool.org and we will re-invite you to the options online system.

This should solve the issue, however if the problem continues please either :

- 1. send your option preferences to simsapp@oaklandscatholicschool.org and we will add these on your behalf.**

Or

- 2. Complete the form in the booklet (on page 31) and return to your tutor by March 18th**

Options Form

Name: _____

Tutor Group: _____

Please only use this form if you are unable to use SIMSApp to submit your choices.

If you do need to use this form, your child should hand this in to their Form Tutor by Friday 18th March.

1. Students choose History or Geography (select **one**)

History	
Geography	

2. Select **two** further choices from the following list:
Mark your **favourite with 1** and your **second favourite with 2**

Art: Fine Art *	
Art: Photography *	
Business	
Child Development	
Computer Science	
Design & Technology with Resistant Materials **	
Design & Technology with Electronics **	
Drama	
Food Preparation and Nutrition	
French	
Geography	
History	
Media Studies	
Music	
PE	
Spanish	
L2 VCert Health and Fitness	
Triple Science (students in Set 1 for Science)	

3. Select **one** reserve choice from the following list:

Art: Fine Art *	
Art: Photography *	
Business	
Child Development	
Computer Science	
Design & Technology with Resistant Materials **	
Design & Technology with Electronics **	
Drama	
Food Preparation and Nutrition	
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Please Note:

- ⇒ Students who find much of the academic work challenging may wish to consider the balance between subjects that have large non-examination assessment content and those that do not.
- ⇒ All three choices should be entered via SIMS App. Details of how to do this will be emailed during the week of 28th February.
- ⇒ Choices should be made by **Friday 18th March.**
- ⇒ We will try to ensure that students are offered their choices, but there may be some cases where we can only offer the reserve.

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Choices

Once choices have been analysed we will confirm your courses.

If a course has too few students it will not run and you will be asked to choose again.

Your option choices will start after this Summer half term.

Key Dates

- Options Evening – 1st March 2022 7pm – your chance to research and ask questions. Bring your booklet, map and timetable.
- Return option choices – 18th March 2022
- Option courses begin after May half term

