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20 February 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

**S2-S5 Options/Careers event - Tuesday 27th February 4.30pm-6.30pm**

In response to parental feedback and in line with our plans to improve and diversify our curriculum, we are holding an Options/Careers event for parents and pupils, next Tuesday 27th February, from 4.30pm to 6.30pm in the school.

All parents and young people from S2-S5 are invited to attend.  The event will be a 'drop in' style with parents having the opportunity to talk to school staff and also learn about the world of work, higher and further education opportunities for learners.

The following staff and organisations will be represented:

* Principal Teachers of Pupil Support
* Senior Leadership Team
* Jane Paterson, Skills Development Scotland (Careers advisor)
* Barony College
* Dumfries and Galloway College
* Parent Council representatives (TBC)

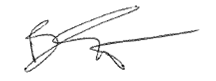
The event will be informal and you are welcome to come along  for as much or as little of the two hour slot as you wish.  We would strongly encourage you to take this opportunity to learn more about the curriculum and career pathways open to learners in our school.

There will also be the opportunity to contribute to our planning for school improvement priorities over the next three years at this event and we would once again strongly encourage you to come along and give us your views about how we improve the school further in the next few years.

Tea and coffee will be available throughout the event and there will be opportunities to meet with the Headteacher Mr Smith or any member of the secondary Senior Leadership Team to discuss any subject.  This is in direct response to the feedback received in our recent survey that we sent to parents of senior pupils.

If you have any questions, please contact us through the school office.  We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 27th February.

Yours faithfully



B Smith

Headteacher