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Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 8 Report & Choices Evening Tuesday 27th February 2018 3.30pm-6.30pm

At Smith's Wood Academy we are committed to ensuring that our curriculum meets the needs of every student. To this end, we have introduced an element of choice in terms of what pupils study in Year 9 and beyond. We run a three year Key Stage 4 which means that GCSE choices are made and fixed at this point in Year 8.

The combination of choices and programmes of study will be more fully explained in the booklets provided on the evening.

To support you and your child in making these decisions I would like to invite you to the **Year 8 Report & Choices Evening.** This will be held on **Tuesday 27th February 2018** from **3.30pm** until **6.30pm**. On this evening you will receive a full academic report for your child and you will have the opportunity to speak to class teachers about your child's progress.

The additional important element of the evening is the opportunity for you and your child to find out more details about the Key Stage 4 choices on offer and subject staff will be on hand to answer any questions you may have. The choices that you and your child are about to make are clearly important decisions. I do hope that you are able to attend in order to gain the information and advice to make an informed decision.

We look forward to meeting you on the **27th February**. If you have any questions, or would like any clarification, please contact Mr Deen, Deputy Head of Academy, via the Academy office.

Yours faithfully

Mrs K Craig

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