

Year 8 Parent Notes

Almost there! Options Evening has taken place, the careers sessions are complete, the curriculum guide has been read from cover to cover and the email giving details of how to enter options choices has been sent. It's time to make some decisions.

As we have notified previously students will enter their options online. Students have been sent their own log-in for the system in an email which has gone to their school email account. Attached to the email are instructions for first registering and then entering options. Those same instructions are attached to the Year 8 section of the school bulletin in order that you can support your child.

We anticipate that many students will complete their options choices over the course of this weekend but tutors will be checking that things are going smoothly on Monday. Those students who need assistance with their choices can have an 'Options interview' towards the end of next week to assist them. Tutors will pass names to us on Monday but if you feel that your child would benefit from this, please contact the tutor and ask for this support. As we move towards the end of term if you still have questions about options, you would be welcome to email y8options@oxtedschool.co.uk or the subject teacher directly. We would like options choices to be completed by Monday 26 March.

Medical forms/permissions slips for Year 8 camp should have been brought home last week, please check, they may be at the bottom of a school bag! We would be grateful if the paperwork could be completed and returned to tutors as soon as possible.

If your child has not yet indicated that they want to come to camp, it is not too late, please contact your child's tutor or Head of House to ensure that they don't miss out on a truly memorable experience.

Miss Wheeler has been doing equipment checks and whilst most students have the correct equipment, there are a few who could benefit from a re-stock! Please check that your child has the correct equipment required for lessons.

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