



GCSE OPTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2024

Compulsory GCSE subjects

All pupils will be studying English Language, Mathematics, Religious Studies and science. Most pupils will study English Literature, unless otherwise advised by the head of English. In science, all pupils will study aspects of biology, chemistry and physics leading to Combined Science GCSE (two GCSE awards), unless the separate science option is chosen below which leads to three separate GCSEs in Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

GCSE options

Choose any four GCSE option subjects from the list below and complete the attached options request form. Study support should not be chosen unless you have been contacted by Mrs Gierhart (head of individual needs) to advise that you would benefit from this course.

* Fine Art, Photography and Textile Design are all classified as Art and Design qualifications, although with different outcomes. We can offer all three, but please be aware of the similarity in classification.

Design and Technology and Art and Design: Textile Design are usually unavailable in combination within the timetable. If you are keen to take both, please note this on the form.

Art and Design: Fine Art*	Geography
Art and Design: Photography*	German
Art and Design: Textile Design* #	History
Business	Latin
Citizenship Studies	Media Studies
Classical Civilisation	Music
Computer Science	Physical Education
Design and Technology#	Separate sciences (see note above)
Drama	Spanish
Food Preparation and Nutrition	Study support
French	

While your subject choices are not binding at this stage, they will help us make the right provision for next year's option groups. These will be formed in March based on what you tell us. We will endeavour to accommodate everyone's option choices but if this is not possible, we will discuss alternative options with you.

February 2024



GCSE OPTIONS REQUEST FORM FOR SEPTEMBER 2024

Pupil Name:

Please be aware that not all subject combinations are possible within the constraints of the timetable. We will work hard to timetable your chosen subjects but it is probable that not all pupils' option choices will be achievable and flexibility will be needed.

Optional subjects

Please list your four subjects below (in order of preference).

Remember to include separate sciences as one of your options if you want to study all three sciences separately rather than Combined Science.

Option 1	
Option 2	
Option 3	
Option 4	

In the event of one of my four subjects being unavailable, my reserve subject option is:

Reserve option	
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Signed (by pupil):

Date:

Please detach this form and return it to bgarlick@claremont.surrey.sch.uk by Monday 4 March 2024.