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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 11 Personal Development Option

It is time to ask Year 10 students to choose their Personal Development Option for Year 11. These options generally include the opportunity to develop leadership skills and to 'give something back' to the community, but there is also a chance for students to aid their wellbeing by making provision for those who would like additional support with Maths and/or English, or Study Skills, without this compromising other subjects or students' free time.

Students study their option for one hour per fortnight and we ask that they now select a first choice and a reserve option. Reserve options are essential, and if an option is oversubscribed, a random selection will take place.

A contact is listed for each option; please do get in touch with them if you have any further questions. If you have questions about the process or would like further support, please do not hesitate to contact me ward@queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk, Mr Flynn the Progress Leader of Year 10 flynn@queenelizabeths.derbyshire.sch.uk or your child's form tutor.

The options available are listed below, and there is more information on each included with this letter:

- Dance Associates
- English Support
- Higher Project Qualification (Students who selected this in Year 10 should continue with this in Year 11)
- Language Leaders
- Level 2 Further Maths
- Maths Support
- Music Appreciation
- Playing Sports
- Repair and Restore
- Sports Leader
- Study Support

Submitting Your Choices

Submission is via the Personal Development Options form, which is now available on the intranet within the 'Useful Links' section. Students will need to login to the school intranet to access this. The **deadline for submission is 6pm on Monday 18**th **July.** Any students who have not submitted the form by then will be allocated an option for September.

Yours faithfully

Miss M Ward

Assistant Headteacher

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