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Dear S4 and S5 families,

We are now preparing to embark upon the S5 and S6 options process with our current S4 and S5 students. Over the course of this term, a number of activities will take place to help support both our learners and their families in choosing their subjects for either S5 or S6.

The first event to support families and young people is an Information Evening which will be delivered in person in the school. The evening is aimed at mostly S4 families but S5 families are welcome to attend if they wish. The evening will take place on **Thursday 7th March starting at 5.45pm in the Airlie Theatre**. The evening will last no longer than 40 minutes.

To help support the course choice process, we would strongly encourage our young people to continue to engage with the My World of Work website – <u>https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/</u>all young people should have registered with this website during S2. This is an excellent resource for young people. There is also a section for Parents and Carers to support their young person with their course choice. <u>https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/my-career-options/where-can-option-choices-take-you</u>

Please find on the following page a list of key events that will take place during this term to help support the course choice process for our S4 and S5 students.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with either myself or your child 's Pastoral Care Teacher if you have any questions about the course choice process. Please also keep an eye on our school website (<u>www.hyndland-sec.glasgow.sch.uk</u>) and twitter (@hyndlandsec) for further updates and useful links to information to help support the course choice process.

Yours sincerely

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| Event | Date |
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| S4 and S5 Options Information Booklet issued to students via | Issued to family's week |
| Year Group Team – this will contain detailed advice on course | beginning 4 th March 2024 via |
| content and assessment arrangements for all courses in S5/6 | the year group team |
| Skills Development Scotland will conduct one-to-one interviews | These will take place from |
| with targeted young people. If anyone wishes an interview, | Tuesday 8 th March onwards – |
| they can request one by either popping into the Careers Office in the school library or scanning the QR code below. | appointments will be given to students targeted |
| S4 and S5 Options Information Evening in the Airlie Theatre | Thursday 7 th March starting at 5.45pm |
| S4 and S5 Options Presentation to students delivered by | Week beginning 11 th March |
| Pastoral Care and Senior Leadership Team via Assemblies | 2024 |
| S4 Tracking report | Issued to families during week of 11 th March 2024 |
| Careers Event in the Games Hall – Open to all S2, S4 and S5 | Thursday 14 th March 2024 – |
| families – a range of employers will be in attendance to offer | 5.30pm until 7.00pm |
| advice on careers on a drop-in basis | |
| Final S4 and S5 report issued – contains final estimate grades | Week of 15 th April 2024 |
| for the SQA | |
| Final Options on glow form to be submitted electronically | Wednesday 17 th April 2024 – |
| | form to be submitted by 6pm. |



