Dear Parent/ Guardian,

Year 8 Options Evening – Tuesday 18th March 2014, 6.00pm-8.00pm

I would like to invite you to the Year 8 Options Evening on Tuesday 18th March 2014. The aim of the evening is to give you and your son a complete understanding of the Options Process and the range of GCSE subjects that we offer.

The evening will begin in the Hall with a talk by Mr Gardner, the Principal, and Mrs Diaz, the Vice Principal, to introduce the changes and describe the curriculum that your son will be following next year. We will also outline the Options process and what you can do to help your son make the most appropriate choices. After the talk teaching staff from each subject will be available to provide information on course content and requirements, as well as to answer any general questions you may have. The Holcombe Association will also be on hand throughout the evening to provide refreshments. It is hoped that by the end of the evening you and your son will have all the information you need to make informed and appropriate choices.

Your son will soon be receiving an Options Booklet containing information about each subject on offer next week. I encourage you to go through this with your son before the Options Evening and then bring it with you as this will give you an idea of which subjects you may want to visit during the evening.

I would be grateful if you could complete and return the attached slip to confirm your attendance by Friday 14th March.

I look forward to seeing you at the Options Evening.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Holl
Senior Academic Leader, KS3

I confirm that I will / will not (delete as appropriate) be attending the Year 8 Options Evening on Tuesday 18th March 2014 from 6.00pm-8.00pm with my son ___________________________ of Form ____________