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## Form 5 (Year 11) GCSE Options for September 2024-2025

All pupils study **English**. Most will take both **English Language and English Literature**, some will take just **English Language** (as advised by the Head of English in consultation with parents/guardians). Some pupils, where appropriate, will take **English as an Additional Language (EAL)**.

All pupils study **Mathematics** and the **Sciences**. The Science course includes all three of Biology, Chemistry and Physics and leads to Dual Award Science or Triple Award Science.

These subjects are timetabled in blocks (one for English, one for Mathematics and one for Sciences) so that pupils can be allocated to the sets appropriate to their academic needs.

**In summary:** Pupils choose one option subject from each block

English Language and English Literature <b>or</b> English Language only <b>or</b> English as an Additional Language only
Mathematics
Sciences (Biology, Chemistry and Physics)
Four Option Subjects

A further four **Option subjects** are chosen from the following:-

Option A	Option B	Option C	Option D
AEN EAL Business Studies French Spanish	Business Studies Design Technology Geography Physical Education Religious Studies	Art & Design Drama Geography History Music Spanish	Art & Design Business Studies Design Technology History Physical Education

**Those not taking EAL or AEN will take a Modern Foreign Language which may be French or Spanish**, or they may take both. Pupils who have a good background in Latin may choose this as one option subject. A pupil from overseas taking EAL as the main English course can also choose Additional EAL as an option if more language support is needed.

AEN support can be taken in place of French or Spanish (or as well as a language) – there is an additional charge for this.

All pupils also have three games sessions a week, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and take part in extra-curricular activities at the end of the day on Wednesdays and Fridays.





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Please read the details about the different subjects in the GCSE Information Booklet before making your choices. Copies of this document are available on Parent portal and also the SLC website [here](#).

## GCSE Option Choices for Year 11 starting September 2024

Please complete the table below, choosing one subject from each option column.

### Core subjects taken by all pupils

English Language (First or Second Language)	English Literature (taken by most pupils studying English First Language)
Mathematics	Sciences

### Option Choices – selected from the list of subjects on the previous page.

**Please note that unless you are having support AEN or EAL lessons one of these choices must be a Modern Foreign Language (French or Spanish)**

**Please choose one subject from each column.**

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Please put your name here and return the form to College Administration ([collegeadmin@slcuk.com](mailto:collegeadmin@slcuk.com))

Pupil Name		Date	
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