

Pathway T - (10 or 11 qualifications)

Core	Science	Languages – choose one	Humanities – choose one	Options – choose two	
English Language GCSE English Literature GCSE Mathematics GCSE Religious Studies GCSE PE (Core non exam)	Combined Science GCSE Triple Science GCSE	French GCSE German GCSE	History GCSE Geography GCSE	Art – Fine GCSE Art –Time Based GCSE Business Studies GCSE Enterprise BTEC Tech Award (only one Business Studies option can be chosen) Drama GCSE Geography GCSE (if not chosen as Humanities option) History GCSE (if not chosen as Humanities option) PE GCSE Sport Science Cambridge National Certificate (only one PE/Sport option can be chosen) Dance GCSE Sociology GCSE	Food and Nutrition GCSE Design and Technology (Textiles) GCSE Design and Technology (Graphics) GCSE Design and Technology (Resistant Materials) GCSE (only one Design and Technology GCSE can be chosen) Child Development Cambridge National Certificate Music BTEC First Award iMedia (ICT) Cambridge National Certificate Creative Media BTEC Tech Award Travel & Tourism BTEC Tech Award

Pathway P (9 qualifications)

Core	Science	Humanities – choose one	Options – choose two	
English Language GCSE English Literature GCSE Mathematics GCSE Religious Studies GCSE PE (Core non exam)	Combined Science GCSE	History GCSE Geography GCSE	Art – Fine GCSE Art –Time Based GCSE Business Studies GCSE Enterprise BTEC Tech Award (only one Business Studies option can be chosen) Drama GCSE Geography GCSE (if not chosen as Humanities option) History GCSE (if not chosen as Humanities option) Sport Science Cambridge National Certificate Dance GCSE Sociology GCSE	Food and Nutrition GCSE Design and Technology (Textiles) GCSE Design and Technology (Graphics) GCSE Design and Technology (Resistant Materials) GCSE or Engineering Cambridge National Certificate (only one Design and Technology GCSE can be chosen) Child Development Cambridge National Certificate Music BTEC First Award iMedia (ICT) Cambridge National Certificate Creative Media BTEC Tech Award Travel & Tourism BTEC Tech Award

Pathway S (9 qualifications)

Core	Science	Humanities – choose one	Options – choose two	
English Language GCSE English Literature GCSE Mathematics GCSE Religious Studies GCSE / WJEC Level 1/2 Vocational Award In Retail Business PE (Core non exam)	Combined Science GCSE	History GCSE Geography GCSE	Art – Fine GCSE Art –Time Based GCSE Enterprise BTEC Tech Award Drama GCSE Sport Science Cambridge National Certificate Dance GCSE Sociology GCSE	Design and Technology (Textiles) GCSE Engineering Cambridge National Certificate Child Development Cambridge National Certificate Music BTEC First Award iMedia (ICT) Cambridge National Certificate Creative Media BTEC Tech Award Travel & Tourism BTEC Tech Award

THE POLESWORTH SCHOOL

Options Guide for Parents



Selecting your Childs options online using **MY CHILD**

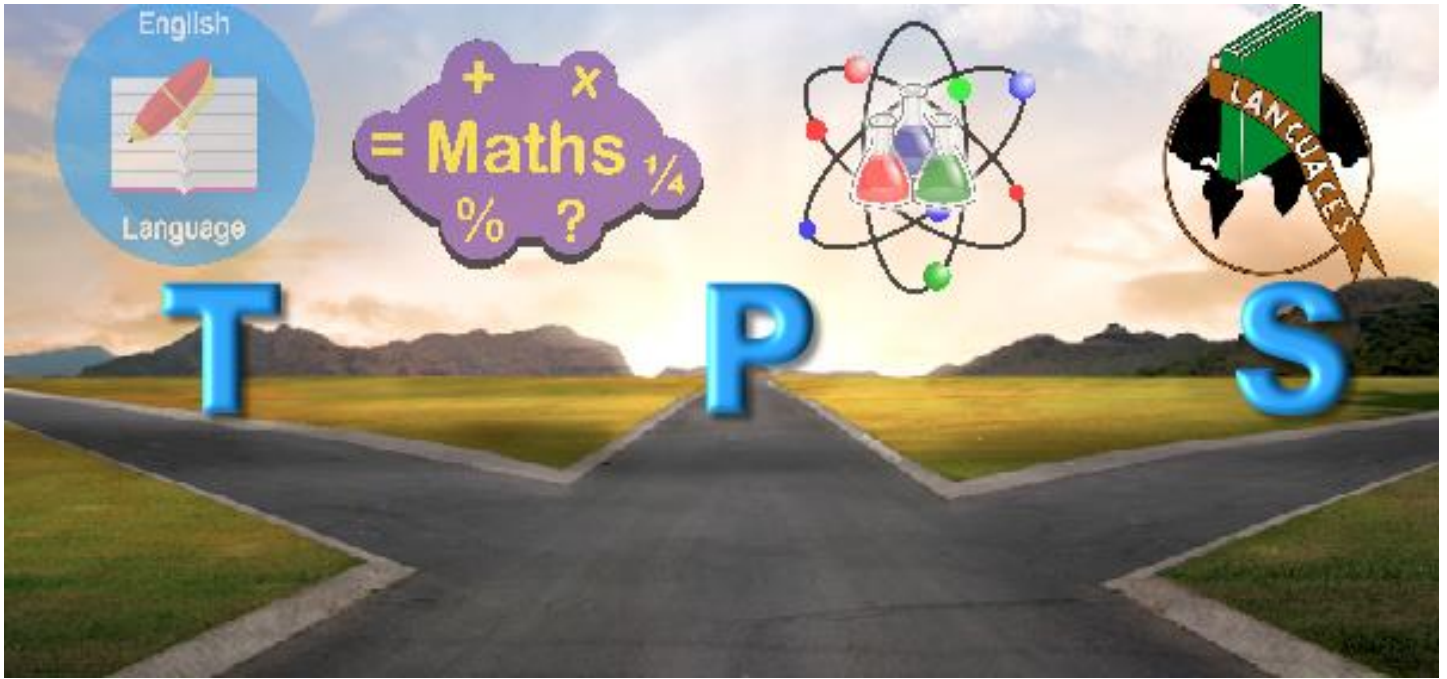
Key dates:

Parents Options Evening:

13/02/2019

Deadline:

08/03/2019



The Polesworth School Pathways 2019

The Options package is made up of 3 Pathways T, P & S. Each child has a recommended Pathway which we believe will help maximise their achievement and help them reach their full potential. The recommended pathway has been reviewed on an individual basis taking into account feedback from your child's Head of House and Maths, Science, English and Language departments, as well as your child's academic ability.

If you would like to discuss why your child is on a particular pathway or the possibility of your child taking a different pathway please contact the school.

Both you and your child will be informed of the recommended pathway at the Curriculum Evening; if you are not able to attend this information will be sent out to you.

If you would like to check your child's pathway you can look at the Main Options tab which will have the letter of the pathway noted at the end.

Choices summary

Reserve	List	Main
	History or Geography	Geography
	Languages	French
	Main Options Pathway T	Art - Fine Art
	Main Options Pathway T	D&T - Graphics
✓	Main Options Pathway T	Music
✓	Main Options Pathway T	Computer Science

History or Geography Languages **Main Options Pathway T** Science

Pathway 'T' Students Please select 2 Options for your main choices and 2 Reserve Options.

For first time users of 'MY CHILD' please go to the Polesworth School website.

www.thepolesworthschool.com

On the Home page scroll down to the 'MY CHILD' icon and double click.



WELCOME TO MY CHILD

Parents' Evening No. 4 - Wednesday 6th March 2019

Booking Window opens 11th February 2019

(Priority to Year 10)

Don't know your password?



You should be taken to the login screen for MY CHILD.

Please log in with the username and password issued to you previously by the school.

If you do not know your username and password then please send an email to

mychild@thepolesworthschool.com

With:

- Your name
- Address
- Your child(s) name.

Course with Multiple Options

In the different **Main Options Pathways** there are courses with multiple Options, below is a quick guide to these courses and in which pathways they can be found.

Pathway 'S' Students Please select 2 Options for your main choices and 2 Reserve Options

Available options

Course

Art - Fine Art
Art (GCSNF)



Choose only one art course

Art - Time Based Media
Art Time (GCSNF)



Choose only one art course

Business Studies BTEC
BSt BTEC (BTAw2)



Only choose one Business Studies Option

Business Studies GCSE
Business S (GCSEF)



Only choose one Business Studies Option

PE - Sports Cambridge National Cert.
Sports BTEC (BTCe2)



Choose Only one PE Subject.

Pe Full Course
Pe Full Course (GCSNF)



Choose Only one PE Subject.

D&T - Graphics
Graphic Pr (GCSNF)



Please choose only one D&T subject

D&T - Resistant Materials
Resistant (GCSNF)



Please choose only one D&T subject

D&T - Textiles
Textile Te (GCSNF)



Please choose only one D&T subject

Art courses - All Pathways

Art courses available for all pathways, if your preference is an Art course you can only choose one as main or reserve you cannot choose both.

Fine Art or Time based media

Business courses - Pathway T and P

Pathways T and P have both Enterprise BTEC Tech Award and Business GCSE available. If you are on Pathway T or P and your preference is Business Studies you may choose only one as main or reserve option you cannot choose both.

P.E. Courses - Pathway T

Path T is the only Pathway where two courses are available.

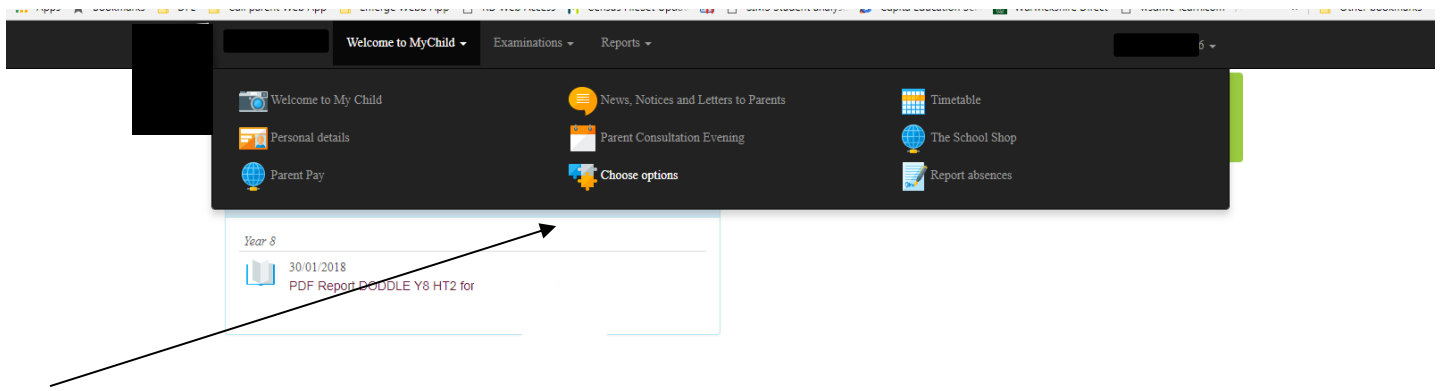
If your preference is a P.E. course you can only choose one as main or reserve you cannot choose both.

Sports Cambridge National Certificate or PE Full Course

Design & Technology (D&T) Courses P&T

3 D&T courses are available for pathways P & T, if your preference is a D&T course you can only choose one as main or reserve you cannot choose more than one.

Graphics, Resistant Materials and Textiles are available



Once you have logged in successfully you will see your home page. Please select 'Welcome to My Child' Then select 'Choose Options'.

Pathways P & S

Pathways P&S have the same method of choosing Options.

There are two Tabs available:

- Geography or History Tab
- Main Options Tab

The 'Geography or History' tab is a compulsory option; your child must select Geography or History.

The Options page should now be displayed.

Please select either History or Geography by pressing the add button next to the option



History or Geography

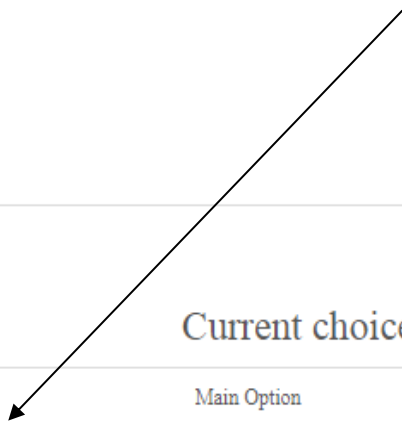
Main Options Pathway S

Choose either History or Geography

Available options

Current choices

Course	
Geography Geography (GCSNF)	
History History (GCSNF)	



A box will appear that says 'How do you want to add the option?' there is only one selection 'Main Option' press OK.

Guidance

NOTICE TO PARENTS

DO NOT USE FOR TEST PURPOSES ONLY - Your Options will NOT be saved in this session.

Choices summary

List

History or Geography **Main Options Pathway S**

Choose either History or Geography

Add option

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Ok Cancel

Available options

Course	
Geography Geography (GCSNF)	
History History (GCSNF)	

Current choices

Main Option

Used 0 of 1

Once this has been done click the Main Options Pathway tab.

Click on your first option by clicking the 'Add' button once again and pressing OK when the 'How do you want to add this Option?' box appears.

The option should then move to the right under the 'Current choices' column.

Choices summary

List

History or Geography

History or Geography **Main Options Pathway S**

Pathway 'S' Students Please select 2 Options for your main choice

Add option

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Ok Cancel

Available options

Course	
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>	
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>	
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTAw2)	
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option</i>	
Child Development Child Development (CNCE)	
Computer Science	

Current choices

Reserve Main Option

Add option [X]

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Reserve option

Ok **Cancel**

Now make your second main choice.

The second 'Add option' box that appears will look slightly different to the previous one it will give you two choices.

- Main Option
- Reserve Option

Select: - Main Option

Add option [X]

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Reserve option

Ok **Cancel**

Once the main options have been chosen you can then make your reserve option choices. Do this using the same method as before, clicking the 'Add' button.

Each choice after the two main options have been selected will automatically default to "Reserve Option" when added.

History or Geography | **Main Options Pathway S**

Pathway 'S' Students Please select 2 Options for your main choices and 2 Reserve Options.

Available options

Course
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)
<i>Choose only one art course</i>
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)
<i>Choose only one art course</i>
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTaw2)
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option.</i>
Child Development Child Development (CNCe)
Computer Science Computer Science (GCSNF)
Creative Media Media Stud (BTaw2)

Current choices

Reserve	Main Option	
	Art - Fine Art	[X]
	Child Development	[X]
✓	Creative Media	[X]
✓	Drama GCSE	[X]

Available options

Course	
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>	
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)	[+]
<i>Choose only one art course</i>	
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTaw2)	[+]
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option.</i>	
Child Development Child Development (CNCe)	
Computer Science Computer Science (GCSNF)	[+]
Creative Media Media Stud (BTaw2)	[+]

Current choices

Reserve	Main Option	
	Art - Fine Art	[X]
	Child Development	[X]

If at any time you wish to remove an Option then click the **red X** next to the option to remove it.

If you have more than one options tab i.e. Geography or History tab you will need to go to that tab to delete that particular option.

Choices summary

Reserve	List	Main
	History or Geography	Geography
	Main Options Pathway S	Art - Fine Art
	Main Options Pathway S	Child Development
✓	Main Options Pathway S	Creative Media
✓	Main Options Pathway S	Business Studies BTEC

History or Geography

Main Options Pathway S

Pathway 'S' Students Please select 2 Options for your main choices and 2 Reserve Options.

Available options

Current choices

Course	Reserve	Main Option	
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)		Art - Fine Art	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		Child Development	
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)	✓	Creative Media	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		Business Studies BTEC	
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTaw2)	✓		
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option.</i>			

Once completed your Options page should look like this. Take your time and decide that this is your final selection.

You will be able to change these options up until the closing date **9th March 2018**.

Pathway T

Pathway T has multiple tabs. If your child is on pathway T there are several compulsory choices they are required to make.

- History or Geography
- Languages - French or German
- Science - Combined or Triple

One selection must be made from these tabs in addition to two main options and two reserve options from the 'Main Options Pathway T' tab.

History or Geography

Languages

Science

Main Options Pathway T

Choose Either Combined Science or Triple Science

First make your History or Geography selection

Please select either History or Geography
By pressing the add button next to the option



Press Ok when the
'How do you want to add this option?' box appears.

History or Geography | Main Options Pathway S
Choose either History or Geography

Available options	Current choices
Course	Main Option
Geography Geography (GCSNF)	
History History (GCSNF)	

Add option

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Ok Cancel

Next click the Languages tab and select either French or German using the previous method.

Choices summary

List	Main
TEST EMPTY SELECTION	

History or Geography | Languages | Main Options Pathway T
Choose 1 only

Available options	Current choices
Course	Main Option
French French (GCSNF)	
German German (GCSNF)	

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Next click the Science tab and select either Combined or Triple Science, again using the previous method.

History or Geography | Languages | Science | Main Options Pathway T
Choose Either Combined Science or Triple Science

Available options	Current choices
Course	Main Option
Science - Combined Science Combined Science (GCSND)	
Science - Triple	

Used 0 of 1

History or Geography Languages **Main Options Pathway T** Science

Pathway T Students Please select 2 Options for your main choices and 2 Reserve Options.

Available options	Current choices	
Course	Reserve	Main Option
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)		
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)		
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTAv2)		
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option</i>		
Business Studies GCSE Business S (GCSEF)		
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option</i>		
Child Development Child Development (CNCE)		
Classical civilisation Classical civilisation (GCSNF)		

Once you have selected your Language, Science and Geography or History Option, click the 'Main Options Pathway T' tab.

Click on your first option by clicking the Add button once again and pressing OK when the 'How do you want to add this Option?' box appears.

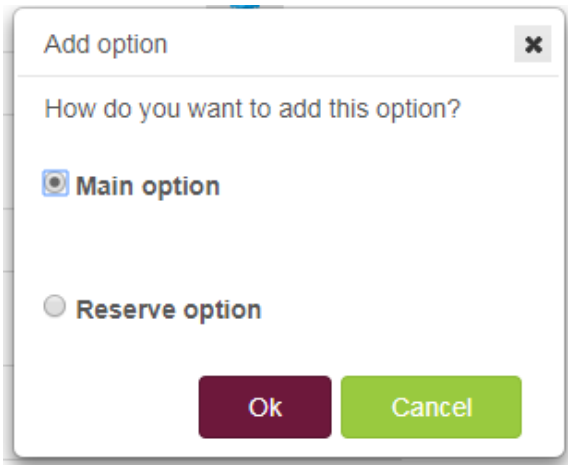
The option should then move to the right under the 'Current choices' column.

Add option ✕

How do you want to add this option?

Main option

Ok
Cancel

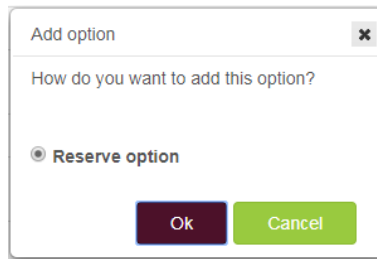


Now make your second main choice.

The second Add Options box that appears will look slightly different to the previous one; it will give you two choices.

- Main Option
- Reserve Option

Select: - Main Option.



Once the main options have been chosen you can then make your reserve option choices. Do this using the same method as before clicking the Add button.

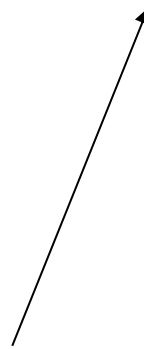
Course	Reserve	Main Option	
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)		Art - Fine Art	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		Child Development	
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)		Creative Media	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		Drama GCSE	
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTaw2)			
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option.</i>			
Child Development Child Development (CNCE)			
Computer Science Computer Science (GCSNF)			
Creative Media Media Stud (BTaw2)			

Each choice after the two main options have been selected will automatically default to "Reserve Option" when added.

Available options

Current choices

Course	Reserve	Main Option	
Art - Fine Art Art (GCSNF)		Art - Fine Art	
<i>Choose only one art course</i>		Child Development	
Art - Time Based Media Art Time (GCSNF)			
<i>Choose only one art course</i>			
Business Studies BTEC BSt BTEC (BTaw2)			
<i>Only choose one Business Studies Option.</i>			
Child Development Child Development (CNCE)			
Computer Science Computer Science (GCSNF)			
Creative Media Media Stud (BTaw2)			

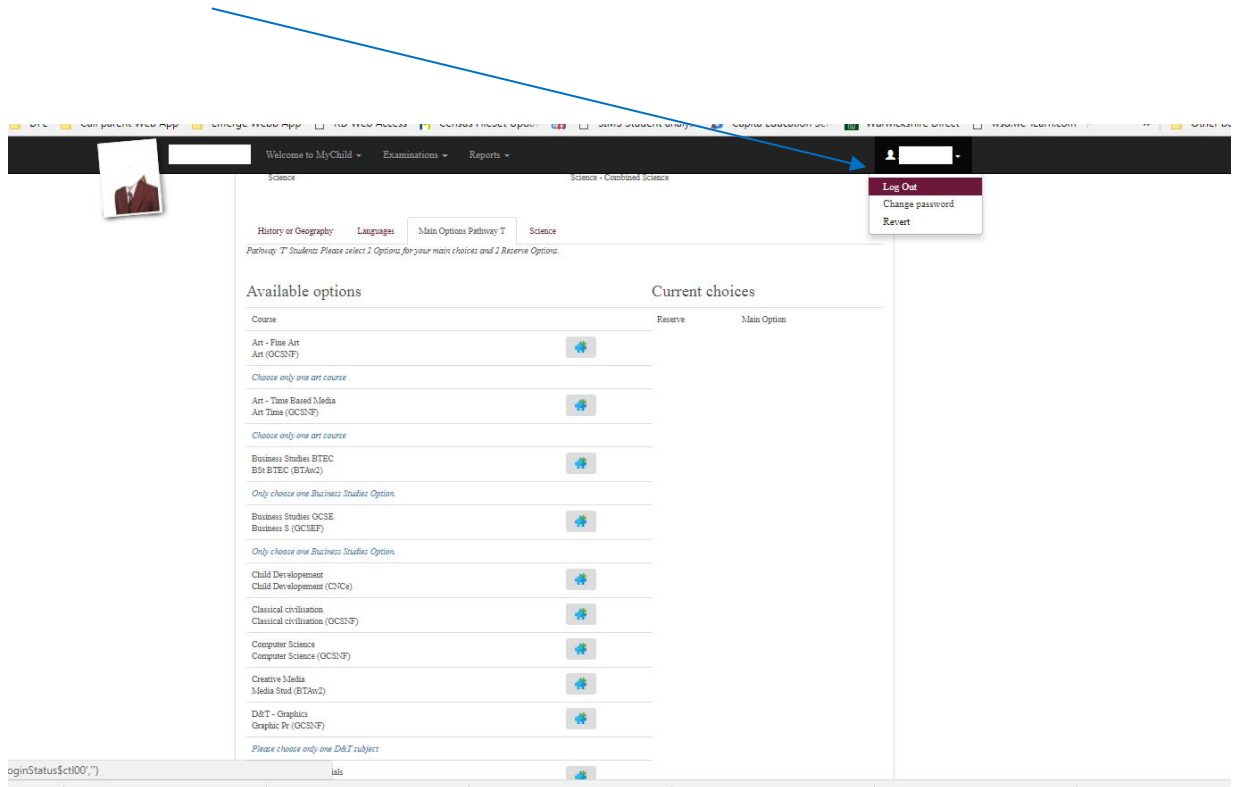


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If you have more than one options tab i.e. Geography or History / Languages or Science tabs you will need to go to that tab to delete that particular option.

Your options / changes will automatically save.

Once you have completed your selections we recommend you logout by clicking the drop down menu at the top right hand corner of the screen next to your Username.



Subject Teachers can be found as follows:

SUBJECT	ROOM AREA
Art	Rossetti 1, 3
Business Studies	Inigo 6
Careers	Careers Office situated by Editha 11 & 12
Drama	Inigo 1
English/Creative Media Production	Drayton 9
Geography	Editha 13
History	Nethersole 1
IT - iMedia	Inigo 6
Languages	Drayton 3
Mathematics	Editha 12
Music	Inigo 2 and 3
PE	Inigo 5
Religious Studies	Goodere 2
Science	Editha 3
Sociology	Editha 14
Technology - Child Development	Goodere 5
Technology - Engineering Design	Goodere 6
Technology - Food and Nutrition	Goodere 5
Technology - Graphics	Goodere 5
Technology - Resistant Materials	Goodere 6
Technology - Fashion and Textiles	Goodere 6
Travel and Tourism	Rossetti 2