## BAYSIDE 娄 SCHOOL POST-GCSE

## OPTIONS

2024

## Objectives

- To explain the options available to your child after their GCSEs.
- To offer them the information they need to help them make good, informed choices.
- To give you the opportunity to ask questions.


## What next?

- They can continue their education ... > ... at Bayside school, > ... at the Gibraltar College, > ... at Westside school.
- They can seek employment.


## In Bayside

If they stay in Bayside ...

... they can study 2,3 or 4 A-levels.

# What they can do will depend on their results! 

## A-level courses

Students must study at
least two subjects at A level.

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Three A-Level courses is the typical 'diet' most A-Level students follow.

Some students, however, may cope better if they follow two A-Level courses.

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## Four A-level courses ...

## To follow four A-Level courses ...

... they must have achieved a minimum of six GCSE grade 6 or B passes (or higher). amusT incude English and mathematics)
(in our experience, only students with exceptional GCSE grades can cope with this)
(8s and 9s)

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| :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Applied Food Science and Nutrition | French | Performance (Acting) |
| Art and Design | Further Mathematics | Physical Education |
| Biology | Geography | Physics |
| Business Studies | Health and Social Care | Psychology |
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This is subject to change as some courses that are currently alternated might be offered at more than one institution, depending on numbers.

## Parent institution

When they make their choices, they will 'belong' to the institution where
they are following the majority of their courses.

## Entry requirements

Different subjects have different entry requirements.

These need to be carefully checked in the Post-GCSE Options Booklet.

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They should also check the entry requirements for post-18 courses, since this will affect their choices.

## Expectations

They will have to sign a sixth
form Code of Conduct.

## Code of conduct

## This includes:

- Attendance
$85 \%$ or more is required for government funding post A-level
- Being role models for other students
$>$ wearing the school uniform
> setting a behavioural example
- Studying independently


## Other possibilities

Some students might have given of their best, but may not achieve four grade 4/C's or above.

These students may benefit from trying to obtain further GCSEs.

## Other possibilities

Bayside no longer offers a repeat course in Year 12, so students who would like to obtain further GCSEs will need to enrol in the Gibraltar College.

## Informed decisions

- They should speak to their teachers,
- Subject information,


## Google Classroom

- Look through A-level resources,
- Go to the "Year 11 Information Page",
- School website www.baysideschoolgibraltar.gi


## Making choices

Once they have done their research they need to make choices.

They need to complete the Options Form.
check the "Year 11 Information Page"

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## DEADLINE:

## FRIDAY 22ND MARCH

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