21 July 2016

YEAR 9 2017 ELECTIVE SUBJECT SELECTION PROCESS

Dear Parent/Carer,

This term, the College will commence the process for selecting the two electives that each student studies when they commence Year 9, 2017.

We take this opportunity to remind you of the upcoming Elective Subject Selection Evening, which will be held at the College in the Brother Luke Hall on Wednesday 24 August commencing at 7.30pm. Please note that the incorrect date was included on the parent calendar.

The evening serves as a compulsory part of the elective subject selection process for those students whose intention it is to complete Years 9 and 10 at St Gregory’s College. Students who are not able to attend this meeting should supply a letter signed by a parent / carer to the Year Coordinator, Ms Keir. Please note that your son is expected to wear his full winter uniform.

On this night, I will outline the requirements for the award of the Record of School Achievement (RoSA) which has replaced the School Certificate. KLA Coordinators will also be available to answer questions about particular electives. Students will also receive an Elective Subject Selection Form for Year 9, 2017. This form is used to indicate the students’ elective preferences.

The subject selection booklet will be available to all students and parents through Skyblue, Sentral or through the College website under Curriculum.

For boarding families, your son will also be able to access a copy of the Year 9, 2017 Elective Subject Selection Booklet (and this letter) through Skyblue, Sentral and the College website.

The table below outlines the timeline for the Year 9, 2016 elective subject selection process.

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| Wednesday 24 August 2016 (Term 3 Week 6) | • Year 9, 2017 Elective Subject Selection Evening (NOTE: Mandatory)  
  • Issuing of Elective Subject Selection forms for Year 9, 2017                                                                                                                                     |
| Wednesday 31 August 2016 Term 3 Week 7 | • Final date for Year 9, 2017 Elective Subject Selection forms to be returned to the Year 8 Coordinator, Ms Keir.  
  • Finalisation of Year 9 subject offers for 2017.  
  • Families notified of offers                                                                                                           |

Finally, it is important to realise that the academic performance of your son in Years 9 and 10 will significantly influence the courses that he will be permitted to study in Year 11.

We look forward to seeing you at the Year 9, 2017 Elective Subject Selection Evening.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Catherine Keegan  
Director of Teaching and Learning

Ms Loren Keir  
Year 8 Coordinator