YEAR 9 PATHWAYS INFORMATION 2023





TERMINOLOGY

Pathway – Pupils are placed on a Pathway that is based on target grades, prior attainment, current working grades

Options – All pupils can choose <u>at least one</u> option subjects based on their interests. The majority of pupils have one option due to us being a Catholic school and one option block is taken up studying RE.

ENGLISH BACCALAUREATE

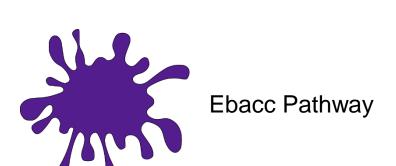
We are committed to ensuring that most pupils complete the EBacc, following government guidance most of our pupils will complete this. Having a language at GCSE will open doors to college places, university places and beyond. This was clearly communicated when you started Newman in 2020

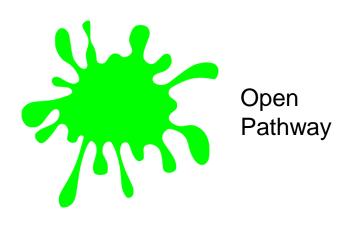
- Maths
- English
- Science
- History or Geography
- Language

HOW DO WE DETERMINE PATHWAYS?

At Newman we have 4 different pathways.











THE SCHOLAR PATHWAY

Students will follow the English Baccalaureate (EBacc) – English, Maths, Separate Sciences, History OR Geography and French.

Students will be expected to study:

English

Maths

Triple Science

RE

History OR Geography

French



Additional Courses:

Students will then be able to choose **ONE** additional subject

The Ebacc Pathway

Students will follow the English Baccalaureate (EBacc) – English, Maths, Combined Sciences, History OR Geography and French.

Students will be expected to study:

English

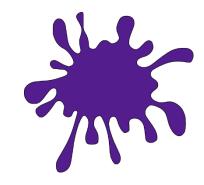
Maths

Combined Science

RE

History OR Geography

French



Additional Courses:

Students will then be able to choose **ONE** additional subject

THE OPEN PATHWAY

Students will follow – English, Maths, Combined Sciences, History OR Geography.

Students will be expected to study:

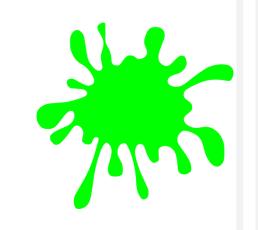
English

Maths

Combined Science

RE

History OR Geography



Additional Courses:

Students will then be able to choose **TWO** additional subject

THE PERSONALISED PATHWAY

Students will follow -

Students will be expected to study:

English

Maths

Combined Science

RE

AQA Certificate



Additional Courses:

Students will then be able to choose **two** additional subject

TIMELINE

What's next?

- 1. 4th and 5th April in form time Subject videos.
- 2. Wednesday 27th April subject fair MPH 13:45-14:30.
- 3. Mrs Kearney available in the CF for any pathways discussions 27th April and 4th May
- 4. Pathways Presentation and form sent out May to be returned 27th May.
- 5. Pathways process completed and shared with you in June.

THANKYOU FOR LISTENING

Remember any Pathways questions speak to your Form tutor, attend the Pathways market place, use the e-mail which will be sent out to parents with your Pathway in May.