



## Senior School

### Guide to Support Sixth Form Choices

The information below is a guide to support you when discussing learner pathways with students.

Tonyrefail Senior School aims to provide every student with a pathway that will help to achieve their potential and support them in reaching the next stage of the learning continuum. We aim to work with each individual student to create an individualised pathway rather than one based on a set entry requirement.

When considering the best pathway for students we use the following information as a suggestion. We understand that as leaders of Year 11, you will have excellent understanding of your students and will be best placed to support them. We hope the information below will help you when discussing the choices, students have made as they enter the next stage of their learning.

| Description   | Suggested route to support reaching potential  |
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| For students whose GCSE results are mainly grade A* - A's                           | We would suggest choosing 4 A levels. Skills Challenge (Welsh Baccalaureate) might be their fourth choice however a further A level would also be recommended. |
| For students whose GCSE results are mainly B&C grades                               | We would suggest choosing 3 A levels that might include a combination of A level and BTEC Courses plus studying the Skills Challenge (Welsh Baccalaureate).    |
| For students whose GCSE grades are mainly C's and contain vocational course results | We would suggest choosing 2 A levels that might include a combination of A level and BTEC Courses plus Skills Challenge (Welsh Baccalaureate).                 |