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Dear Parents and Guardians,

The process of subject selection for elective courses to be studied in Year 10, 2020, begins shortly. The students will continue to study their present subjects until the end of this year and then they will either commence their new elective subjects at the start of next year or continue with one or both of their current elective subjects (this is dependent on there being enough students to continue a class into next year).

Students will be given a Subject Selection Handbook listing the courses offered for Year 10, 2020, next week.

The college has organised an information night for students and parents which focuses on the many pathways available to students as they move through their schooling. The night while not compulsory is highly recommended to students and parents who are thinking about the future especially those students who would be interested in studying an early commencement course such as Primary Industries or Information and Digital Technology through P-TECH. Students who attend the night are to be in **full school uniform**.

Monday, 27th May from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm in the Mackillop Learning Centre

Students, with their parents or guardians, are asked to attend the Subject Selection Market Information Night which has subject displays in the Performance Space. The night, like last year, provides the opportunity for parents and students to ask questions of the teachers about the subjects, seek advice from the Learning Support teachers and visit the displays which will highlight the benefits of studying each course.

Wednesday 12th June, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm in the Performance Space

Students who attend the Subject Selection Market Information Night are to dress in **full school uniform**. The students will be given a subject passport which is to be filled in as they visit the subject displays. As students are leaving the subject market, they are required to place the passport in the box at the door in order to go into the draw for an iTunes card which will be held the next day.

The students will be required to complete the online subject preferences form which indicates the subjects they are interested in studying next year. The students need to have submitted this online by **Friday 14th June**.

It is important for every student to consider all the available options.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Peta Sparkes
Assistant Principal/Head of Learning