



ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE SUBJECT CHOICE FORM (2026-2027)

Pupil Name

S5

Bruce	
Douglas	
Stewart	
Wallace	

To assist you in making your course option choices, a Senior Options Booklet containing advice and course descriptors has been produced. The Senior Option Booklet and copy of the Options form can be accessed via the St Joseph's College school website at www.stjosephscollege.co.uk/, or alternatively, a hard copy can be picked up at the school office. Course descriptions for all levels of subjects offered are located there. For information about Dumfries and Galloway College Academy courses, please go to [College Academy Course](#). For information about Barony courses please go to [Baron Courses](#). Applications for college link courses must be made to Dumfries and Galloway College or the Barony SRUC directly.

Instructions for the process of options selection:

The options process will follow a two-staged procedure, the details of which can be found below. Pupils must complete stages one and two in order for their options to be considered.

Stage 1 – Course Approval

Stage 2 – Submitting Subject Choices

Stage 1: Course Approval

- Write your name in the space provided in this Subject Choice Form. Tick the box for the house group you belong to.
- Pupils entering into S5 must select **five** options from the list of courses offered.
- Options should be written in **order of preference** (numbered 1 – 5 in the 'Choices' column) and should include one reserve choice (**R**) in the event that we are unable to timetable one of your preferred choices due to insufficient numbers, staffing constraints, or a timetabling column conflict.
- For each course you select, please **tick/circle** the level at which you wish to study the course. A staff signature is required to ensure that students have the recommended requirements to progress on to courses at each of the levels indicated. Staff should only be asked for signatures during break, lunch, or when you would normally have that teacher for a lesson.
- Courses appearing in **BLUE** are offered by Dumfries and Galloway College, while those appearing in **GREEN** are offered by SRUC (The Barony). Courses in **PURPLE** are offered as online courses in partnership with Edinburgh College and @South West Connects, across all secondary schools. Courses in **ORANGE** are delivered at one of the other Dumfries schools on networking arrangement. Uncoloured boxes are **likely** to be delivered at St. Joseph's College but may be delivered on network at one of the other Burgh schools. The delivery location of networking courses will be finalised once at the end of the option process before the start of timetabling.

Subject	Choices (1,2,3,4, 5 & R)	Level of Study				Staff Signature
		SCQF Level 4	SCQF Level 5	SCQF Level 6	SCQF Level 7	
Accounting				H		
Administration and IT		N4	N5	H		
Applications of Mathematics		N4	N5	H		
Art and Design		N4	N5 NPA	H	AH	
Automotive Skills		SFW				
Barista Skills			SFW			
Biology		N4	N5	H	AH	
Business Management		N4	N5	H	AH	
Chemistry		N4	N5	H	AH	
Classical Studies				H		
Communication				NC		
Computing Science		N4	N5	H	AH	
Construction Crafts		SFW				
Creative and Digital Media				FA		
Creative Industries			NPA			
Criminology			NPA NPA			
Cyber Security			NPA			
Design and Manufacture		N4	N5	H		
Digital Media Animation			NPA			
Drama		N4	N5	H	AH	
Early Learning and Childcare			SFW SFW			
Engineering				FA		
English		N4	N5	H	AH	
Exercise and Fitness				NPA		
Financial Services			SFW	NPA		
French		N4	N5	H	AH	
Geography		N4	N5	H	AH	
Graphic Communication		N4	N5	H	AH	
Health and Food Technology			N5	H		
Health Sector			SFW			
History		N4	N5	H	AH	
Hospitality			SFW FA			

Human Biology				H		
Introduction to E-sports			NPA			
Investigation of Modern Agriculture			NPA			
Laboratory Science			SFW			
Legal Studies				NPA		
Make Up, Hair and Beauty Skills			SFW			
Mathematics		N4	N5	H	AH	
Media		N4	N5	H		
Modern Studies		N4	N5	H	AH	
Music		N4	N5	H	AH	
Music Technology		N4	N5	H	AH	
Photography			NPA			
Physical Education		N4	N5	H	AH	
Physics		N4	N5	H	AH	
Politics				H		
Practical Cookery		N4	N5			
Practical Woodworking		N4	N5			
Principles of Animal Care		SRUC Cert				
Renewable Energy Practical Skills			SFW			
RMPS			N5	H	AH	
Rural Skills		SFW				
Social Services: Children and Young People				FA		
Social Services and Healthcare				FA		
Sociology			N5	H		
Spanish		N4	N5	H	AH	
Sport and Fitness			NPA			
Sport and Recreation			SFW SFW			
Travel and Tourism			N5			
UWS Healthcare Foundation Academy			UWS Pathway	UWS Pathway		
Veterinary Terminology				SRUC Cert		
Volunteering Skills			SFW	SFW		
YASS Module					OU	

Stage 2: Submitting Subject Choices

- Along with the Subject Choice Form, you will be sent an email with a link to a Microsoft Form. You will use the online Form to input your subject choices for next academic year.
- Go to your Glow emails and find the email with the subject, '**S6 Options 2026-2027**'. Click on the link to the online Form.
- Using your paper copy of the Subject Choice Form, complete your options online. **You will only be allowed to submit your form once.** If you make an error when submitting your online options, you must see your PSP teacher to make further changes.
- Once you have submitted your choices online, your paper form with your course approval signatures must be handed in to PSP.

Online Form submissions and Subject Choice Form due by: Wednesday 4 March 2026

Before submitting your Subject Choice Form to PSP, please ensure that you have done the following:

- I have selected the required number of courses based on my year and level of study.
- I have researched my option choices to ensure they match with my career plans.
- I have obtained the appropriate staff signatures for my subject choices, indicating that I have the prerequisite requirements for the courses selected.
- I have discussed and agreed my option choices with my parents/carers.
- I have completed and submitted my options using the online Form.

Pupil Signature:

Date:

Parent/Carer Signature:

I intend on leaving school:

Summer 2026 Christmas 2026 Summer 2027 Summer 2028