## Heckmondwike Grammar School

## How to pick your GCSE Options using SIMS Online

Please use the instructions below to use the Options Online system.

**Please read the instructions carefully and take your time.** If you rush through this process and do not follow the instructions then it is likely you will not do it correctly and **you will not be able to pick your options**. We recommend that students complete this process with a parent/carer and not on their own.

There are two steps to the process – step 1 allows you to setup your account so that you are able to login to the options system, and step 2 allows you to login and choose your options.

If you have any technical problems with this process, please email <u>datateam@heckgrammar.co.uk</u> with the child's name and form group.

## Step 1 - Register





Go to <u>www.sims-options.co.uk</u> .	
	Sign in to SIMS Options
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	ESS SIMS
If this does not work your registration has not	ESS: Check Service Status
processed correctly. Please use the previous	Secured by SIMS ID
register again.	
If that still does not work, please email	
datateam@heckgrammar.co.uk with your child's	
name and form group.	
At first you may see a blank screen. Please wait	GCSE Options F
a moment whilst the page loads.	Please select your 4 GCSE Option choices and 1 reserve choice. Please note if you are chosing Graphics or Resistant Materials you can only do one and not both.
	You have chosen 0 of 4 courses and 0 of 1 reserves from this list
You will then see a screen that allows you to	Art GCSE Full Course Reserve Business GCSE Full Course Reserve
select your option choices. Click on the name of	Drama GCSE Full Course         Reserve         Food GCSE Full Course         Reserve           Geography GCSE Full Course         Reserve         Graphics GCSE Full Course         Reserve
	Music GCSE Full Course Reserve Physical Education GCSE Full Course Reserve
You should select 4 subjects and 1 reserve. To	Religious Studies GCSCARCourse Reserve
select your reserve, click the reserve button next	
to a subject.	
To remove a subject, just click it again.	
You will then see on the right the list of your	My Choices in Order of Preference (Total Choices: 4)
options and reserve choice.	to change your order or preference select a choice and click the position in the list you would like to move it to.
	GCSE Full Course GCSE Options F
You can click the subjects in the list to reorder	GEE Full Course GCSE Options F
them in order of preference.	GCSE Full Course GCSE Options F
	GCSE Full Course GCSE Options F
	My Reserves in Order of Preference (Total Reserves: 1) To change your order of preference select a reserve and click the position in
	the list you would like to move it to.  Physical Education
	GC3E AUT Course GCSE Options F
When you are happy with your choices, you	
must click the save button at the top of the	Save Save Hide Notes
page.	Choices have been saved.
You will then see a green message stating that	
You can now logout Please note that you are	
able to login and change your options up to the	
options deadline.	