

Form
3

Options
2023



How do I help my child to decide?

This is the first step of a much longer journey to success.
Many jobs will exist in the future that are not even dreamt of now.





Key questions

Which subjects
are good for my
overall
development?

Which subjects
am I good at?
How do I know?

Which
subjects do I
enjoy?

Which subjects
can the school
offer this year?



What's important?

According to...
Prospects.ac.uk

- Resilience
- Good communication
- Effective leadership and management





What's important?

According to...
Prospects.ac.uk

- Planning and research skills
- Self-management
- Teamwork and interpersonal skills



What's important?



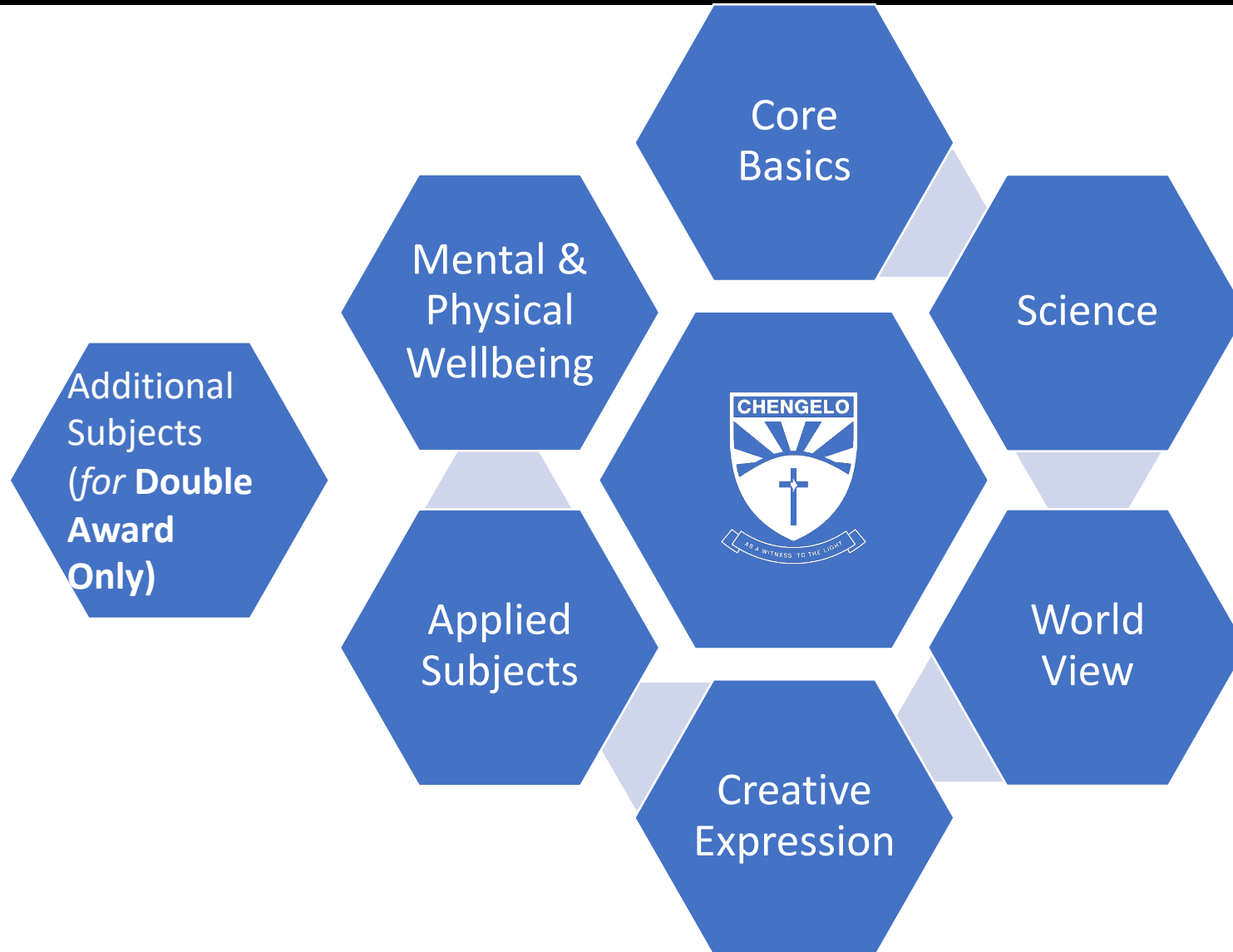
- IGCSE is too early to narrow your child's options or to be set on a future plan
- Cambridge curriculum is designed to be a 4 year course leading in to university or career options.
- Current trends in education favour a breadth of education for as long as possible.

So...

- Keep it broad!
- Maximise your child's future opportunities.



So...?

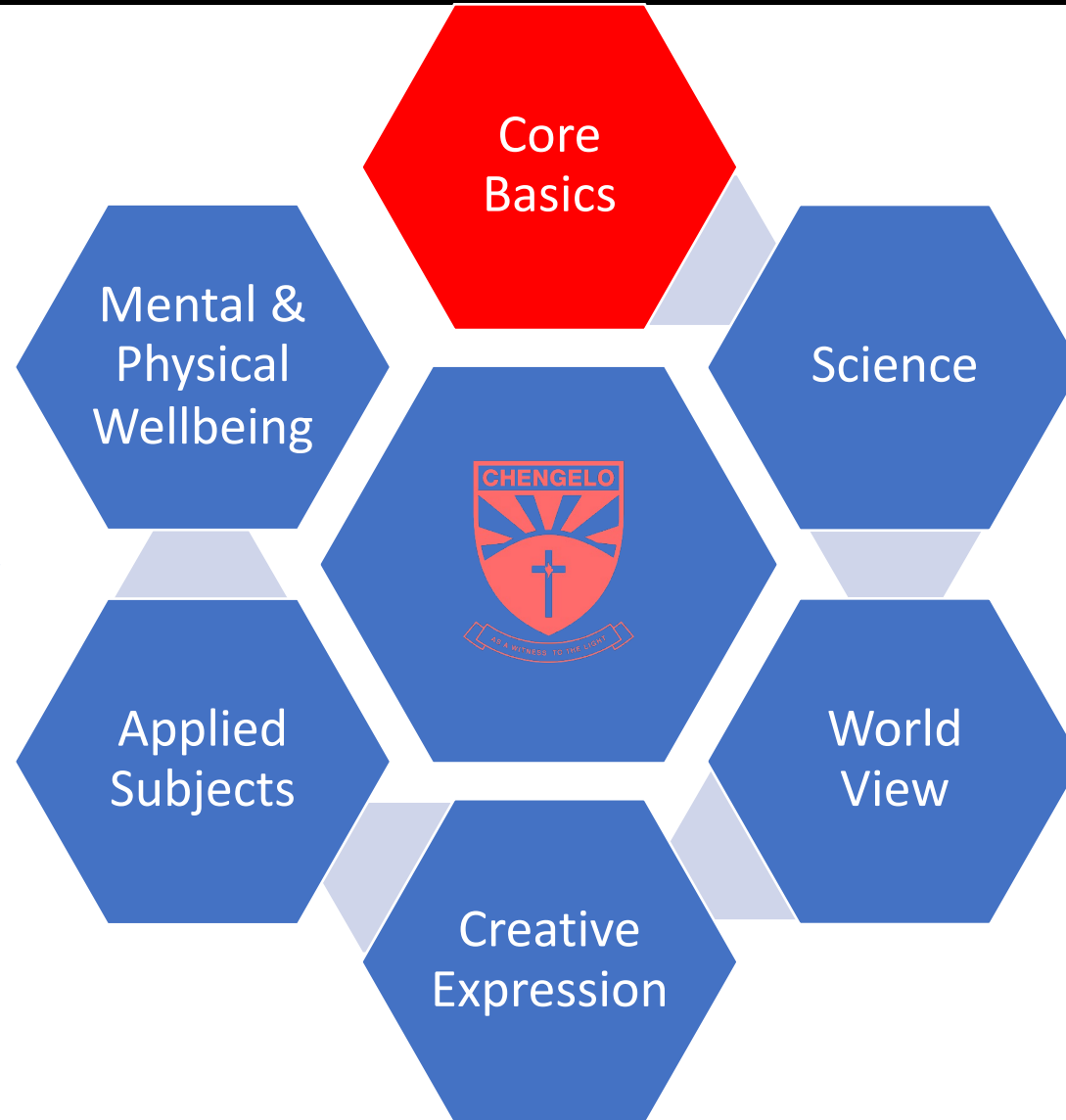




So...?

- English Language
- English Literature
- Maths

(for Double
Award
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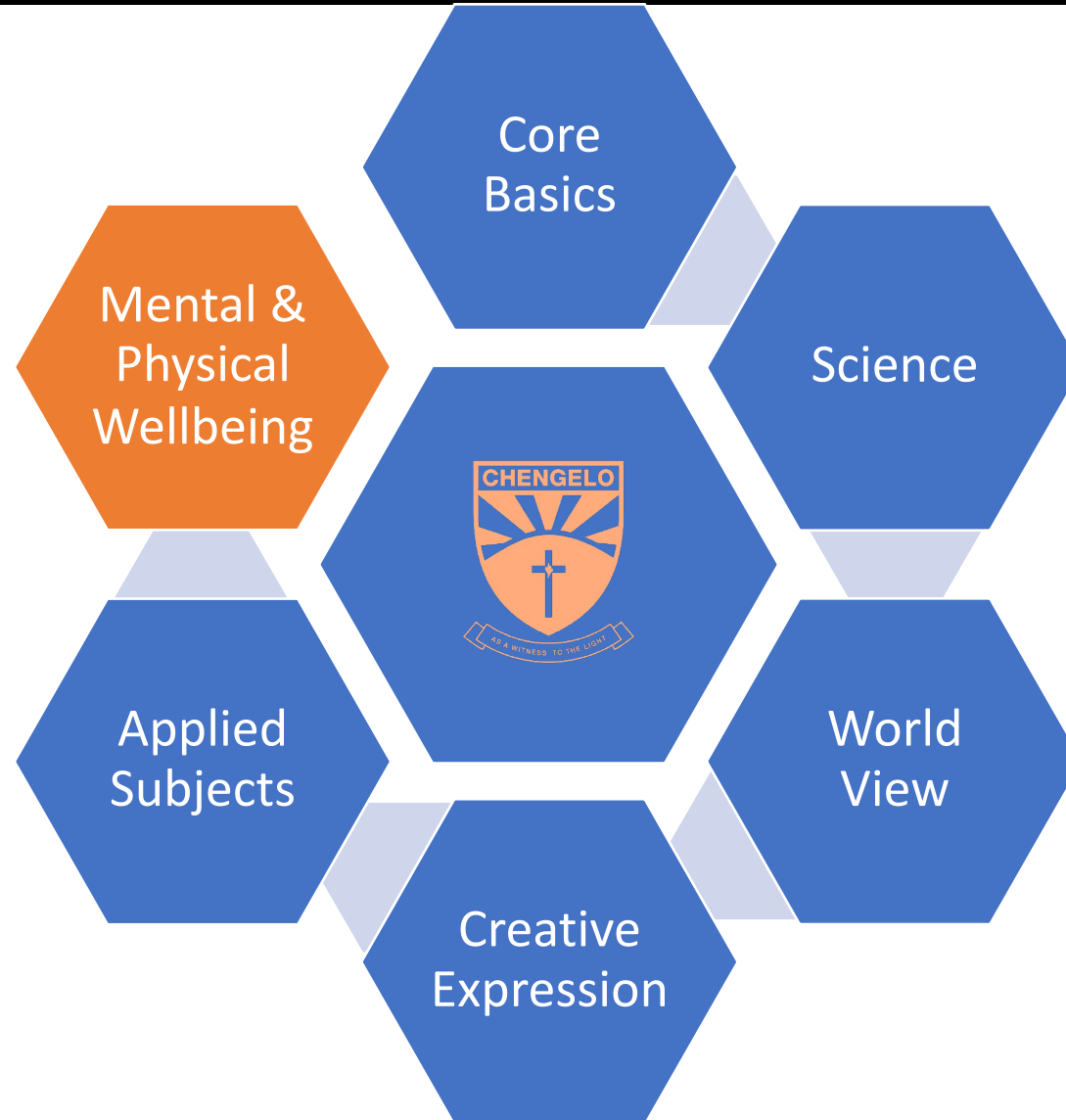




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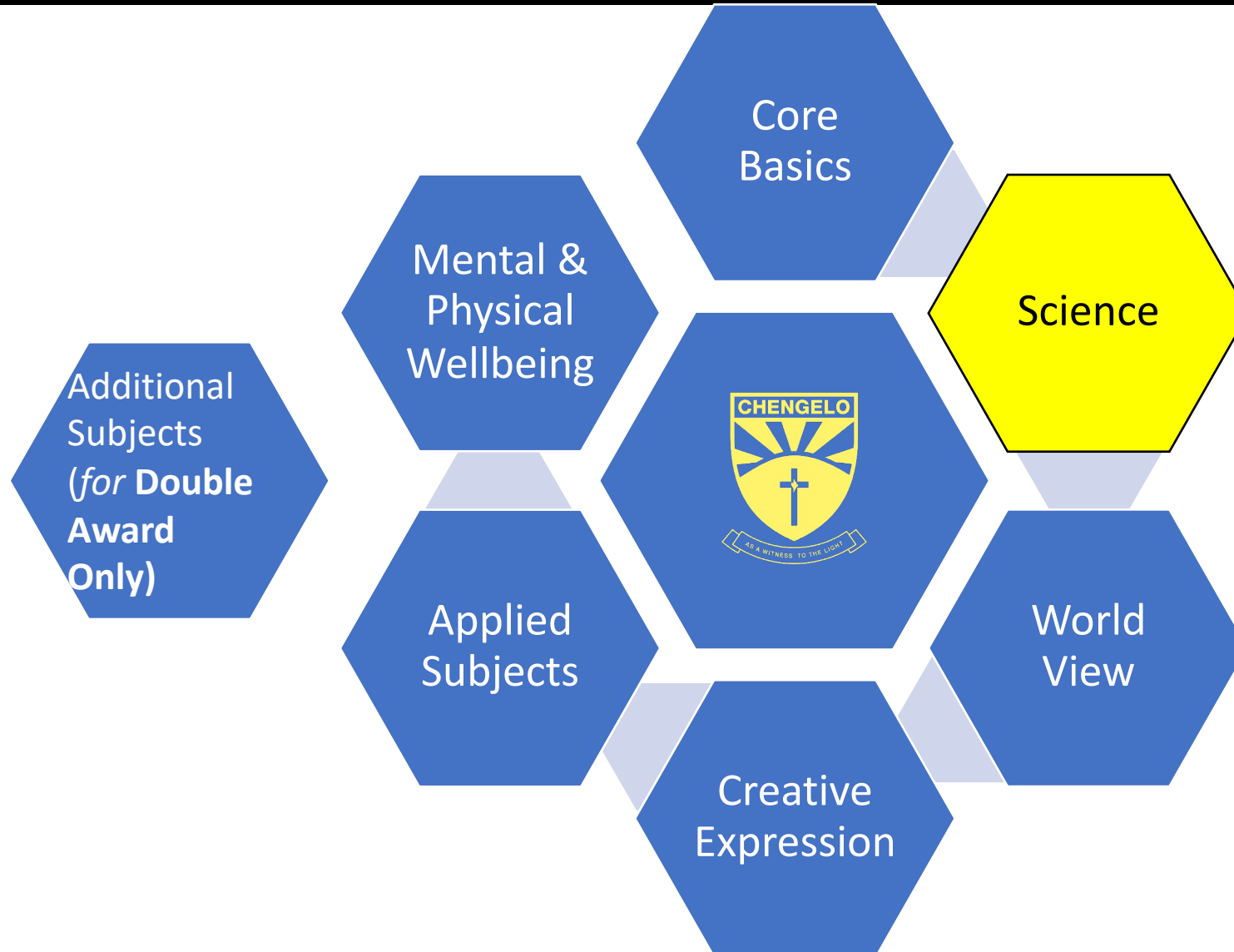
- PSME
- P.E. & Games

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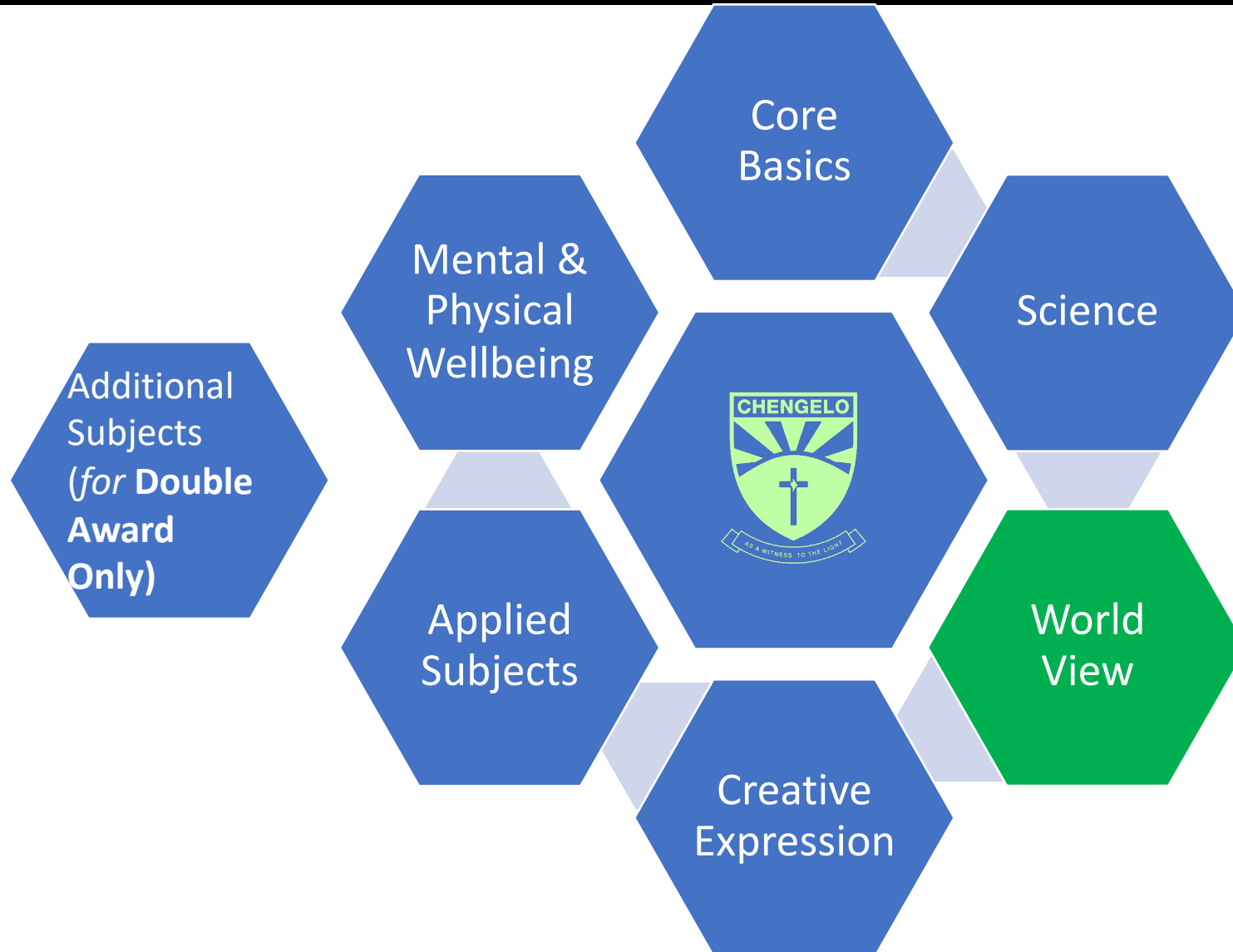
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- Triple Award
- Double Award



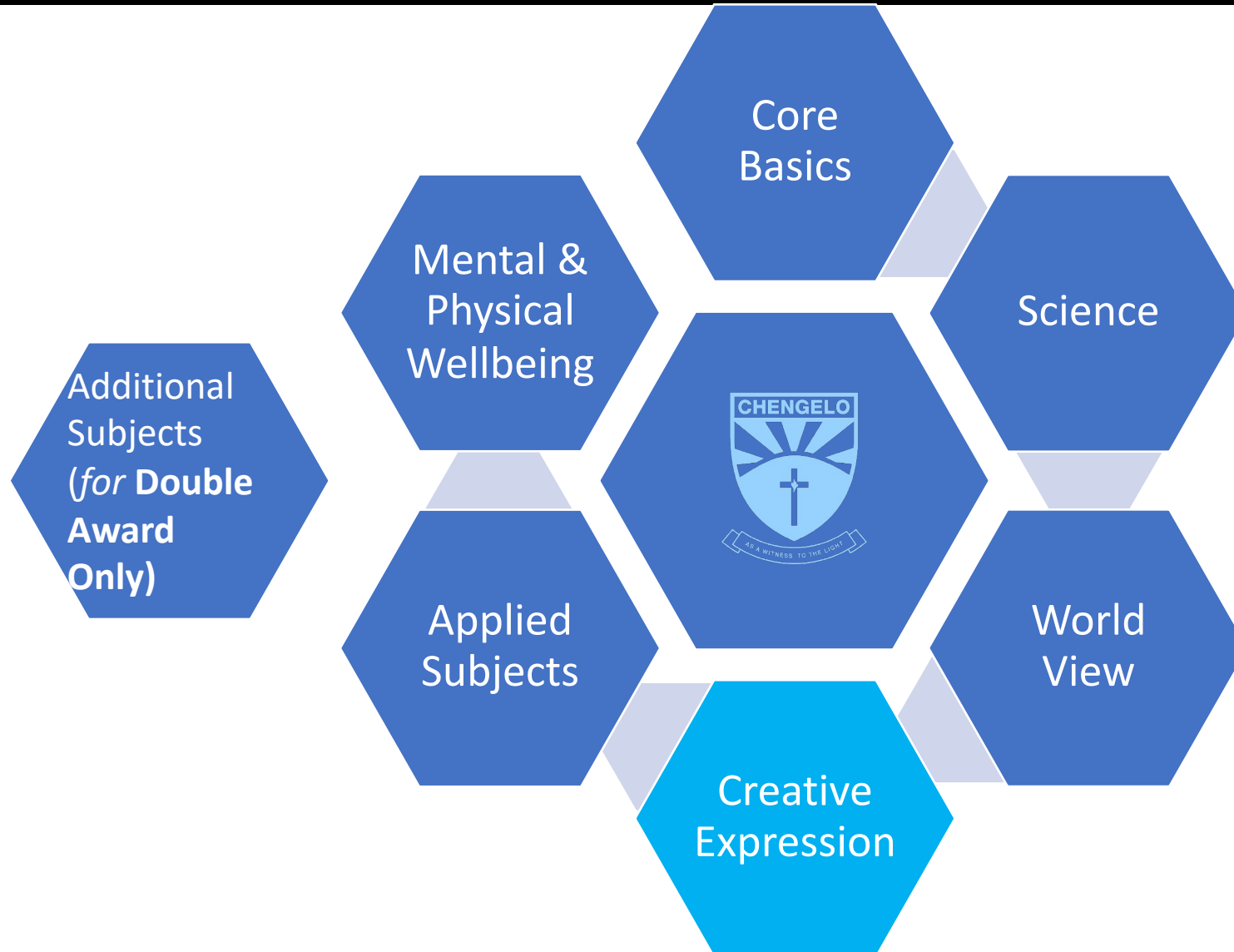
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- History
- Geography
- RST



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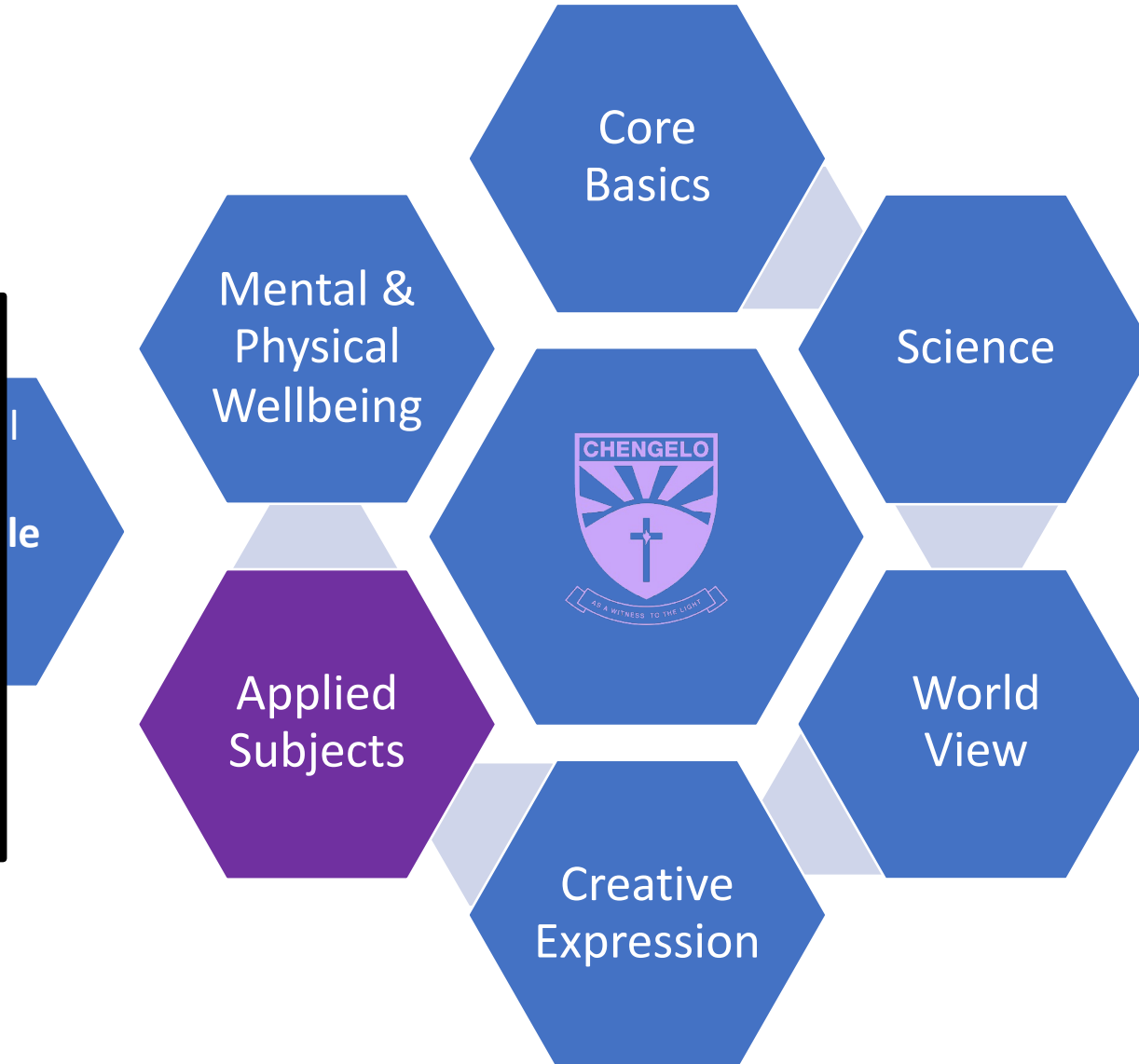


- Art
- D&T
- French
- Music



So...?

- Agriculture
- Business Studies
- Computer Science
- Economics





So...?

- Business Studies
- Design & Technology
- Physical Education

Additional
Subjects
(for **Double
Award
Only**)

Mental &
Physical
Wellbeing

Applied
Subjects

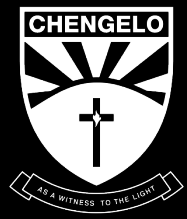
Core
Basics

Science

World
View

Creative
Expression





Since 2022!

Economics (0455)

Learn about:

- *The basic economic problem*
- *The allocation of resources*
- *Microeconomic decision makers*
- *Government and the macroeconomy*
- *Economic development*
- *International trade and globalisation*





So....?

- PSME
- P.E. & Games

- English Language
- English Literature
- Maths

- Triple Award
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Core Basics

Science

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- Geography
- RST

World View

- Art
- D&T
- French
- Music

Creative Expression

Applied Subjects

- Agriculture
- Business Studies
- Computer Science
- Economics

Mental & Physical Wellbeing

Additional Subjects
(for Double Award Only)

- Business Studies
- Design & Technology
- Physical Education



Forbidden combinations



Students **cannot** take the following combination:

Art & Design AND Design & Technology

Students are warned to **exercise caution** with selecting too many coursework-heavy subjects such as Design & Technology and Agriculture.

Be careful not to channel too early: e.g. triple science, geography, design and technology, computer science... unless there is a real passion for this area.



Know your child's preferred mode of working

Consider...



1. Is there a coursework component?

- Agriculture – 30%
- Design & Technology – 50%
- Art – 50%
- Music – 60%

2. How many exams are there?

3. Do they need competency in other subjects to do that subject?



Indicating choices

Science ✓		Developing World Views ✓		Creative Expression ✓		Applied Subjects ✓	
Triple Science		Geography		Art & Design		Agriculture	
Co-ordinated (Double)		History		Design & Technology		Business Studies	
		Religious Studies		French		Computer Science	
				Music		Economics	



Indicating choices

If Double Award Science is chosen, then **one more** subject can be selected from the following options:

Additional Subject	✓
Business Studies	
Design and Technology	
Physical Education	

Students **cannot** select the same subject twice. E.g. Choosing design and technology as a Creative subject and as an Additional subject.



What does your child want you to know?



Just because they couldn't do something when they were younger doesn't mean I want to do it...

Please can you ask them to listen to my choices?

Please can you ask them not to force me to do a subject because they think it will make a lot of money in the future?



Now what?



- Read the Options Booklet on the school website.
- Consider the videos made by former Form 5 students about their favourite options.
- Discuss the options with your child.
- Reflect on their strengths and weaknesses as evidenced by the grades from this year and before.
- If you have questions, contact Mr. Chivandikwa via email on chivandikwae@chengeloschool.org
OR Mr. Mbulo via email on mbulob@chengeloschool.org

DECISIONS DUE BY
Tuesday
4th July 2023



Essentials



- Options choices can only be submitted via the Google Form – not via email etc.
- Options choices can only be submitted **once**, and **cannot be edited after submitting**.
- The form is live at 16.00 on Saturday 24th June 2023
- If a subject proves popular, then places may be filled on a first come, first served basis.

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