



The Ripley Academy and Sixth Form

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Dear Parent / Carer

I hope you are all well and that your child is finding their online lessons useful.

As we head toward the six-week summer break I am very conscious of the fact that students have not met in their House groups since the middle of March. And so this week I will be delivering a series of online assemblies to each house group through Teams. These will run at 8.40 am on the following days:

Kinder: Tuesday 30th June

Monsal: Wednesday 1st July

Riber: Thursday 2nd July

Dove: Friday 3rd July

Students can access these assemblies by using the Microsoft Teams software that they have been using to attend their live lessons. Each student has been sent an invite using their school email and can accept the invite this way. Alternatively, students can go to the 'calendar' on Teams and click on the blue box titled 'assembly' at 8.40am and click 'join' to attend in this way. Having the camera on is not compulsory for students; their attendance is more important if they prefer just to watch and listen.

Please could I ask that you encourage your child to attend their assembly to listen to my important message about "Beliefs".

Many thanks for your continuing support with your child's education.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J de Rijk

Head of School

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