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Dear Parents and Carers

We are excited to announce that next week we will be running our annual activities week. Students in all year groups will experience a range of activities, from STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) day to sports day, and music therapy to film club; your child will have the opportunity to participate in lots of activities focusing on team building, community and fun! We also have several sessions led by external visitors, including the Army Outreach Team and the National Citizenship Service (NCS).

We understand that our Year 10 and Year 12 students are disappointed that they have not had an opportunity to take part in work experience this year and we have therefore designed a programme of activities with a focus on careers and future destinations. For Year 10 this will include a 'Sixth Form Taster Day' where our students will get to experience lessons in a range of the stimulating subjects offered at our wonderful Sixth Form.

As the number of Covid cases continues to increase in our local area, we will ensure that we continue to follow our strict Covid protocols throughout activities week, with students remaining in their bubbles when taking part in the activities. Safety is paramount and we continue to do our utmost maintain social distancing and reduce the risk of infection for our students, staff and the limited visitors we can invite on site.

Your child should wear their PE kit for their year group sports day as follows:

Year 7 – Tuesday

Year 8 – Monday

Year 9 – Wednesday

Year 10 – Monday

Year 12 – Wednesday

We look forward to working with our students to have a positive end to this challenging school year. Your support throughout the year has been very much appreciated and we are optimistic for 2021-2022. I will write again next week with details about our return to school in September.

Kind regards

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Mrs Ritchie

Acting Head of School





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