



Monday, 13th April 2026

Dear Parents,

Start of Summer Term 2026

Welcome back to Ripley Court for the Summer Term. I hope you had an enjoyable Easter holiday with family and friends. We are very much looking forward to welcoming your children back tomorrow, Tuesday 14th April, in their summer uniform. The Summer Term is jam-packed with a wonderful array of activities, opportunities and challenges for all pupils, and we cannot wait to get started! I am looking forward to seeing you at the gate tomorrow!

Please check school bags for our Summer Term calendar which will come home tomorrow. All dates and events also appear on our school website under [termly calendars](#). All letters sent can also be accessed via our website under "[Letters Home](#)". As you will see there are loads of opportunities to come together as a community and while we appreciate it is not always straightforward for some parents to take time off work we hope that early warning will allow as many of you to attend the majority of events.

As it is the Summer Term, we ask you to say goodbye to your child/ren at the gate (from Year 1 upwards) as we know how valuable it is for pupils to have this level of independence. There may be exceptions to this when you need to have a quick chat with a member of staff etc. but for the most part, we would ask for your support with this.

I am pleased to announce that Mrs Amanda Hauxwell has joined our team as an Admissions Assistant four days a week. Amanda comes with lots of school experience, both in the classroom and in marketing, and we look forward to her support in this increasingly busy department.

Breakfast Club, Après School and Prep all resume tomorrow. For Breakfast Club, this service is from 7.30 until 8am and to ensure that your child is always supervised please bring them into the dining room so that staff can correctly acknowledge their arrival. Unsupervised pupils in the playground areas may be escorted to Breakfast Club.

There will be no extra-curricular activities the first week, bar M-Tech and Judo. For any club enquiries or support, please email: clubs@ripleycourt.co.uk

I wish you an enjoyable term, and I look forward to seeing you around our school at the many events on offer.

Kind regards,

Mr Gavin Ryan
Headmaster