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To all parents and carers at   
Ebor Academy Trust schools

Dear Parent/Carer

We have been made aware that at some of our schools, a mixture of children – some of which have been attending school, some have been taking part in remote learning at home – have been seen playing out together, outside of school hours.

It is not for us to police such activity but can we respectfully remind parents and carers that the purpose of the national lockdown is to prevent the NHS from being overwhelmed as Covid-19 cases continue to rise and impact capacity at hospitals across the country. There is already serious concern over the very high numbers of new cases and the Chief Medical Officer has warned of “avoidable deaths” once hospitals cannot cope.

It is everyone’s duty to play their part and not mix unnecessarily. This is a critical point in the pandemic and we can all help, in our own way, to bring it to an end sooner if we continue to comply with government instruction.

Yours faithfully



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