

12 September 2022

To parents and carers of children at all schools within Ebor Academy Trust

## Dear Parent/Carer

Following approval from King Charles III and in recognition of the State Funeral of The Queen, Monday 19 September has been declared a bank holiday.

As advised by the Department for Education all schools will be closed, therefore please do not send your child to school that day.

In the meantime, normal attendance at school during this, the period of National Mourning, is expected. The mourning period will end after the State Funeral.

We pay tribute to The Queen's remarkable seven decades of selfless service and devotion.

We are aware, however, that bereavement can be unsettling. Please let us know if there is any way you feel we might be able to alleviate any concerns.

Yours faithfully

G. Brown

Mrs Gail Brown
Chief Executive and Executive Headteacher