

7<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Dear Year 7 Parents and Carers,

Stanborough School has teamed up with TedEd to offer your child/ward the opportunity to take part in a fantastic weekly, Friday lunchtime Student Talks programme running throughout this summer term.

You may be aware that TED is an online platform dedicated to researching and sharing knowledge through short talks and presentations. TED-Ed serves the education community and its Student Talks global programme provides students with the opportunity to identify, develop and share their ideas and ultimately present a short, TED-style talk, which is recorded (subject to parental permission) and sent on to the TED-Ed platform for potential upload for the whole world to hear!

This is a superb opportunity to develop you child's speaking and presentational skills - so important in later life for future interviews and college/university applications - and to also engage in challenging, enjoyable subject matter within a positive, team-focused environment. There will be the opportunity to receive silver literacy awards for each weekly attendance together with a TED-Ed Certificate at the end of the course.

If your child would like to join this course, scheduled to start on Friday 10th May and continue throughout the summer term at lunchtime in G6 with Miss Davies, please could you ask your child to chat with/email Miss Davies in the first instance. In terms of lunch, students may bring food from the dining hall (next door to G6) or a packed lunch.

For more information about TED-Ed, please follow this link: <a href="https://ed.ted.com/">https://ed.ted.com/</a>

I look forward to hearing from your child!

Kindest regards

Miss Davies Literacy Co-ordinator





