Dear all,

I hope you are all looking forward to starting in Oxford after the summer. I am very much looking forward to meeting all of you here in Oxford after the summer.

To get you started, we will ask you to do some preparatory mathematics assignments and some preliminary reading over the summer. The exercises from the mathematical workbook are particularly important: being able to use algebra and formulas is crucial for the Economics courses within PPE.

The readings are meant to get you started thinking about economics. The books give you a more “popular” introduction on what economics is about. Most of these books are quite accessible and less dry than most textbooks. They make good readings on a lazy Sunday afternoon.

Please bring both assignments with you and hand it in to the porters at the Lodge when you arrive. The work should be addressed to Willemien Kets. (Mark it “FAO Willemien Kets” and don’t forget to mention your own name!)

Please don’t hesitate to get in touch with me if you have any questions. For now, have a good and enjoyable break!

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