Friday 9th October 2026

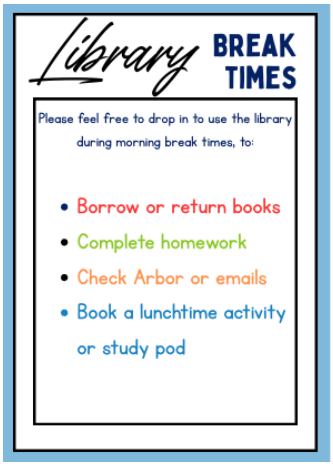
Attendance Statistics

Whole school attendance target: 95%
Whole school attendance this year to-date: 92.77%
Whole school attendance last week: 91.30%

Year group with highest attendance last week: Congratulations to Year 12 with 96.44%. Well done Year 12!
Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week

Changes to Library Lunchtime Activities

As we are seeing an increase in the numbers of students wishing to complete homework tasks in the Library, we have made the decision to open the library at lunchtimes on a Tuesday and Friday for homework only. A reminder that students need to sign up should they wish to attend the Library for any of our lunchtime clubs.





PE Kit for the Colder Months



As we approach the autumn and winter months and the weather is turning cooler, students need to be bringing additional layers to keep warm in PE.

Permitted clothing:
Montsaye branded or plain black quarter zip sports top or fleece
Compulsory Montsaye branded PE top (Year 7 to Year 11)
Base layers (skins/lycra) to wear underneath a PE top
Plain black leggings rather than shorts (thermal ones are suitable for extra warmth)
Plain black jogging bottoms/tracksuit bottoms to wear over shorts/leggings
If relevant/safe for the activity, suitable gloves
A plain black waterproof raincoat without a hood. Ask if unsure, eg, Nike Park 20 Rain Jacket/ Nike Repel Jacket/Kitlocker

Not Permitted
Casual winter coats
Clothing with a hood (students are not permitted to wear a hoodie and tuck the hood in
School trousers

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Monday 12th October: Year 9 Boys National Cup Fixture 1.30pm to 5.30pm.
Tuesday 13th October: Life skills cooking session, students involved will be notified.
Wednesday 21st October: Year 13 Chemistry Ecton Milne Trip.
Thursday 22nd October: Year 11 Dance Practical 8.30am to 3.00pm.
Friday 23rd October:

- Year 11 Drama Practical Exam C2.
- Academy closes at 3.00pm for the October half term break.

Monday 2nd November: School reopens at 8.30am following the October half term break.
Friday 6th November: Years 7 to 11 Flu Immunisation.

Top 10 Pledge Points This Week



Top 10 Pledge Point Earners This Week

Student Name	Year Group	Pledge Point Total
Lyla G	7	40
Daniel B	11	39
Olivia B	7	36
Callie L	9	34
Pippa M	11	34
Edith T	9	33
Biatris V	7	32
Charlie B	7	31
Kaylan C	11	30
Oscar L-O	7	30



Safeguarding

Safeguarding our students is always our priority. If you have any safeguarding concerns, regarding any of our children, please contact us in confidence via safeguarding@montsaye.org. The safeguarding team consists of Mr Haig (Senior Assistant Principal and Designated Safeguarding Lead), Mrs Long and Mrs Wood (Deputy Safeguarding Leads) and Miss Monk, Mrs Bridgeman, Miss Douglas and Miss Alderman (Student Welfare Officers).

Social Media

Make sure that you like and follow us on Facebook and Instagram:
Facebook page: Montsaye Academy
Instagram: montsaye.academy