

**Friday 20th March 2026**

**Attendance Statistics**

**Whole school attendance target: 95%**  
**Whole school attendance this year to-date: 90.37%**  
**Whole school attendance last week: 90.56%**

Year group with highest attendance last week Congratulations to Year 13 with 98.68%  
 Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week

**Culture Day Friday 27th March 2026**

As part of our upcoming Culture Day on Friday 27th March, the Student Council would like to invite parents and families to contribute to the event. Our students recognise that an important part of Montsaye’s culture is the rich diversity of the parents, carers, and families who make up our community.

They welcome you to share photos or information about your cultural heritage that you would be happy for us to include in the students’ Cultural Gallery. This display will celebrate the many backgrounds and traditions that shape our school community. We will share a digital gallery to all families too on the day to join us in this celebration.

If you would like to contribute, please send any entries to: [charactercaught@montsaye.org](mailto:charactercaught@montsaye.org)


**Is your child interested in acting? Would they like to join our Stage School?**

Following on from our very successful musical production of ‘We Will Rock You’, after Easter our Stage School will begin working on their next performance event.

Stage School takes place every Friday after school from 3.00pm to 4.00pm. If your child is interested, ask them to speak with either Mrs Childs or Mrs Thomas for further information.

**Launching Soon in Assemblies...Remind your child to keep earning those Pledge Points**

Bronze – 300 pts	Silver – 600pts	Gold - 900pts	WAM 1200 pts
Pin in assembly	Pin in assembly	Pin in assembly	Pin in Pledges Ceremony
Director Letter	AAP Letter	VP Letter	Head presentation with letter
Certificate in rewards assembly	Certificate in rewards assembly	Certificate in rewards assembly. Invite to rewards event.	Certificate – invite letter from Head to attend Pledge Awards Evening WAM pin give guaranteed entry/ front row seating to WOW events



**Thriving In Life Drop In - Every Wednesday Lunchtime in H8**





## Thriving in Life Drop In

**No appointment needed.**  
**Just come and chat to us about anything that's on your mind!**

**Wednesday lunchtimes.**  
Room H0.08.

 **Healthy Relationships**  
Family issues, sexual health, contraception

 **Healthy Choices**  
Sleep, food/diet, vaping, puberty, continence

 **Feelings & Stress**  
Anxiety, low mood, school worries, bullying

 **Future & Growing Up**  
Education & work options, finance, living independently

 **Safe Support**  
Confidential and judgement free

**FIND OUT MORE!**



### Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

**Tuesday 24th March:** Bee Box Building 3.00pm to 4.00pm.

**Wednesday 25th March:** Year 9 Subject Preference Evening 4.00pm to 7.00pm.

**Friday 27th March:**

- Cluster Culture Day.
- School closes at 3.00pm for the two week Easter holiday.

**Monday 13th April:** Staff Training Day, school closed to all students.

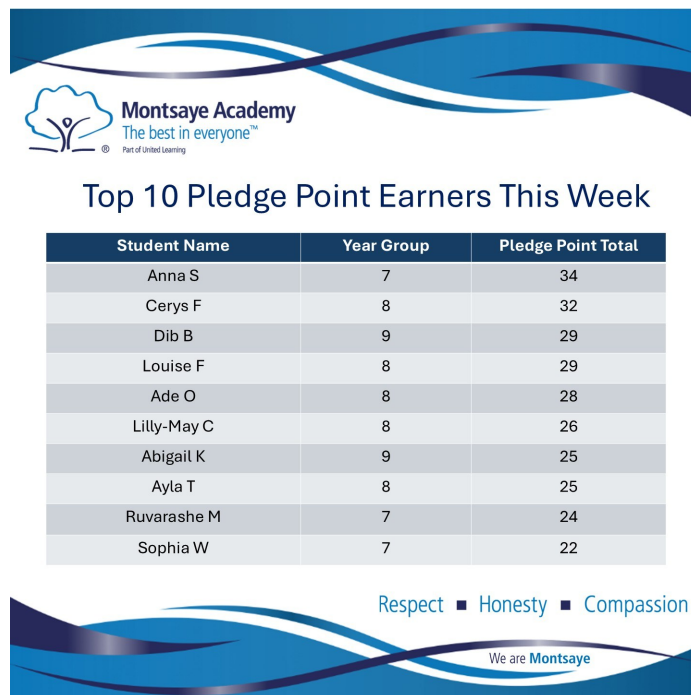
**Tuesday 14th April:** School reopens to all students at 8.30am.

**Wednesday 15th April:** Year 10 Raising Achievement Visit from Dr Van Der Spoel.

**Thursday 16th April:** Year 11 Parents' Support Evening 4.00pm to 7.00pm.

**Friday 17th April:** Year 12 Visit to the University and Apprenticeship Search Fair at the University of Derby.

### Top 10 Pledge Points This Week



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### Top 10 Pledge Point Earners This Week

Student Name	Year Group	Pledge Point Total
Anna S	7	34
Cerys F	8	32
Dib B	9	29
Louise F	8	29
Ade O	8	28
Lilly-May C	8	26
Abigail K	9	25
Ayla T	8	25
Ruvarashe M	7	24
Sophia W	7	22

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### 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](mailto:safeguarding@montsaye.org). The safeguarding team consists of Ms Anita Walker (Vice Principal and Designated Safeguarding Lead), Mr Haig (Assistant Principal and Deputy Safeguarding Lead), Mrs Long and Mrs Wood (Deputy Safeguarding Leads) and Miss Monk, Mrs Bridgeman, Miss Douglas, Mrs Alderman, and Mrs Mills (Student Welfare Officers).

### Social Media

Make sure that you like and follow us on Facebook, X (formerly Twitter) and Instagram:

**Facebook page: Montsaye Academy**

**X (formerly Twitter) feeds: @Montsaye**

**Instagram: montsaye.academy**