



**Friday 23rd January 2026**

**Attendance Statistics**

**Whole school attendance target: 95%**

**Whole school attendance this year to-date: 91.17%**

**Whole school attendance last week: 91.04%**

Year group with highest attendance last week: Congratulations to Year 13 with 98.57%

Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week

**Thriving in Life 11-19 Service**

The poster for the Thriving in Life 11-19 Service is divided into two main sections. The left section, titled 'Thriving in Life 11-19 Service' with the tagline 'Drop in and talk to us about whatever's on your mind, like:', lists four areas of support: Emotional health (anxiety, depression, self-harm, stress, school worries, bullying), Healthy relationships (family issues, sexual health, contraception), Reducing risk-taking behaviour and making healthy choices (sleep, food/diet, vaping, puberty, continence), and Transition to adulthood (education, work options, finance, living independently). It provides contact details for the Youth Support Worker: Date: Wednesday, Time: Lunchtime, Location: H8. It also includes a QR code and a text chat number: 07507 329 600, available Monday to Friday 9am to 4pm. The right section, titled 'Need some support?', states that students can drop in and chat with the Youth Support Worker without an appointment, and that if the service can't help, they will be able to find out who can and help you access that support. Logos for Thriving in Life, REACH, and Northamptonshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust are at the top.

**Careers Information**

**Year 10**

With the launch of Work Discovery Week last Friday, Year 10 students should have all received an email from 'Unifrog', please make sure that your child uses the link to sign into their account. They will need to do this to complete their work experience application. If your child needs any support with logging on or advice on Work Experience, please ask them to contact our Careers Advisor, Mrs Knight on [kknight@montsaye.org](mailto:kknight@montsaye.org).

**Year 11**

Please remind your child to submit their application forms for Sixth Form and/or College, it is not a good idea for them to wait until the summer to do this.

Careers interviews are still taking place and Mrs Knight is working hard on completing these for the whole year group.

**Careers Drop In Sessions for all Year Groups**

**Every Tuesday and Thursday in the Library @ Break Time**



### Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

**Monday 26th January:** Young Leader Event KS2 Archery.

**Tuesday 3rd February:** Year 11 Trip to Macbeth in Birmingham with Mrs Briffa @ 5.00pm.

**Wednesday 4th February:** Sixth Form design students Mini Car factory visit.

**Thursday 5th February:** Library visit to Waterstones, Market Harborough with Mrs Palmer.

**Monday 9th February:** Young Leader Event KS2 Dodgeball.

**Wednesday 11th February:** Life Skills cooking session.

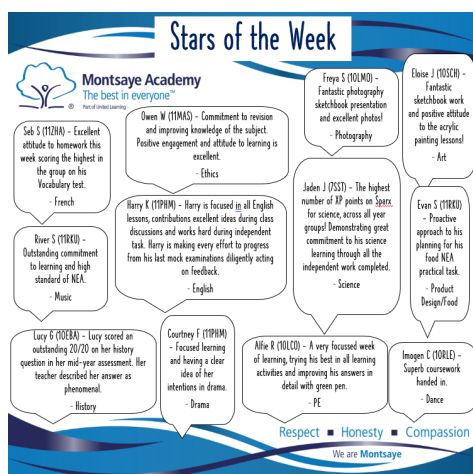
**Thursday 12th February:**

- Year 9 Parents' Evening.
- Year 10 Geography fieldwork trip to Birmingham.

**Friday 13th February:**

- Ski Trip Leaves.
- School closes at 3.00pm for February half term break.

### Celebrating our Student Stars of the Week



**Stars of the Week**

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**Sab S (Y12BN)** - Excellent attitude to homework this week scoring the highest in the group on his Vocabulary test.  
- French

**Owen W (Y11AS)** - Commitment to revision and improving knowledge of the subject. Positive engagement and attitude to learning is excellent.  
- Ethics

**Freya S (Y10MO)** - Fantastic photography sketchbook presentation and excellent photos!  
- Photography

**Elise J (Y10SCN)** - Fantastic sketchbook work and positive attitude to the acrylic painting lesson!  
- Art

**River S (Y10KCO)** - Outstanding commitment to learning and high standard of NEA.  
- Music

**Harry K (Y10PM)** - Harry is focused in all English lessons, contributions excellent ideas during class discussions and works hard during independent task. Harry is making every effort to progress from his last most examinations diligently acting on feedback.  
- English

**Jaden J (Y10ST)** - The highest number of XP points on Sparta for science across all year groups! Demonstrating great commitment to his science learning through all the independent work completed.  
- Science

**Evan S (Y10KCO)** - Proactive approach to his planning for his first NEA practical task.  
- Product Design/food

**Lucy G (Y10BN)** - Lucy scored an outstanding 20/20 on her history question in her mid-year assessment. Her teacher described her answer as phenomenal.  
- History

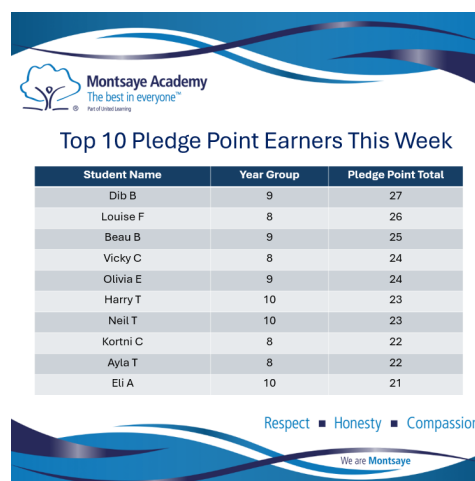
**Courtney F (Y10PM)** - Focused learning and having a clear idea of her intentions in drama.  
- Drama

**Allie R (Y10LCO)** - A very focussed week of learning, trying his best in all learning activities and improving his answers in detail with green pen.  
- PE

**Imogen E (Y10LE)** - Superb coursework handed in.  
- Dance

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### Top 10 Pledge Points This Week



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**Top 10 Pledge Point Earners This Week**

Student Name	Year Group	Pledge Point Total
Dib B	9	27
Louise F	8	26
Beau B	9	25
Vicky C	8	24
Olivia E	9	24
Harry T	10	23
Neil T	10	23
Kortni C	8	22
Ayle T	8	22
Eli A	10	21

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### Safeguarding—Notice to Parents

If you are collecting your child/children from school at the end of the day, please kindly collect them from the front of school. Parents and visitors are not permitted on school site until 3.45pm unless they have a pre-arranged meeting. Thank you for your co-operation.

### Northampton Children's Trust

Please see useful information letter from Northamptonshire Children's Trust [HERE](#).

### 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**

