

Friday 9th January 2026

Attendance Statistics

Whole school attendance target: 95%

Whole school attendance this year to-date: 91.05%

Whole school attendance last week of last term: 89.08%

Year group with highest attendance last week of last term: Congratulations to Year 12 with 96.77%
 Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week

Invitation...

We would like to invite you to our Attendance Clinic to discuss any attendance concerns you may have. You will be able to meet with Mrs Walker, our Attendance Officer and Mrs Denton, our Family Support Worker. The clinic will be a supportive meeting to identify the reasons for your child's absence, and to put in place a plan to find a pathway for your son/daughter to follow; for example, if your child is struggling to come to school due to ongoing mental health concerns, financial matters, medical appointments etc.

If you are interested in booking a place at one of our Attendance Clinics or would just like an informal discussion with one of our members of staff, please email: RWalker@montsaye.org or MDenton@montsaye.org.

Message to Parents/Carers regarding PE Kit during the Winter Period



Please ensure that your child arrives to their PE lesson with appropriate clothing for the cold weather as PE lessons continue to place outside.

Students may wear as many layers as they wish, including gloves and a hat if needed, as long as the top layer is plain black with no hood. Students may also wear a waterproof coat if it is plain black and does not have a hood. Students may not wear a traditional winter coat as we cannot be held accountable for the coat getting damaged and/or the student getting injured.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

We encourage our students to take part in as many extra-curricular clubs as possible, at least one per week. There are a wide range of activities on offer including sport and PE based ones.

If your child is interested in attending any of our clubs, please ask them to talk with their form tutor who will be able to direct them to the appropriate member of staff.

Extra Curricular PE January 7 th – February 13 th Afterschool clubs 3pm – 4pm.				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
All year groups Dodgeball Club (Sports hall) Mr Garner	Year 10/11 Basketball club Mr Wing	All year groups Netball Sports hall Mrs Hodges and Miss Lauder	All year groups Badminton (Sports hall) Mr Wing	Year 8 Football club Astro Mr Levett
All year groups Montsaye Dance Company Mrs George (must attend to be part of the touring company)	Year 10 and 11 Fitness club Fitness suite Miss Lauder	Year 7, 8 and 9 Fitness club Fitness suite Mr Jordan	Year 9 football training Astro Mr Jordan	Year 7 Swimming (must be able to swim 20m unassisted)
KS4 exam course intervention (fortnightly)	Year 8 basketball matches			

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Monday 12th January: Mid Year Assessments for Years 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12 (until Friday 25th January).

Tuesday 13th January: Northants Police Event. Students involved will be notified.

Thursday 15th January: Year 11 Parents' Evening 4.00pm to 7.00pm.

Friday 16th January: Year 10 Character Day.

Monday 19th January: Young Leader KS2 Dodgeball Event.

Tuesday 20th January: Raising Achievement - Dr Van Der Spoel visit. Students involved will be notified.

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 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).

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X (formerly Twitter) feeds: @Montsaye

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