

12 June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this message finds you well. It has been another positive and purposeful week at Montsaye, with much to celebrate across the school community.

On Tuesday, we saw the welcome return of the Proud Table at lunchtime. It was a real pleasure to spend time with students as they proudly shared work they felt particularly successful in. The quality of work on display was excellent, and the pride, confidence and enthusiasm shown by our students was a real credit to both them and their teachers.

On Wednesday, our Year 11 students began their study leave following a busy and demanding exam period. It has been great to see them arriving from as early as 7am for their ‘heads up’ sessions, I would like to commend them for the maturity, resilience and determination they have shown throughout the past few weeks. They will complete their final exam on Monday, after which they will move into a well-earned extended summer break. We wish them every success and look forward to celebrating their achievements in due course.

We are also incredibly proud of six of our students – Ayla, Sophie, Libby, Daisy, Milly and Olivia, who represented Montsaye at the Northamptonshire County Schools Challenge semi-finals. Following their impressive presentation about ideas to tackle anti-social behaviours in communities, they have been selected as finalists, placing them among just eight schools across the entire county. This is a fantastic achievement, and we wish them the very best of luck as they prepare for the final.

Following a recent visit by the Wildlife Trust to our biodiversity space, we were delighted to receive the comment that *“this is the best wildlife area seen in a secondary school.”* This is a fantastic endorsement of the work that has gone into developing this provision. My sincere thanks go to Mrs Moffett and to all of the students who have contributed their time, effort and care to creating such a valuable and inspiring environment for our school community.

Our top pledge point earners this week were:

Year	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	1 <sup>st</sup> place	Average points
7	Emily E – 20	Elliot B – 21	Lexie O – 22	7 points
8	Thalia H – 23	Cerys F – 24	Ade O – 27	7 points
9	Abigail K – 24	Olivia E – 25	Dib B – 26	7 points
10	Harry T – 19	Poppy L – 19	Millie E – 19	7 points



Our top attending tutor groups this week were:

1<sup>st</sup> place – 8KLA – 97.5%

2<sup>nd</sup> place – 8TRC – 97.04%

3<sup>rd</sup> place – 12JAD – 96.84%

Looking ahead, next week marks *Thank a Teacher Day*. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to show their appreciation to staff who have supported, guided and inspired them. Students can send a personalised e-card using the following link:

[Send a "Thank You" card to an amazing teacher today!](#)

If students are unsure of a teacher's email address, they can simply send their message to [charactercaught@montsaye.org](mailto:charactercaught@montsaye.org) and we will ensure it is forwarded on.

As always, thank you for your continued support. It is through our shared commitment that we are able to provide such a positive and enriching experience for all of our students.

Parents, carers, staff, students, governors – We Are Montsaye.

Best wishes,

Mr Baria  
Interim Principal