

24 February 2025

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Another great term for Character at Montsaye with many students taking up the opportunity to engage with our extra-curricular provision and community projects, such as our Reboot Campaign and Community Action Project. A highlight being 27 students volunteering to show respect to our local community by participating in our litter pick on Greening Road. Other great examples of character are the incredible number of students that have shared their achievements through character caught; our Year 10 students' engagement in their Character Development Day on Tuesday; and the professionalism from Law club as they welcomed several guest speakers.

As we look ahead to next term, we have lots more exciting opportunities planned for the students, including, the Year 9 Character Development Day and Duke of Edinburgh. Our student council and student leadership team have lots of community projects which they are excited to present to the senior leadership team in the new term. As well as our Anti-bullying Ambassadors which have started to create their anti-bullying campaign in line with Pledge 3: 'we are a telling school, so we are never a bystander'.

Next term students will continue their weekly character development lessons and will be studying the topics outlined in the table below. If you have any questions about the topics being studied next term, please contact your child's progress leader in the first instance.

Year 7	mhorne@montsaye.org	Body awareness through puberty. Introduction to periods/ period positivity. Sex and relationships. Privacy and consent
Year 8	nedney@montsaye.org	Finish the wellbeing unit: which includes, Physical and mental wellbeing, alcohol and drug misuse.
Year 9	Jsiddons@montsaye.org	Body awareness. Period Poverty. Developing sexual readiness. Contraception. Consent.
Year 10	jcooper@montsaye.org	Finish the wellbeing unit: which includes, alcohol and drug misuse. Making decisions about sex. Foetal development and pregnancy.
Year 11	jdroberts@montsaye.org	Sexual Health Unit.

Thank you for your continued support with our Character programme.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Geroge, Director of Character.



Yours faithfully

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