Friday 7th February 2025

Attendance Statistics Whole school attendance target: 95% Whole school attendance this year to-date: 90.22% Whole school attendance last week: 89.66%

Year group with highest attendance last week: Congratulations to Year 7 with 93.23%. Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week.

Invitation...

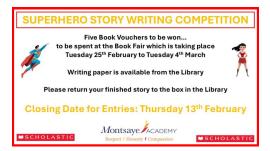
We would like to invite you to our Attendance Clinic to discuss any attendance concerns you may have. You will be able to meet with Mrs Walker, our Attendance Officer and Mrs Denton, our Family Support Worker.

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, please email: <u>RWalker@montsaye.org</u> or <u>MDenton@montsaye.org</u>.

Library News Coming soon...Scholastic Book Fair and Story Writing Competition



We are delighted to announce that will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair in our Library after half term. Taking place from Tuesday 25th February to Tuesday 4th March, students will be invited to visit the library at selected times during the school week.



Please remind your child that if they intend to used our Library at break time or lunch time, they need to sign up with Mrs Palmer, our Librarian. This is a very popular space and places fill up fast. If your child has urgent homework tasks to do, they are welcome to use the Library after school until 4.00pm on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays and until 3.30pm on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Montsaye Community Sports Centre February Half Term Gym Opening Times





Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Thursday 13th February:

- Year 9 Parents' Evening.
- School closes at 3.00pm for the February half term holiday.

Friday 14th February:

- Staff Training Day, school closed to students.
- Football Tour to Dortmund, Germany (until 17th February)
- Monday 24th February: School reopens at 8.30am following the half term holiday.

Tuesday 25th February: Scholastic Book Fair in the LRC.

Thursday 27th February: Year 12 and Year 13 Parents' Evening.

Celebrating our Student Stars of the Week



Top 10 Praise Points This Week

Student Name	Year Group	Praise Points
Cerys F	7	46
Frankie-Jay C	8	43
Jacob M	7	33
Tommie B	8	31
Demi W	8	29
Eva S	7	23
Oliver H	9	22
Lottie P	9	22
Louise F	7	21
Hannah M	7	21

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 <u>safeguarding@montsaye.pfschools.org.uk</u>. The safeguarding team consists of Mr Haig (Assistant Principal and Designated Safeguarding Lead), Mrs Long and Mrs Wood (Deputy Safeguarding Leads) and Mrs Helliwell, Miss Douglas, Miss Beaton, Mrs Thomas and Mrs Heighton (Student Welfare Officers).

Social Media

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X (formerly Twitter) feeds: @Montsaye

Instagram: montsaye.academy





