Montsaye Academy
Parent Bulletin

Friday 22nd March 2024

Attendance Statistics

Whole school attendance target: 95%
Whole school attendance this year to-date: 86.85%
Whole school attendance last week: 85.59%

Year group with highest attendance last week: Congratulations to Year 7 with 88.24%
Students with 100% attendance, zero late marks and zero behaviour points will receive a Golden Ticket each week

Staff Training Day

Please be aware that there will be a staff training day immediately following the Easter holiday, on Monday 15th April. The academy will reopen to all students on Tuesday 16th April at 8.30am.

Year 11 Maths and English Revision Boost Workshop - 10th and 11th April

Working in collaboration with Aspire Higher at the University of Northampton, we are pleased to be able to offer our Year 11 students a free, two day workshop focussing on revision tips and techniques etc. Fully funded transport will be provided to and from the university each day. Please follow this link: Revision Workshop which will take you to a letter on our website where you will find full details. The deadline for booking a place on the workshop is 7.00pm on Wednesday 27th March.

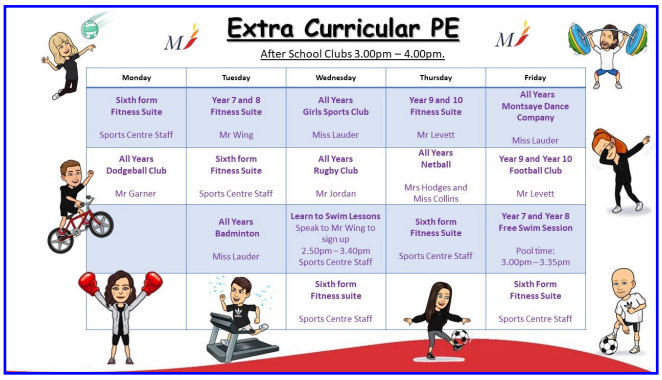
Golden Tickets - Big Prize Draw

The big Golden Ticket prize draw for this half term will take place towards the end of next week. Please encourage your child to continue to earn these much coveted tickets and remind them to place them in the ticket box near our main reception.

The main prizes this half term are a bike, a TV and GHD hair straighteners. Additional smaller prizes are also on offer; the more tickets your child has in the box, the better the chance they have of winning...

Extra-Curricular Activities at Montsaye - Get Involved

We offer a wide range of Extra-Curricular Activities here at Montsaye Academy and are pleased to share our PE offering with you.



Extra Curricular PE

After School Clubs 3.00pm – 4.00pm.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sixth form Fitness Suite Sports Centre Staff	Year 7 and 8 Fitness Suite Mr Wing	All Years Girls Sports Club Miss Lauder	Year 9 and 10 Fitness Suite Mr Levett	All Years Montsaye Dance Company Miss Lauder
All Years Dodgeball Club Mr Garner	Sixth form Fitness Suite Sports Centre Staff	All Years Rugby Club Mr Jordan	All Years Netball Mrs Hodges and Miss Collins	Year 9 and Year 10 Football Club Mr Levett
	All Years Badminton Miss Lauder	Learn to Swim Lessons Speak to Mr Wing to sign up 2.50pm – 3.40pm Sports Centre Staff	Sixth form Fitness Suite Sports Centre Staff	Year 7 and Year 8 Free Swim Session Pool time: 3.00pm – 3.35pm
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The weekly form time slides which are shared with our students include the complete range of clubs which are on offer, both at lunchtime and after school. From our popular arts and crafts club on a Monday after school to a Tuesday lunchtime Maths Surgery where students can get homework help or simply ask a maths question which they are struggling with. There is a weekly book club which takes place every Friday lunchtime in the Library and numerous Computer Science Clubs taking place on a Tuesday and Thursday lunchtime; there is something for everyone.

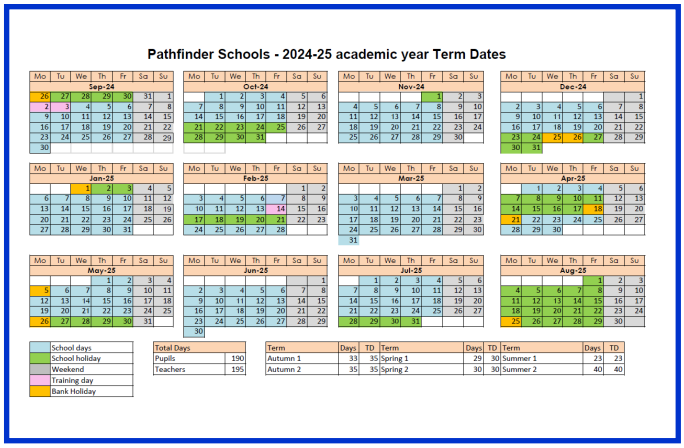
Getting involved is so good for our mental health; ask your child to have a chat with their form tutor if they are interested in joining in with anything.

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 26th March: Montsaye Young Leaders Primary Schools Cricket Festival.
Thursday 28th March: Montsaye Young Leaders Primary Schools Cricket Festival.
Thursday 28th March: School closes at 3.00pm for the Easter Holiday.
Monday 15th April: Staff Training Day, school closed to all students.
Tuesday 16th April: School re-opens at 8.30am.
Thursday 18th April: Year 7 Parents' Evening. Further details to follow in due course.

Term Dates Academic Year 2024 to 2025

Please find below, our term dates for the academic year 2024 to 2025:



Pathfinder Schools - 2024-25 academic year Term Dates

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	School days
	School holiday
	Weekend
	Training day
	Bank Holiday

Total Days	
Pupils	190
Teachers	195

Term	Days	TD	Term	Days	TD	Term	Days	TD
Autumn 1	33	35	Spring 1	29	30	Summer 1	23	23
Autumn 2	35	35	Spring 2	30	30	Summer 2	40	40

Montsaye Community Sports Centre - Couples Membership

Are both you and your partner interested in gym membership? We are now offering a Couples Package (both members must be on the same package). The price includes an induction and initial fitness programme and review.

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.pfschools.org.uk. The safeguarding team currently consists of Mr Rogers (Vice Principal and Designated Safeguarding Lead), Mrs Long and Mrs Wood (Safeguarding Officers) and Mrs Walters-Morgan, Miss Douglas and Miss Beaton (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, @montsayepe and @MontsayeSF
Instagram: montsayeacademyofficial, montsaye_art_design_department and montsayepe