# Friday 27th November 2020

#### The SIMS Parent App

A reminder that we use the SIMS parent app to enable you to view and up-date the data we hold for you in our academy database. You are able to access our parent app and website from a smartphone, tablet or PC – anytime, anywhere. If you do not already use this system, please find below some information.

# What you will find in the SIMS Parent app?

- Access to up-date your contact details, so that we always have the most up-to-date information in case of an emergency.
- If you have more than one child at school, you will have access to information for all of your children, from the same app.

# Getting started with the SIMS Parent app:

- We will send you an activation email. Simply click on the link from your tablet, PC or smartphone to activate your account. Please ensure that we have been given your most up-to-date email address in order for you to receive your activation link.
- You can then login using your normal Facebook, Twitter, Google or Microsoft username and password.
- From your smartphone or tablet, download the app from the Google Play or Apple App store search for SIMS Parent.
- From a PC or Windows phone, login online at <u>www.sims-parent.co.uk</u>.

Please note that your activation email is unique to you and should not be used by anyone else. If you require an additional login, then please contact us at school.

Your activation email will expire after 14 days if it is not used. Please contact us at school if you require a replacement after this date.

### Sixth Form 2021

Please see below schedule of upcoming events about our sixth form and the post-16 opportunities we can offer at Montsaye. If you have any questions about our sixth form and post-16 options, please contact Mrs McNish at: Imcnish@montsaye.northants.sch.uk.

Week Commencing 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Sixth Form Taster Sessions
Week Commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> February	Live Student Led Q&A

# The deadline for applications to our Sixth Form is Thursday 11 February 2021.

### Keeping warm whilst we ventilate the school

Please be reminded that students must not wear their outside coats in classrooms. We recommend that students wear extra layers under their blazer, which must be worn. Students may also wear any grey jumper (it doesn't have to be a Montsaye branded one), please refer to my letter of <u>6 November 2020</u>. Please be reassured that safety and wellbeing is constantly under review.









# Week Commencing Monday 30th November

#### **Tuesday 1st December:**

- Year 11 drop-down day; Option C subjects.
- Music performance mock examinations.

Wednesday 2nd December: Music performance mock examinations.

Thursday 3rd December: Year 12 and Year 13 virtual parents' evening. Further details to follow.

### **Forthcoming Dates for your Diary**

Thursday 10th December: Year 7 Virtual Form Tutor Evening. Details to follow.

Friday 11th December: Year 11 PE practical day. Further details to follow.

Friday 18th December: academy closes at 3.00pm for the Christmas holiday.

Monday 4th January: academy re-opens at 8.30am.

### **Children In Need**

Final donations are still being received from last week's successful Children in Need fundraising activities. The total currently stands at **£424.50!** 



Thanks and well done to everyone who participated, donated and organised.





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