

Friday 16th April 2021

DEAR (Drop Everything and Read)

With effect from Monday 19th April, DEAR (Drop Everything and Read) is returning to its regular schedule across all lessons in Years 7 to 10. This means that every pupil in these year groups can enjoy twenty minutes of silent reading per day.

For pupils who have not taken part in our DEAR sessions before, and in particular, our Year 7 pupils, please be aware that the sessions take place on a rolling timetable, ie, week commencing 19th April sessions will take place during period 1, week commencing 26th April, they will take place period 2 etc. All pupils should bring a DEAR book to school in their bag every day.

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 20th April: Year 9 immunisations.

Thursday 22nd April: Year 7 Parents' Evening. See below for further information.

Friday 23rd April: Year 7 ERA day.

Friday 30th April: Year 10 ERA day.

Monday 3rd May: Bank Holiday; school closed.

Year 7 Parents' Evening Thursday 22nd April 2021

The Year 7 Parents' Evening will take on Thursday 22nd April from 4.00pm to 7.00pm. In view of Covid restrictions, the event will take place online, however, this evening remains an invaluable opportunity for you to virtually meet your child's teachers to discuss progress, engagement and areas for development.

The academy has introduced an easy to use online appointment booking system which allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers; appointments are limited to five minutes each. The system is now live for appointments to be booked and will close on 21st April at 3.00pm.

To login, you will need your details to match with the information which we hold on our school records, such as your full name, email address and your child's full name and date of birth. If your login fails, please email the data team to ensure that we hold the correct details: data@montsaye.northants.sch.uk. Please visit: [School Cloud](#) to book your appointments. Please click: [Parent Guide](#) which will take you to a short guide on how to book appointments. Alternatively, please click: [Video Guide](#) which will take you to a video guide on how to book.

Mrs Gatiss, our SENCO, will also be available should you wish to book an individual appointment with her. Should you wish to book an appointment with Mrs Petchey, the Year 7 progress leader, please email her directly (cpetchey@montsaye.northants.sch.uk) and we will be able to either book a slot during the evening, or arrange an alternative time for a longer discussion, if necessary.



Instagram

Please remember to follow us on social media for regular academy up-dates.

**Twitter feeds: @Montsaye, @MontsayeEng, @montsayereading,
@montsayepe and @MontsayeSF**

Please like our Facebook page for regular academy news up-dates.



**Desborough Library and Community Hub
Rothwell Community Library**

Desborough and Rothwell Libraries have both announced that they have now re-opened. Please see below for their revised opening hours:




Opening hours

Tuesday 13th April- 31st April.

You can come in and choose your own books, no appointment required.

Tues 10-1pm
Wed 10-1pm
Thurs 1-4 pm
Fri 1-4 pm
Sat 17th April 11-1pm

COMPUTER USE
Ask a member of staff to pre-book a 45 minute slot or call 01604 368169 or email desboroughhcmi@gmail.com, or just pop in.

SELECT & COLLECT
If you would rather not browse you can still pre-order your books in advance to be collected at the library.

INFORMATION DESK
An enquiry, information and signposting service - please speak to the library staff and they will assist you.



We are open for browsing!

Monday: 10am – 2pm
Wednesday: 10am – 2pm
Friday: 10am – 2pm
Saturday: 11am - 1pm

Please remember to wear a face covering when in the library.

Youth Works

Please find below, a list of weekly drop-in sessions which are on offer from our local Youth Works organisation. If you have any queries, please contact them directly on: 01536 518339.

WEEKLY CALENDAR FOR GROUPS AND DROP-INS

MONDAYS

4-5PM
LGBTQ SOCIAL DROP-IN
Keystone, 97 Rockingham Rd, Kettering, NN16 9HX
To find out more call: 01536 518339

4-8PM
ESPRESSO YOURSELF
EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING DROP-IN
The Lowdown, 3 Kingswell Street,
Northampton, NN1 1PP, 01604 634385

TUESDAYS

12-3PM
PARENT SUPPORT DROP-INS
Corby Mind, Argyll St, Corby, NN17 1RU
Telephone support also available: 07479 973085


4-8PM
ESPRESSO YOURSELF
EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING DROP-IN
Corby Mind, Argyll St, Corby, NN17 1RU
Telephone support also available: 07479 973085

THURSDAYS


4-8PM
ESPRESSO YOURSELF
EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING DROP IN
Keystone, 97 Rockingham Rd, Kettering, NN16 9HX
Telephone support also available: 01536 518339

FRIDAYS


4-5PM
SEND SOCIAL GROUP
Social group for young people aged 11-14 with Autism, ADHD or Asperger's. Book a place:
Email hwatts@youthworksnorthamptonshire.org.uk or call 01536 518339 to find out more.



Parent Support Drop In
Tuesdays 12.00pm - 3.00pm
At Corby Mind Building
18 Argyll St, Corby
NN17 1RU
or call 07479 973085 for phone support



A NEW MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE FOR 11-18 YEAR OLDS
If you feel yourself needing support with mental health and have your name on the list, book an appointment by using the numbers below or drop in during opening hours.
MINDYARD and more with: one-to-one support, group sessions, workshops, and more.
Drop-in times: 11am-3pm, 4pm-8pm, 9am-12pm, 12pm-4pm, 4pm-8pm.
Locations: 17 Rockingham Rd, Kettering, NN16 9HX



YOUTH WORKS
YOUTH ACTIVITIES

A social group for young people aged 11 to 14 with Autism, ADHD or Aspergers.
Fridays 4pm - 5pm at Keystone, 97 Rockingham Road, Kettering, NN16 9HX. With social activities and free meals when money is needed.
Starts Friday 26th February
Email hwatts@youthworksnorthamptonshire.org.uk or call 01536 518339 to find out more or book a place.