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Dear parent/carers

As we navigate the latter part of the autumn term, I wanted to provide you with an update and highlight some upcoming dates for your calendar as we approach the bustling Christmas season.

The term commenced with vigour and productivity, featuring significant events such as our Aspirations Evening for Year 11 and 13. During this event, the Year 11 Progress Leader and Heads of Department for English, Maths, and Science delivered presentations. Additionally, we hosted tutor evenings for Years 7–10 and Year 12, along with a well-attended Sixth Form Opening Evening. This event drew participation from both current Montsaye students and those considering joining us next September for further studies.

Looking forward, we have parents' evenings for Year 9 and 10, our eagerly anticipated Christmas dinner on December 13th, and Christmas Jumper Day—all scheduled before the school year concludes on December 19th.

Throughout this period, we are actively working on enhancements at Montsaye, with a specific focus on uniform standards, attendance, punctuality, and attitudes toward learning. As an academy, we leverage additional school improvement support from our trust, Pathfinder Schools, and the broader education advisors from the Department for Education. Our colleagues from Pathfinder Schools are assisting us with key priorities, and in the upcoming weeks, we'll receive support from leaders at United Learning, bringing additional capacity for school improvement.

Should you have any enquiries, please feel free to reach out through the school office using the usual channels.

Yours sincerely,



Mr Gopal Baria
Acting Principal