

**Friday 1st October 2021**

**NB: this event is now virtual**

## Tuesday 5th October: Year 6 Open Evening @ 5.00pm

Due to the rising number of Covid-19 cases in the local area, and in order to keep everyone as safe as possible, we have made the decision to convert our Year 6 Open Evening to a virtual event. If you have already contacted us to book a place, you will shortly receive further information on how to access the evening. If you are yet to book a place and would be interested in attending this virtual event, please contact us on the following email:

[openevening@montsaye.northants.sch.uk](mailto:openevening@montsaye.northants.sch.uk)

A live address will be delivered at 5.00pm, via Microsoft Teams.

We are very excited to welcome you to our school and we are looking forward to seeing you there. We hope to be able to offer parents the opportunity to visit the school in the spring or summer term.

### **Covid Reminders**

**Masks:** You will be aware that we have recently reintroduced mask wearing in communal areas and all classrooms of school. Please follow this link: [Covid Up-Date Letter](#) for the latest information. Please ensure that your child brings a mask to school and remind them that they need to wear it in corridors and in lessons. Masks may be removed outside and when eating and/or drinking.

**LFT tests:** Thank you for continuing to support your child to test twice-weekly using the lateral flow test kits. We continue to await a new delivery of these kits, or you can order them via this government [link](#).

**Notifications:** Please remember to use the dedicated email address, [covidreporting@montsaye.northants.sch.uk](mailto:covidreporting@montsaye.northants.sch.uk) when informing us of Covid-19 cases and relevant information. Thank you for keeping us up-dated.

### **Work for Isolating Students**

Please follow this link: [Work for Isolating Students](#) which will take you to the academy website. Here you will find everything you need to know if your child is isolating. At the bottom of the page you will also find a [letter](#) containing further information. Each of our subject departments have provided a learning plan which your child can follow for this term; these plans follow the topics which will be covered in school for the weeks that they are at home.

### **Uniform Expectations**

Thank you to our many pupils who always wear full school uniform. Can we please ensure that pupils are in the correct and full uniform. From the 2nd November 2021, uniform will be checked regularly and sanctions issued where appropriate. Ahead of this, over the next 2 weeks we will keep a close eye on uniform addressing infringements. We thank you for your support in this.



## Uniform expectations

Compulsory items from school supplier: [www.karlspostclothing.co.uk](http://www.karlspostclothing.co.uk)



Three length skirt to be worn with black tights

Compulsory items to be worn



Long-sleeved or short-sleeved shirt to be worn with the school tie

**No coats in form time or lessons.**

Check the school website if you are unsure about uniform rules. Go to [www.karlspostclothing.co.uk](http://www.karlspostclothing.co.uk) to purchase. <https://www.montsaye.northants.sch.uk/parents/uniform/>

**Acceptable School Shoes**  
All black leather or leather-like shoes only



**Non Acceptable School Shoes**  
Canvas, trainers, pumps, vans





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### Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

**Tuesday 5th October:** Year 6 open evening. See details above.

**Friday 15th October:** Year 8 ERA Day.

**Friday 15th October:** School closes at 3.00pm for the half term holiday. Please remember that this is a two week break.

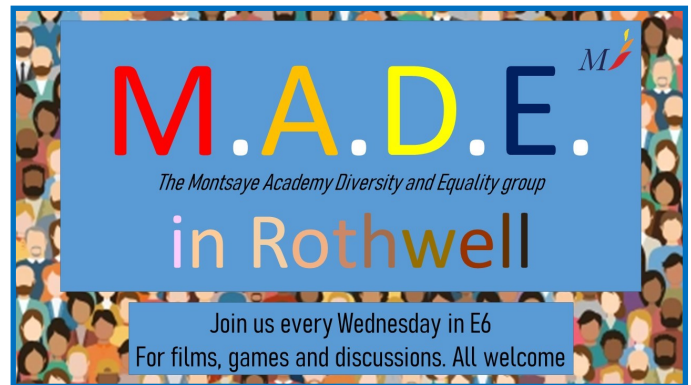
**Monday 1st November:** Staff training day (school closed to students).

**Tuesday 2nd November:** School reopens to students at 8.30am.

### Extra-Curricular Clubs and Activities

Introducing our ERA room and the Montsaye Academy Diversity and Equality group (MADE in Rothwell). The ERA room is open every lunchtime. Our Year 12 student leaders run activities for younger year groups. If your child is feeling in need of a little support during social times at the academy, why not encourage them to give it a go.

The MADE in Rothwell group runs every Wednesday lunchtime in E6. All welcome.



Run in partnership with LSK Martial Arts and Northamptonshire Sports, we are pleased to announce our new Martial Arts Club.

**NEW** **NEW**

**MARTIAL ARTS CLUB  
THURSDAY 3.00PM TO 4.00PM  
IN THE SPORTS HALL**

Freestyle Kickboxing is one the most popular and fastest growing sports in the world and Montsaye is offering you the chance to also be apart of this amazing opportunity .

Sessions will be lead by LSK martial arts working in partnership with Northamptonshire Sports

Whether you are looking for a way to relieve stress, be more active, or you want learn a new sport - LSK Martial Arts will help you every step of the way.




Our full enrichment programme timetable is available on the [website](#).



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