

Friday 22nd April 2022

Year 11 Saturday Revision Sessions

These sessions will re-commence on Saturday 23rd April and will run every week until the summer examination period.

Year 11 After School Revision Sessions

After school revision sessions continue as per the following timetable:

	Core Week Subjects	Option Week Subjects
Monday	Geography (H4) History (H9)	Sports Studies/PE French (L8)
Tuesday	English	Art, Dance, Photography French (L2)
Wednesday	Maths	Drama, Music, EP (H5) Business VCert
Thursday	Science	IT (CM), Computer Science (CM) Business
Friday		Product Design French Speaking (L2)

Sessions will alternate between core subjects and option subjects each week. Next week the focus will be on option subjects. All students who attend will receive ERA points, as well as having their loyalty card signed.

Year 11 GCSE Examination Period

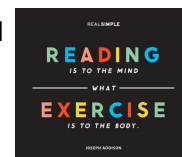
The formal examination period will commence on Monday 16th May and finish at the end of June. All students have now received their examination timetable and have begun to prepare their revision timetables during form time sessions. Please remember that you should avoid booking summer holidays until after the end of June.

DEAR (Drop Everything and Read)

A reminder that DEAR continues this term. Students should carry a reading book in their school bag at all times, please ask your child to visit Mrs Lantz in the Learning Resource Centre if they would like some guidance on what books may be of interest to them. The 20 minute sessions take place daily in the form of individual, guided or class reading.

Introducing our LRC Wellbeing Area

We are pleased to announce that the Wellbeing Area in our Learning Resource Centre is now up and running. Our Librarian, Mrs Lantz, has selected a range of books about wellbeing to support our students. Why not encourage your child to pop into the LRC at break or lunch time to have a look? If you or your child has read a book which has helped them, tell Mrs Lantz and she will order it into the LRC for other students to enjoy.



Punctuality



Please encourage your child to arrive to their lessons on time. Arriving on time is crucial to having a settled and focussed start to the learning of our students.

If a student arrives to a lesson after the first five minutes, it is recorded as 'Late' and is therefore subject to an S1 sanction. Three 'Late' marks in a week will result in an SLT detention.

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Monday 25th April: Sports studies officiating course. (Students involved will be notified).

Wednesday 27th April: Sports studies officiating course. (Students involved will be notified).

Thursday 28th April:

- Year 7 Junior Maths Challenge.
- Year 7 Parents' Evening. Please note that this is a change of date from the original published. Please follow this link: [Year 7 Parents' Evening Letter](#) which will take you through to our website where you will find full details. This is an appointment only event, bookings will close on Monday 25th April. We are requesting that just one parent/carer attends (with your child).
- **Friday 29th April to Sunday 1st May:** CCF sponsored parachute jump trip to Netheravon. See information overleaf.

Monday 2nd May: Bank Holiday - academy closed.

Friday 6th May: Year 10 ERA day.

Wednesday 11th May: Year 12 Nottingham Trent University Experience Day. Students involved will be notified.

Friday 13th May: Year 13 Leavers' Lunch.

Free...AIM Group Courses

Due to government funding in the adult education budget, the AIM Group have several **Free Online Level 2 Accredited Courses** available to parents/carers. These help better understand some key issues around young people's mental health and wellbeing, along with a range of other qualifications which may help with developing careers. There are over 30 qualifications available with some of the most popular being 'Understanding Autism', 'Children and Young People's Mental Health' and a 'L3 Teaching Assistant Qualification'. Qualifications are completed within a 6-8 week period; the duration is dependent upon each learner's ability.



Interested? Please complete the following link: [The AIM Group](#). If you have any questions, please telephone Stacey Taylor-Hinds on 0203 900 3091, extension 226 or email: stacey.taylorhinds@theaimgroup.co.uk

CCF Sponsored Parachute Jump



As part of the community engagement and affiliation with Rothwell Royal British Legion, our senior cadets will be undertaking a sponsored parachute jump on 1st May 2022. Cadets will take part in advanced training at the Army School of Parachuting at Netheravon, learning how to parachute via a static line at 3,500ft. Cadets will gain the British Parachuting License and the coveted parachute badge.

Sponsor forms may be collected from the Learning Resource Centre should anyone wish to sponsor our brave cadets.

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 concern@montsaye.northants.sch.uk. Alternatively, you can contact our Student Welfare Officers (Mrs King, Miss Burgess, Mrs Summers, Mrs Long and Mrs Walters-Morgan) or click [here](#) for more information.

Social Media

Much of our news and successes are celebrated on social media. Make sure that you like and follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram:

Instagram: [montsayeacademyofficial](#)

Twitter feeds: @Montsaye, @MontsayeEng, @montsayereading,

@montsayepe and @MontsayeSF

Facebook page: Montsaye Academy

