

Montsaye Academy Parent Bulletin No. 27





Friday 26th April 2019 Attendance? It Matters...



Last Week's Whole School Attendance: 91.86%/Government target for Attendance: 95%

Please encourage your children to be punctual to school and lessons. We are constantly monitoring this to ensure the school's high expectations are met.

Go4Schools

Don't forget you can access your child's timetable, progress and attendance information and school reports through this live database. To access the site, please go to www.go4schools.com and click on the 'Parents' icon at the top of the main page to arrive at the log-in screen. The email address you use to enter the site must be the one we hold on our database for you, as an adult with parental responsibility. To request a password for GO 4 Schools, please enter your email address into the 'First-time User' field and click 'Please send me a password'. A randomised password will then be generated and sent to your email address. You will then be able to log into the site and view your child's page. Please call main reception, 01536 418844 if you experience any difficulty logging on.

ERA Points

Our amazing students have been awarded a total of 60,298 ERA points since the start of the academic year in September. A fantastic achievement and one of which we are rightly proud. Keep up the good work everyone.

Montsaye High Expectations

Students should:

- Wear correct uniform, including blazer, tie and correct shoes.
- Have attendance of 96% or more.
- Have no mobile phones or earphones at all, anywhere.
- Bring the correct equipment: black/blue pen, green pen, pencil, ruler, rubber and calculator. Mrs Lantz has all of these items available to purchase from the Learning Resource Centre.
- Be fully engaged in lessons, challenging themselves to achieve their full potential.

Please refer to 'Montsaye Expectations letter, April 2019' on Parents/Letters page of our website. It includes information regarding our high expectations and three new sanctions which have been implemented.

Please note that there is no Year 11 Saturday maths school this week

Careers Advice

Is your child unsure about their next steps and future choices? Why not suggest they contact our careers advisor? Mr Doherty is available every Monday and is based upstairs in the Learning Resource Centre.

PE Department and Sports News

NEW Jogging Group for Students in Year 9 and 10 - Starts Tuesday 30th April - £10.00 for the whole term In conjunction with Desborough RAPID Running Club and Northamptonshire Sport, every Tuesday after school until the end of the academic year. Beginner friendly; students should wear comfortable clothes and trainers and bring a drinks bottle for water. Students will have access to a weekly coaching session from a qualified instructor and will be working towards building up to doing a 5k run. For further information and to register interest, students should speak to Mr Wing in the PE department.

NEW Beginners Kickboxing Club

All year groups, boys and girls, every Friday 3.00pm to 4.00pm with a martial arts coach in the old gym.

Well done to the Year 10 GCSE PE students who recently took part in a badminton tournament at Kettering Buccleuch Academy. All the boys demonstrated how much their skills have developed over the last year, both in singles and doubles matches. Josh and Logan also went undefeated as a doubles team! #Aspiration





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Week Commencing Monday 29th April 2019

Monday 29th April and Tuesday 30th April: GCSE art and photography practical examinations all day.

Tuesday 30th April: Year 9 Boys and Girls DTP and MenACWY Immunisations.

Wednesday 1st May:

- County combined sports event at Oundle School 10.00am. Students involved will have been notified separately.
- PE GCSE moderation at Oundle School with Mr Wing.
- GCSE art and photography practical examinations all day.
- Music Soiree, 5.00pm to 6.30pm, tickets £2 available from the Learning Resource Centre.

Thursday 2nd May:

- A-level PE moderation with Mr Wing.
- A-level fine art examination all day.
- Year 11 geography students (group 11A) fieldwork skills visit to Rothwell market place. Students involved will be notified separately.
- Year 12 higher education evening, 6.00pm to 7.00pm in the sixth form building
- Parents' Forum, 6.00pm to 7.00pm in the library.

Thursday 2nd May and Friday 3rd May: Year 11 drama GCSE practical examination with Mr Shea.

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday Monday.

Tuesday 7th May:

- A-level fine art examination.
- Year 11 engineering online examination, option group C.
- Montsaye's Got Talent Auditions 3.00pm to 4.00pm.

Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th and Friday 10th May: A-level photography exam.

Wednesday 8th May: Year 7 parents' evening 3.45pm to 6.45pm. Parents are to arrive no later than 6.15pm to ensure that sufficient time is available to meet with all subject teachers. Full information is on our website under Parents/Letters.

Thursday 9th May:

- Year 11 engineering online examination, option Group A.
- A-level photography examination.
- Year 9 District Athletics at Rockingham Triangle, Corby 2.00pm.

Friday 10th May: A-level photography examination.

Monday 13th May: Year 11 geography students (group 11B) fieldwork skills visit to Rothwell market place. Students involved will be notified separately.

Friday 17th May: Year 13 Leavers' lunch.



