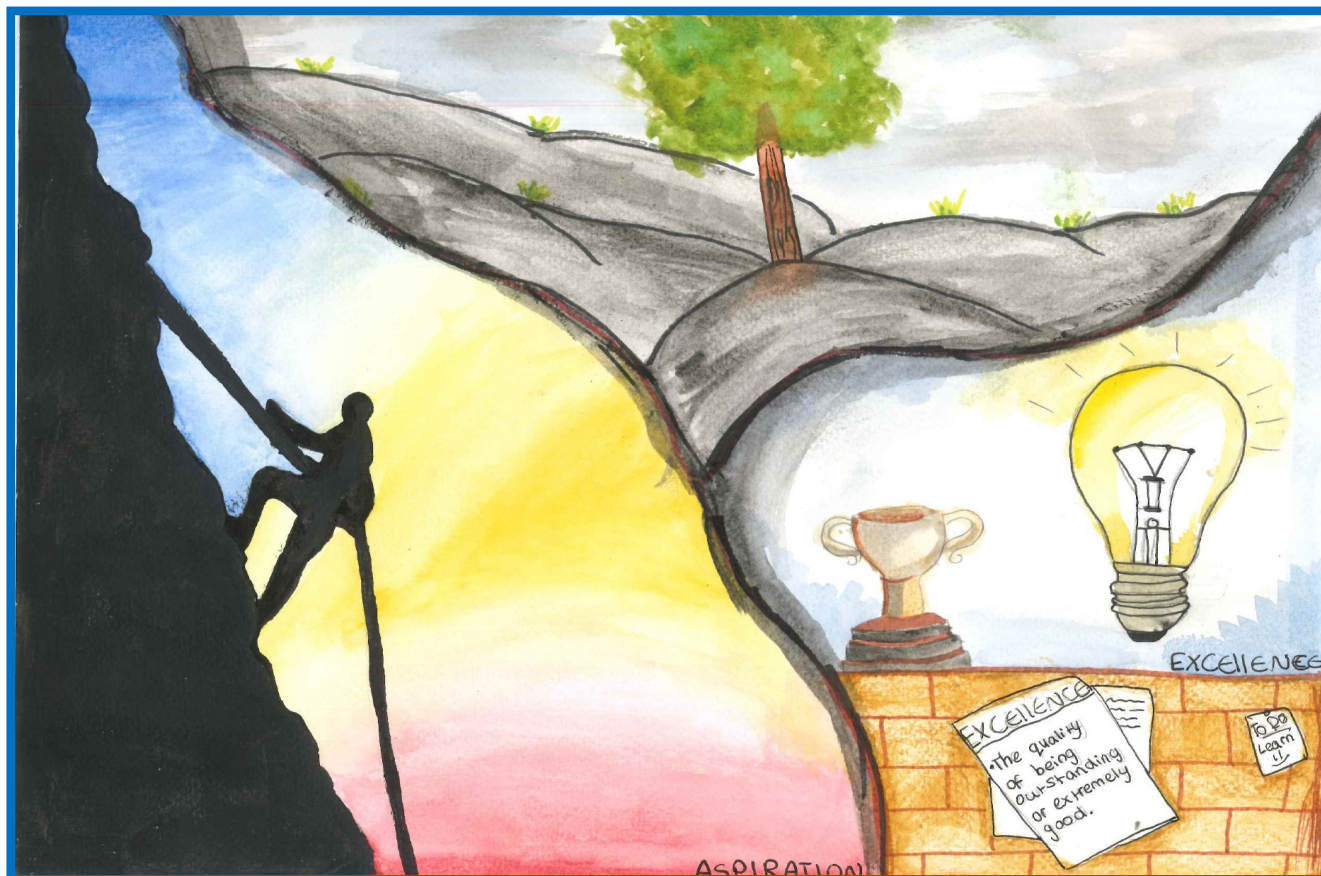


**Friday 27th April 2018**

Congratulations to Elsa G. in Year 8 who is the winner of our values themed creative competition. Her fantastic picture depicts what excellence, resilience and aspiration mean to her.



### **Proposal for new timings of the school day**

Governors are considering changing the timings of the school day and are consulting for comment on the proposed times below.

Time	Session
8.40am – 9.00 am	Tutor time/Assembly time
9.00am – 10.00 am	Period 1
10.00am – 11.00 am	Period 2
11.00am – 11.20 am	BREAK
11.20am – 12.20pm	Period 3
12.20pm – 1.20 pm	Period 4
1.20pm – 1.55 pm	LUNCH
1.55pm – 2.55 pm	Period 5 and end of school day
2.55pm – 3.55 pm	Period 6 (extra-curricular activities and curriculum support)

**Aims:** to increase the length of lessons from 50 minutes to 1 hour, allowing greater depth of learning and to increase awareness of the optional leisure and academic extra-curricular offerings at the end of the school day.

If you would like to express your views on the proposal, please contact Mrs Gabbi by letter to the school reception or email to [head@montsaye.northants-ecl.gov.uk](mailto:head@montsaye.northants-ecl.gov.uk) by **Friday 4th May 2018**. We very much value your contribution and thank you for taking the time to consider this proposal.

**Celebrating our students - Montsaye Academy Heroes**

**Excellence**

**Maddison C.** in Year 7 for jumping higher than the current school record for Year 7 girls 1.37m! Well done Maddison!

**Dakota M.** in Year 8 for creating some lovely sentences in French with challenge plus structures.

**Eleanor J.** in Year 13 for excellent standard of work throughout A level art, insightful, mature and sophisticated. Creative and meaningful. Eleanor is a dedicated student and an inspiration for others. Well done!

**Chloe F.** in Year 12 for a fantastic approach towards her A level art studies, excellent development of ideas, mature approach and understanding to discuss and plan her project, learning from her experiences in art and showing huge progress in the development of her work. Well done Chloe!

**Resilience**

**Abbie F.** and **Sydney S.** in Year 9 for resilience in learning to play their instruments in music.

**Harley B.** in Year 7 for improving his attendance over the last 5 weeks.

**Luke S., Bethany F.** and **Chloe W.** in Year 11 for resilience and for always working hard in English.

**Aspiration**

**Deniz A.** in Year 7 for an amazing piece of homework in science.

**Maria A., Ellie C., Chloe W.** and **Blaise H.** (Year 11) for excellent determination, demonstrated through commitment to revision, and improvement in previous work to succeed in GCSE PE.

**Evan C-J.** in Year 10 for telling us at parents evening that he intends to move to Denmark and he is teaching himself Danish alongside French!

**ERA - Excellence, Resilience AND Aspiration**

**Owen B.** in Year 11 for receiving a conditional offer from Welbeck College for September 2018. Many congratulations to Owen, this achievement really encapsulates all aspects of the school vision. Very well done, Owen!

**Every Week**

**Cricket**

Year 7 and Year 8 boys and girls every Monday after school 3.00pm to 4.00pm in the sports hall/on the field with Mr Wing.

**Rounders' Club**

All year groups, boys and girls every Wednesday after school 3.00pm to 4.00pm with Mrs Hodges.

**Tennis Club**

All year groups, boys and girls every Thursday after school 3.00pm to 4.00pm in the sports hall with Mr Roberts.

**Senior Choir**

Every Friday 8.35am to 9.05am with Mrs Swailes in Mu2.

**String Orchestra**

Every Wednesday 3.00pm to 4.00pm with Mrs Malitskie in Mu3.

**Every Week**

**Athletics Club**

Students in Year 7, Year 8 and Year 9 are participating in athletics in PE and working towards sports day. Athletics club takes place every Tuesday after school 3.00pm to 4.00pm with Mr Wing. We are proud to be able to share with you, the current Montsaye Athletics records:

**Girls**

	<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Year 10</b>
<b>100m</b>	A. Kennedy: 14.90s (2017)	D. Fox: 14.80s (2014)	D. Fox: 14.18s (2015)	A. Beale: 13.70s (2017)
<b>200m</b>	L. Whitford: 30.72s (2017)	M. Markham: 31.73s (2013)	J. Such: 31.30s (2015)	A. Beale: 27.30s (2017)
<b>800m</b>	F. Batkin: 2.54 mins (2016)	F. Batkin: 2.47 mins (2017)	A. Beale: 2.51 mins (2016)	A. Beale: 2.49 mins (2017)
<b>1500m</b>	F. Batkin: 5.15 mins (2016)	F. Batkin: 5.31 mins (2017)	G. Duckworth: 7.04 mins (2014)	
<b>Long Jump</b>	A. Beale: 4.30m (2014)	A. Beale: 4.18m (2015)	A. Beale: 4.48m (2016)	A. Beale: 4.65m (2017)
<b>High Jump</b>	H. Barratt: 1.30m (2013)	H. Barratt: 1.30m (2014)	G. Barratt: 1.45m (2016)	G. Barratt: 1.45m (2017)
<b>Discus</b>	L. Whitford: 19.86m (2017)	H. Davies: 16.22m (2017)	S. Hempel: 14.31m (2015)	S. Hempel: 14.25 (2016)
<b>Javelin</b>	L. Whitford: 15.05m (2017)	G. Brice: 14.96m (2017)	G. Fitzgerald: 13.51m (2016)	S. Avis: 17.20m (2017)
<b>Shot putt</b>	R. Fox: 6.44m (2017)	I. Condron: 6.98m (2017)	A. Siddons: 7.46m (2017)	P. Arach: 7.38m (2017)

**Boys**

	<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Year 10</b>
<b>100m</b>	J. Reed: 13.34s (2012)	J. Reed: 11.36s (2013)	J. Bradley: 12.15s	J. Massey: 12.89s (2017)
<b>200m</b>	J. Guild: 28.78 (2015)	J. Lewington: 27.50s (2013)	S. Bott: 25.64s (2014)	J. Crook: 27.06s (2017)
<b>800m</b>	D. Bowley: 2.26 mins (2015)	M. Potter: 2.21 mins (2015)	M. Potter: 2.16 mins (2016)	M. Potter: 2.25mins (2017)
<b>1500m</b>	D. Bowley: 4.44 mins (2015)	D. Bowley: 4.25mins (2016)	F. Batkin: 4.52 mins (2015)	N/A
<b>Long Jump</b>	O. Wright: 4.65m (2017)	K. Milas: 5.29m (2016)	J. Bradley: 5.50 (2017)	B. Clifford: 4.58m (2017)
<b>Triple Jump</b>	N/A	J. Bowskill: 9.28m (2013)	R. Hughes: 9.43m (2015)	N/A
<b>High Jump</b>	T. Matika: 1.40m (2017)	J. Cain: 1.50m (2017)	T. Shaw: 1.50m (2015)	J. Baggeley: 1.60m (2016)
<b>Discus</b>	E. Bye: 17.18m (2016)	C. Smyth: 22.70m (2017)	J. O'Neill: 22.77m (2015)	E. Konteah: 19.35m (2017)
<b>Javelin</b>	J. Cross: 24.21m (2016)	T. Bowley: 29.28m (2014)	T. Botterill: 32.18m (2012)	P. Taylor: 22.40m (2017)
<b>Shot putt</b>	G. Collier: 8.60m (2015)	J. Munroe: 8.63m (2013)	A. Adams: 11.10m (2017)	B. Woodman: 9.85m (2016)

Week commencing 30th April 2018

**Monday 30th April 2018:** A level art and photography exams.

**Tuesday 1st May 2018:** Year 8 girls' HPV injections.

**Tuesday 1st May 2018:** county combined sports event and A Level PE practical moderation at Oundle School 10.00am to 3.00pm. Students who are involved in this will be notified once the moderator has sent through the information.

**Wednesday 2nd May 2018:** Montsaye Shakespeare Company Family Quiz Night in the Learning Resource Centre 6.00pm to 8.00pm. Further details to follow.

**Thursday 3rd May 2018:** Parents' Forum in the Learning Resource Centre 6.00pm to 7.00pm.

**Monday 7th May 2018:** Bank Holiday - school closed.

**Tuesday 8th May:** Year 7 Parents' Evening 3.30pm to 6.00pm.

**Tuesday 8th May 2018:** Year 12 trial exams commence.

**Wednesday 9th May 2018:** Year 6 (for September 2018 Year 7 intake) Parents' Forum in the Learning Resource Centre 5.00pm to 6.00pm.

**Thursday 24th May 2018:** Year 9 district athletics at Rockingham Triangle, Corby. Further information to follow in due course.

**Friday 25th May 2018:** Year 13 leavers' lunch.

**Friday 25th May 2018:** school closes at 3.00pm for the May half term holiday. School re-opens on Monday 4th June 2018 at 8.30am.