

Montsaye Academy Parent Bulletin No. 1



Friday 7th September 2018

Welcome to the first edition of the Weekly Parent Bulletin for this academic year. For those parents/carers who are new to the Montsaye community, these bulletins are issued every Friday, via email and then available on the website. They contain useful pieces of information for the forthcoming weeks at the academy.

As we enter the new academic year, we would like to share with you, our high expectations for our students:

- Wear correct uniform, including blazer, tie and correct shoes.
- 96% attendance or more.
- No mobile phones or ear phones at all, anywhere between 8.40am 3.00pm.
- Bring correct equipment: black/blue pen, pencil, ruler, rubber and calculator. All of these items are available to purchase from Mrs Lantz in the Learning Resource Centre.
- Full engagement in lessons, challenging themselves to achieve their full potential.

Every Week at Montsaye

Student Support Group

Does your child suffer from anxiety or depression? Why not encourage them to attend our weekly support group every Monday lunchtime in E7.

Free Swim

Year 9 to Year 11 boys and girls every Wednesday 3.00pm to 4.00pm. Year 7 and Year 8 every Friday 3.00pm to 4.00pm. Please make sure that your child books a place in the swimming session as we cannot guarantee availability on the day.

Basketball

All year groups, boys and girls, every Monday 3.00pm to 4.00pm in the Sports Hall.

Dodgeball

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

These are just a few of the clubs which are on offer to our students. A comprehensive list of all after-school clubs and activities will be published in the next few weeks.

Week Commencing Monday 10th September 2018

Tuesday 11th September: Year 11 boys football match at home against Kingswood Secondary Academy, Corby.

Thursday 13th September: Under 16 girls football match at Kettering Business Academy.

Forthcoming events at Montsaye Academy

Tuesday 18th September: Year 10 curriculum and information evening (further information to follow).

Tuesday 18th September: Year 9 boys football match at Prince William School, Oundle.

Wednesday 19th September: Year 8 and Year 10 girls netball match at The Latimer Arts College.

Thursday 20th September: Year 8 girls HPV immunisations.



Forthcoming events at Montsaye Academy (continued)

Thursday 20th September: Year 7 and Year 8 girls football match at Kettering Business Academy.

Friday 21st September: Year 12 and Year 13 UK University and Apprenticeship Search Fair at Edgbaston Cricket Ground.

Wednesday 26th, Thursday 27th and Friday 28th September: Year 6 Open Mornings.

Tuesday 2nd October: Year 6 Open Evening.

Parking on the school grounds

We ask that you do not park on the double yellow lines anywhere on the school premises, including on the roundabout near our main reception and alongside the swimming pool. Please use the designated parking bays in the school car park. This causes particular problems at 3.00pm when we have lots of students moving around the site and a large number of buses to accommodate. With effect from 1st September, we will be asking parents to move if we see that cars are being parked on the double yellow lines. Please also refrain from parking in the disabled bays unless of course you are a Blue Badger holder.

We also ask that you observe the 5mph speed limit whilst driving on the school premises.

Uniform

Well done and thanks to all our smart students embracing the new uniform regulations.



Remember to follow our Twitter feed for regular academy updates: @montsaye.

