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Dear Parents/Carers,

It is my pleasure to inform you that Montsaye Academy is no longer in Special Measures and is a 'GOOD' school. I am absolutely delighted with this outcome and it is testament to the hard work of a fantastic leadership team and a staff who have worked tirelessly over the last 17 months since my appointment.

Let's not forget our students who are a credit to the school and make Montsaye Academy a pleasure to be a part of.

Please take a moment to read the report which you can find on our website, www.montsaye.northants.sch.uk.

Here are a few comments from it to share with you by way of summary:

"The determined vision and leadership of the principal and senior leaders has successfully created a positive culture which has led to rapid improvements in the school."

"The morale of staff is high. Pupils say they are happy to be at Montsaye Academy."

"The majority of parents would recommend the school and the number of pupils attending the school is rising."

"This is a good school."

"The quality of teaching is good."

"Pupils' behaviour has improved markedly and is routinely good. Most pupils are polite, courteous and helpful."

"Pastoral support is a strength of the school and has brought about improvements in pupils' behaviour and attendance."

"Effectiveness of leadership and management: Good."

"The Principal has ... restructured the leadership within the school to great effect. Leaders have a clear vision which is shared and understood by all staff. Her leadership of the school is valued and respected by staff."

We are looking to a very bright future for our students here at Montsaye Academy and are in no way complacent about the steps still needed to ensure outstanding provision and we will maintain our high expectations for all.

I would further like to extend my gratitude to parents and carers for their unwavering support.

Yours sincerely



Mrs Gabbi
Principal

