

Tuesday 12th February 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

Hopefully by now most of you will have had the chance to read our latest Ofsted report and are aware that alongside the Academy's 'Good' provider rating, Montsaye's Sixth Form has also been awarded a 'Good' rating.

We are very proud of this achievement and have strived to ensure that all of our sixth form students are given the very best opportunities to fulfil their academic potential and have the confidence to achieve their ambitions.

We would like to share with you some of the highlights from the Ofsted report with regards to the sixth form:

"The quality of teaching, learning and assessment in the sixth form is good."

"Expectations are high."

"Students enjoy their learning and find their lessons interesting and challenging."

"Teachers use their strong subject knowledge to question, challenge and assess students."

"Achievement in the sixth form is good."

"The information, advice and guidance about students' next steps in education, employment or training is of a high quality."

"The leadership of the recently appointed leader of the sixth form is strong and ambitious for the future. They (students) spoke about the very positive and supportive relationships between staff and students."

In addition to the Ofsted report, the Department of Education have released the latest performance tables for Sixth Forms in Northamptonshire.

Our sixth form has achieved a better progress score than many other comparable schools in the county, including schools in the independent sector.



The table below shows the progress of Montsaye Academy sixth form when compared to other sixth form providers in the northern part of the county.

School or college name	Type of school or college	Number of students with an A level exam entry	Progress score & description
Bishop Stopford School	Academy	212	Well above average 0.37
Remove			?
Brooke Weston Academy	Academy	134	Average -0.01
Remove			?
Montsaye Academy	Academy	62	Average -0.14
Remove			?
Lodge Park Academy	Academy	59	Below average -0.20
Remove			?
Corby Business Academy	Academy	52	Below average -0.21
Remove			?
The Latimer Arts College	Maintained School	70	Below average -0.25
Remove			?
Southfield School for Girls	Academy	86	Below average -0.51
Remove			?

If your child is interested in applying to our sixth form, the deadline for applications is **Friday 15th February**. Application forms are available from Mrs McNish in the Sixth Form Centre, or can be downloaded from the website.

Yours faithfully



Mrs K Jones
Head of Sixth Form

