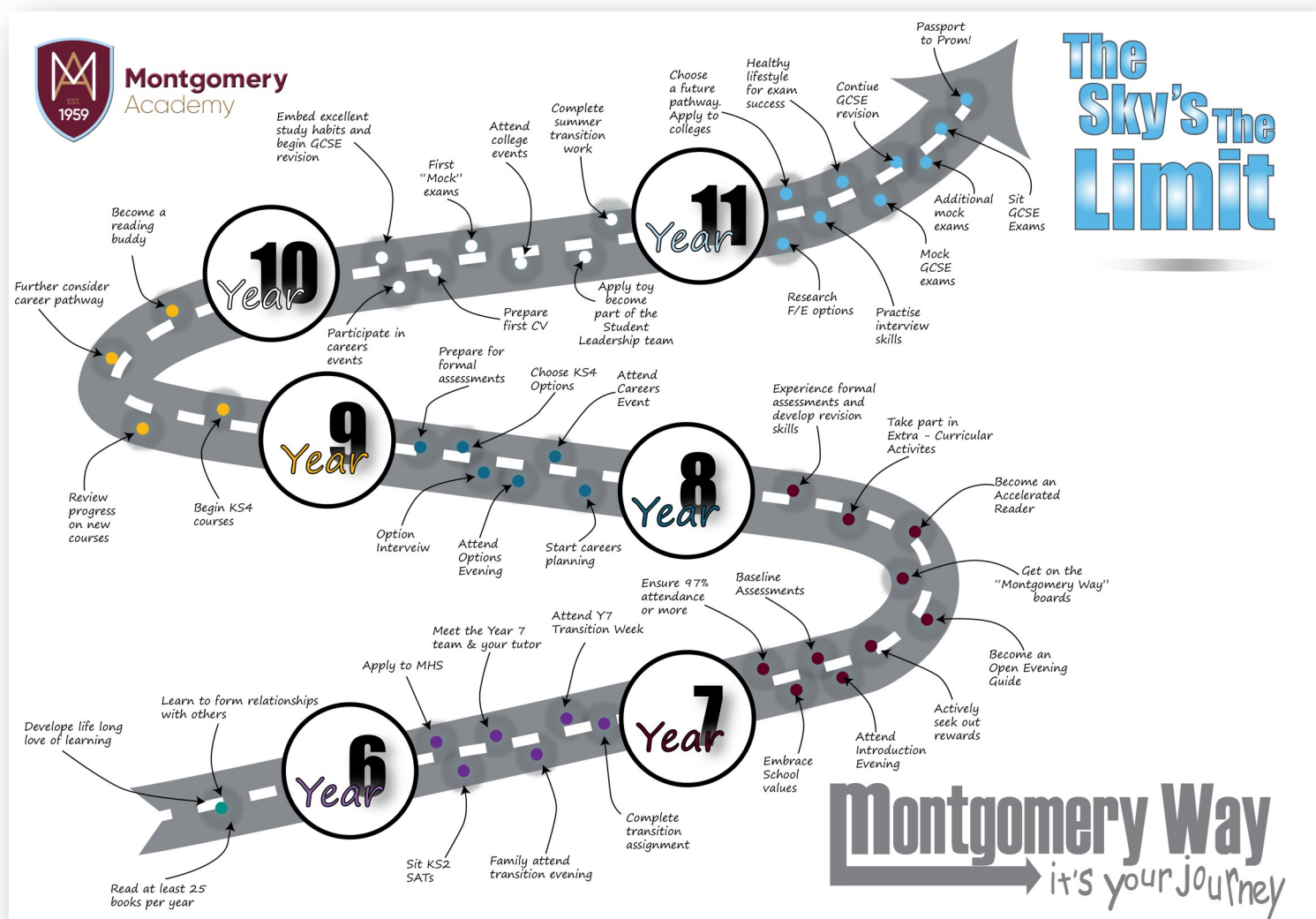




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The Montgomery Way Student Experience



Learning Outside the Classroom 2018-19

Extra– curricular visits

Throughout the year at Montgomery there are a wide range of activities and opportunities for your child to be involved in. Last year our students were able to participate in a wide range of student experiences.

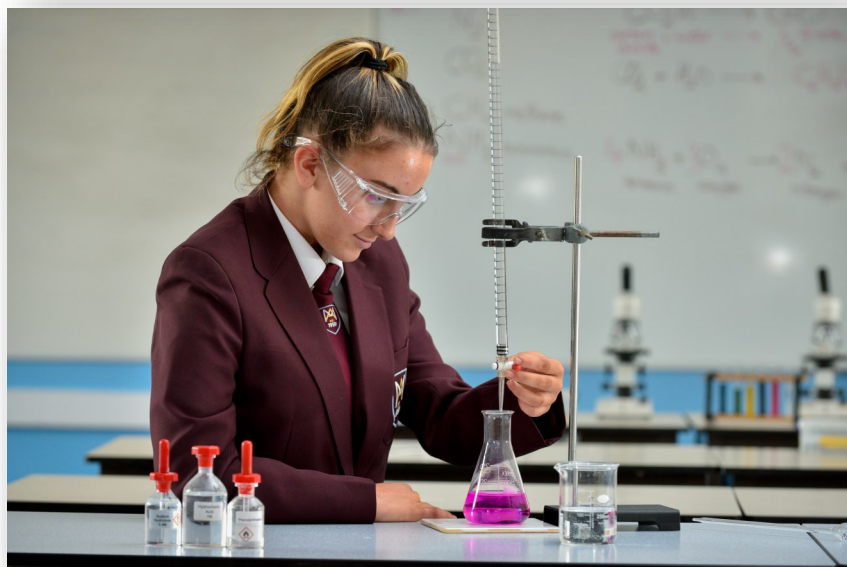
- ⇒ The D of E expedition
- ⇒ The Scholars Programme– In collaboration with the brilliant club, students visit the University of Liverpool and attend 6 tutorials with a PhD tutor before completing a 3000 word assignment.
- ⇒ Science visit to Paris
- ⇒ Visit to STEM Learning Network
- ⇒ Participation at the sportsability festival at Blackpool Sixth Form College.
- ⇒ Tomorrow's Engineers Robotics Challenge
- ⇒ 'Rediscover Live' Project hosted by Lloyds Banking Group
- ⇒ Student involvement in the National Citizen Service
- ⇒ Hackathon at Blackpool Sixth Form
- ⇒ Headstart's Youth Engagement Conference
- ⇒ Poetry Live event in Manchester
- ⇒ Visit from Dreadlock Alien
- ⇒ STEM Champions and Ogden Trust Competition visit
- ⇒ Young Engineers STEM skills challenge 2019
- ⇒ Year 11 Romeo and Juliet Trip
- ⇒ Year 7 Changing Horizons event
- ⇒ Year 8 Blackpool Pleasure Beach Careers Event
- ⇒ OGDEN Trust Awards 2019 and Planetarium Visit
- ⇒ Cleveleys Beach Clean 2019
- ⇒ Salter Festival of Chemistry at Lancaster University
- ⇒ Participation in the Junior Mathematics Challenge at Blackpool Sixth
- ⇒ International PI Day visit
- ⇒ STEM All day Workshop
- ⇒ Lancaster University Visit
- ⇒ Cambridge University Visit



Learning Outside the Classroom 2018-19

Extra— curricular activities

- ⇒ The Summer Showcase
- ⇒ Montgomery Peer Mentor Course
- ⇒ Reading Rockets at Montgomery Academy—Our accelerated reading programme
- ⇒ Science in the community
- ⇒ Primary Science Club
- ⇒ Stonewall Club
- ⇒ Lemony Snicket reading group
- ⇒ National Literacy Trust Story Explorers Competition—One of our Year 7 students won and had her work published.
- ⇒ Remembrance Event
- ⇒ Human utopia
- ⇒ Year 7 Science Club
- ⇒ Year 7 Space Club
- ⇒ Year 8 STEM Creative Art Club
- ⇒ The Science of Harry Potter at the STEM Club
- ⇒ Anime Club
- ⇒ Robotics Club
- ⇒ English Department—Scrooge on Stage!
- ⇒ Grease performance
- ⇒ The Grand Young Company and The Electric Sunshine Project to deliver an audition workshop
- ⇒ Italian Club
- ⇒ The Anti Bullying Hub
- ⇒ Year 7 Choir
- ⇒ Band
- ⇒ “Moving into Volunteering” course delivered by ‘ur potential’



To name a few...

Learning Outside the Classroom 2019-20

Extra- Curricular Timetable: Term One

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Club Name	D of E expedition training	Photography Coursework Catch up	Space Club	Badminton	School Band
Time	3.15-4.00	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	3.00pm-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm
Place	Upper School Dining Room	L14	S9	Sports Hall	E8
Year group	Years 9 & 10 D of E students	9, 10 & 11 photography students	Year 7 - start date tbc, see Mrs Bach for details.	All years welcome	Any student that plays an instrument to a reasonable level.
Club Name	Library/ Homework Club	STEM Get Creative	Photography Coursework Catch up	ICT/ Homework Club	
Time	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	
Place	Library	S9	L14	L16	
Year group	All years welcome	All years welcome- start date tbc see Miss Healey for details.	9, 10 & 11 photography students	All years welcome	
Club Name		Football Matches at Aspire	Italian GCSE- Extra Curric	Photography Coursework Catch up	
Time		3.00-5.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	
Place		Aspire	L12 with Mr Corbley	L14	
Year group		Teams	All years welcome	9, 10 & 11 photography students	
Club Name		Netball Matches at Aspire	Year 7 Football trials	Year 7 Science Club	
Time		3.00pm-5.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm	
Place		Aspire	Field	S9	
Year group		Teams	Year 7	Year 7- start date tbc see Miss Healey for details.	
Club Name		Netball	Year 7-9 Girls' Football Training		
Time		3.00pm-4.00pm	3.00-4.00pm		
Place		Sports Hall & Netball Courts	Field		
Year group		Year 7-11	Year 7-9 Girls		
Club Name		Stonewall			
Time		3.00-4.00pm			
Place		S1 with Miss Mudge			
Year group		All years welcome			
Club Name		Computer Science Intervention			
Time		3.00-4.00pm			
Place		L15 with Mr Morris and Mrs Taylor			
Year group		9, 10 & 11 CS students			

Tutor Time Programme 2019-2020

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 7	Attendance/House information	Numeracy Rockstars	Assembly (Uniform) + KO Quiz and Reading (1 hour 20)	MIND	Big Picture News (BV / debate / Non-Fiction Reading) Behaviour and attendance conversations
Year 8	Attendance/House information	Assembly (Uniform) + KO Quiz and Reading (1 hour 20)	Big Picture News (BV / debate / Non-Fiction Reading) Behaviour and attendance conversations	MIND	Numeracy/literacy
Year 9	Attendance/House information	MIND	Big Picture News (BV / debate / Non-Fiction Reading) Behaviour and attendance conversations	Numeracy/literacy	Assembly (Uniform)
Year 10	Attendance/House information	Numeracy/literacy	MIND	Assembly (Uniform)	Big Picture News (BV / debate / Non-Fiction Reading) Behaviour and attendance conversations
Year 11	Assembly (Uniform)	Intervention Classes (E/M/S/Other)	Intervention Classes (E/M/S/Other)	Big Picture News (BV / debate / Non-Fiction Reading) Behaviour and attendance conversations	MIND

MIND

Montgomery Intervention Needs and Direction



The Montgomery MIND programme is a programme that focuses on positive wellbeing development and teaches students how to have a healthy mind. The year 7 programme focuses initially on organisation and the transition from Primary school to Secondary school. Following this it looks at health and fitness, well being: stress awareness and kindness, study skills and managing the expectations of being a Montgomery Academy student. Linking with our school ethos of SMART.

Each year group has a specific programme designed by the year team to focus on the needs of the year group and encourage a healthy positive lifestyle.

PSHE

The themes running through PSHE through discrete lessons in year 7 - 10 help support our young people in making their own, informed choices.

Our curriculum:

- Aims to develop skills and attributes such as transition from year 6, resilience, self-esteem, risk-management, team working and critical thinking in the context of themes: health and wellbeing, relationships, staying safe online and living in the wider world.
- Views the student as a developing adult who should have the information and confidence to make their own decisions about life
- Enables students to consider their own views, attitudes and values and those of other people
- Provides comprehensive, unbiased and correct information
- Is age appropriate and builds on learning and knowledge each year.
- Develops students personal and social skills
- Encourages students to see their place in their community, from the school we belong to their part in the community and wider world.

Student Leadership Opportunities 2019-2020

The School Council

At Montgomery we have two aspects of our student council. We have 5 year council teams which are made up of two pupils from each tutor group who are democratically elected to represent the views of all pupils and they work together to make Montgomery Academy an even better school. From the year council- two students from each year group are selected to be part of the whole school council. The school council members meet to discuss many different aspects of school life and have a big say in how our school is run.

How do I get elected if I want to become part of the School Council?

Elections for the School Council are held every year in the autumn term.

At School Council election time, all children in school are invited to stand if they are interested. You will need to prepare a short speech to persuade your tutor group to vote for you! You might like to prepare a campaign poster or write some notes to help you. Share with your tutor group all the reasons why you would make a great Councillor – perhaps you are full of good ideas, a good listener, maybe you are good at organising events and enthusiastic about making Montgomery even better.

After you have shared your ideas with your class, everyone in your class will be asked to vote. The elections for the Year Council are a good example of democracy; this means everyone in your class has the chance to be involved in deciding who will be part of the year council, as everyone has a vote. We use a ballot box and votes are counted by pupils'. Our elections run just like the General Election that decides who is in government for the country.

The Student Leadership Team



Head Girl 19-20
Hannah

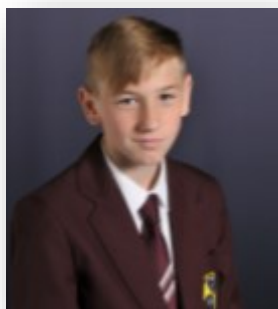
At Montgomery Academy students have the opportunity to get involved in numerous leadership roles; from year 7 onwards students can take part in the very active Student Voice and discuss all aspects of academy life as well as raise money for local and international charities through our house charities.

House Captain roles are available for students in all years to provide opportunities to demonstrate responsibility and organisation skills.

Students can also become Peer Mentors, Reading Mentors and Anti Bullying Ambassadors in all years.

In year 10 students can apply to become Prefects and Senior Prefects. Staff then vote for the prestigious Head Boy, Head Girl, Deputy Head Boy and Deputy Head Girl. Our Head Boy and Girl this year are leading our student leadership team.

By offering leadership roles and responsibilities to Montgomery students we are embedding the Academy ethos of 'Inspiring excellence together' as well as the Academy Aims of enabling students to grow into confident, resilient and respectful young people.



Head Boy 19-20
Lloyd

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REWARDS

At Montgomery we believe in positive student recognition as a great incentive and motivator of continued student progress and good behaviour. It is so important that students are given positive feedback and are rewarded for a job well done, it will encourage them to continue to work hard and do their very best.

We have worked hard to create our amazing ‘**Montgomery Way**’ where students and staff are brilliant, resilient and self-regulating. We award students with Ambition points on a daily basis and these add up over the term. When students have achieved 300 points they receive their bronze Montgomery way badge and certificate, our students wear them with pride on their blazers. When they have 500 points they will receive a silver award and for 750 they will get a gold award.

Just being well behaved is not our only expectation but to strive to also try their best in every lesson and achieve on or above their targets in every subject. We recognise these students on the Montgomery way with the following levels;

- Bronze = Above or on track in everything apart from two subjects- awarded with a pencil, certificate and added to the Montgomery Way corridor.
- Silver = Above or on track in everything apart from one subject- awarded with a pen, certificate and added to the Montgomery Way corridor.
- Gold = Above or on track in all subjects- awarded with a rubber/sharpener, certificate and added to the Montgomery Way corridor.
- Diamond = The top achieving students in the year group- awarded with a front of the queue pass, rubber/ sharpener, certificate and added to the Montgomery Way corridor.
- Sports Ties- Students that are involved in a sport team within school and appear on Montgomery Way wear the ‘sports ties’ with pride.

				<p>Students that show kindness above and beyond our expectations can receive an AWESOME Award, these students are nominated by staff or students.</p> <p>Attendance plays a key part to any students’ success and allows them to have the best possible future. We expect all our students to be on time, every day and we recognise their efforts by awarding 100% ATTENDANCE badges. If a student has 100% attendance for one term they will receive a BRONZE badge, for two terms a SILVER badge and for all three terms a GOLD badge. Each term the 100% attendance students in year 7,8 &9 will be rewarded with a pizza party.</p>
Awesome Award	100% attendance 1 term	100% attendance for 2	100% attendance for 3	
				
Diamond Students	Bronze Ambition Award (300 pts)	Silver Ambition Award (500 pts)	Gold Ambition Award (750 pts)	

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MONTGOMERY HOUSE SYSTEM



HOW TO EARN HOUSE POINTS: WEEKLY CHALLENGES

A B I T I C N
P O N T S

96 ATTENDANCE

PARTICIPATION WITH INDEPENDANT LEARNING;



Accelerated
Reader



hegartymaths



INTER-HOUSE SPORT COMPETITIONS



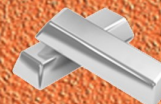
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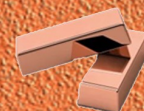
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20 PTS



GOLD
15 PTS
PER STUDENT



SILVER
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BRONZE
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