

## MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Montgomerie News Update Spring 2017/2018 - Week 3

Just a short newsletter this week!

## **Dance Zone**

One of our new lunchtime 'zones' is Dance Zone, where the children can listen to music and have a dance if they'd like to. We are asking for any kind donations of CDs that they children might like to listen to. If you have any, please drop them into the school office.

## **Morning Clubs**

Please be reminded that if your child is doing a club before school, you need to wait at the school entrance for the adult running the club and they will come and collect the children. Please <u>do not</u> use the bell for breakfast club and also please be aware our school office <u>is not</u> manned until 8.30am. Due to breakfast club and before school inteventions, we can not allow adults into school who are not staff due to safeguarding regulations. Thank you for your understanding.

#### **Dinners**

We will be on Week 3 menu from Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January. On Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January, Children's Favourite is Sausage in a Yorkshire, Quorn Sausage in a Yorkshire and Jelly.

#### **Montgomerie Mentions**

Rosie Lowther, James Fox, Yara Yousf, Connor Chapman, Madison Brown, Paul Odukogbe, Brogan Schofield, Jack Flahey, Sebastian Lees, Alysa Radescu, Daniel Bolt.

#### **Maths Mentions**

Sienna-Lily Terry, Nancy Cullen, Ena Harris-Downes, Maysa Dinnes, Finley McConochie.

#### **Midday Mentions**

Keyanna Mayer, Ashdon Casson, Maysa Dinnes, Chloe James

## **Lunchtime VIPs**

Sammy Thompson, Joshua Guy

















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## ParentPay Reminder

Thank you to those parents who have already signed up for Parent Pay. Don't forget, if you have not already done so to activiate your account for ParentPay by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January, after 1<sup>st</sup> February payments need to be made on-line. Any dinner money arrears <u>MUST</u> be settled in cash/cheque by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January.

### **Weekly Attendance**

The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means that children must be in school every day. Please remember, every second counts at Montgomerie. We <u>must</u> work together to improve attendance. 6 out of 7 classes were below national this week! This really is unacceptable.

EYFS	97.44%	Winners! Well done!
Class 1	84.00%	Well Below national
Class 2	95.83%	Almost at national!
Class 3	92.50%	Below national
Class 4	91.67%	Below national
Class 5	95.79%	Almost at national!
Class 6	93.97%	Below national

A huge well done to EYFS who received 10 minutes extra playtime.

Kind regards,

Mrs Mason

Headteacher













