



# MONTGOMERIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter 1

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### EVERY SECOND COUNTS

Respectful. Resilient. Resourceful. Reflective. Responsible. Ready.



## IN THE NEWS

*A warm welcome back to what I am sure will be a very exciting year! I hope that you all had a wonderful Summer making memories and are raring to go for the new term.*

### Meet the Teacher

A letter went out last Thursday with the dates of these meetings. They are informative and a great way to ask any questions you have about the year ahead. If you are unable to make the meeting, we will make sure the information reaches you either via a paper handout or Powerpoint put on your class page. Always feel free to ask your classteacher or LSA questions at the door at the end of the school day.



## MORE NEWS

### The Reverie

The Reverie is officially opening on Thursday and the children can begin to enjoy the beautiful space. Mrs Amran will let parents know when we will hold an "Open Reverie" so that you can see what the PTA fundraising has been put towards. It really is a peaceful space that I know will be well-used by our children.

### Calling Year 6 parents!

The application window has opened for you to apply for your child's secondary place. This can be done online at <https://www.essex.gov.uk/apply-for-a-secondary-school-place>. Please ensure you apply before the window closes on 31<sup>st</sup> October to ensure you have a chance of securing a place at your child's chosen school.

### Health Snacks

Can we remind parents that children should bring in fruit/vegetables for their snack at break time not cereal bars/winders etc.

*A huge thank you to those parents who have brought in Aldi stickers – they are going a long way to filling the wallchart! Please keep them coming!*



## CELEBRATE



Montgomery Mentions: Lilah, Tyler, James, Nell, Carter, Lewis, George, Erin, Paul, James, Lydia, Mylee

3PR Winners: Y3

VIP Lunchers: Louise, Lilah and Danielle



## ATTENDANCE



The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Every second counts at Montgomery. We **must** work together to improve attendance and punctuality even more.

EYFS	90.48%	Below national
Class 1	95.83%	Below national
Class 2	97.22%	Above national
Class 3	98.82%	Above national
Class 4	97.99%	Above national
Class 5	95.40%	Below national
Class 6	98.51%	Above national
Weekly Average	97.21%	Above national
Whole School	97.21%	Above national

