

NHR/MLC

7 May 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

Substance Awareness Information Evening – Monday 30 June 2025

As part of our ongoing commitment to personal development and safeguarding, we will be hosting a **Substance Awareness Information Evening** for parents and carers on **Monday 30 June 2025** in the **Lantern Theatre at 5.00pm.**

This expert-led session from Hampshire-based **Stacey Miller**, supports our RSHE curriculum delivery in this area. This bespoke session aims to:

- Raise awareness of the emerging substances within the local context
- Understand the potential risks and consequences
- Offer guidance on how to talk to your child confidently about these issues
- Equip families with strategies to help keep children safe

We recognise that drug-related issues can be difficult to talk about, but increasing awareness and keeping communication open are key steps in protecting all young people. This event is designed to inform and empower you, so that together we can provide consistent messages and support both at school and at home. Therefore, we would ask that you do not bring your child with you to the evening; this is for parents and carers only.

We warmly encourage you to attend and take this opportunity to ask questions, share concerns, and gain practical advice. Please complete this <u>Substance Awareness Google Form</u> to confirm your place/s.

If you have any questions ahead of the session, please don't hesitate to contact us via info@mountbatten.school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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