THE MOUNTBATTEN SCHOOL

SSA/NHR

05 June 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 10 Itchen College Taster Day 2026 – Thursday 2 July

We would like to inform you of the key information for the upcoming college taster day. As previously communicated, this is a whole-school Inset Day.

Timetable
The college will email students a copy of their timetable for the taster subjects they have been allocated. Please remind your child that they must bring this with them on the day.

Arrival and departure
Students will make their own way to and from the college, and need to **arrive between 8.45am – 9.00am** for registration. The meeting point is at the main entrance to the college on Middle Road, Southampton. The day will finish **at 2.30pm**.

Attendance
If your child is unable to attend the College Taster Day, please inform the school's Attendance Office via attendance@mountbatten.school, as soon as possible so that the information can be forwarded to the college.

Dress code
Students do not need to wear their school uniform; however, they will be required to wear clothes that feel comfortable, respectful and considerate of others. If Sport, Uniformed Protective Services or Dance/Musical Theatre is on their timetable, they need to bring appropriate clothing, including trainers and a water bottle.

Lunch
Students may bring a packed lunch or money to purchase lunch from the college canteen. Please note that minimum spend on a card is £1.00. Students receiving a free school meal will be given their lunch during registration.

What do students need to bring?
Students are expected to bring pens, paper/notebook, a water bottle and money for lunch.

Behaviour
A member of school staff will be present in college throughout the day should students require additional assistance. Students will not be allowed to use their phones whilst partaking in any of the college activities and are not permitted to leave the college site during the day. Students are representing The Mountbatten School and therefore our high expectations of behaviour remain the same, as in school.

Medical Form
To make staff aware of medical conditions, allergies, or other health-related needs, please complete the medical form found here.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Careers Office on 01794 510260 or email sindy.shakya@mountbatten.school.

Yours sincerely



Mrs S Shakya
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