



THE MOUNTBATTEN SCHOOL

Summer 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Two years ago, we introduced 'epraise' for parents, students and staff. Epraise is designed to improve student engagement and motivation and to support parental involvement. Students have been very positive about how they can now track their own house points, including the 'getting it right' points for good behaviour (no demerits), 100% attendance, not being late to school.

Students have an individual epraise account that they can access using their school Google account details. They can download the epraise app for their phone or tablet to find out how many house points they have been awarded, along with the subject and the teacher that gave them to them. They can also see when they have been given a sanction and where they need to attend.

We have listened to a number of parents who have told us of their struggles to keep track of our communications over a number of different formats. Consequently, we are going to communicate all house points, support sessions and sanctions solely via epraise from September.

Parents also have an epraise account. Previously we have sent out invitations **using the email address that you have given us in the past**. You should use that email address to access your account and create your own username.

Once logged in to epraise, you may find these resources useful:

- The parents' guide from epraise, which is here:
https://epraise.co.uk/index.php?view=guide_parent
- A getting started with epraise video which is here:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QRpIdNYk1NE&feature=youtu.be>
- A link to a video I made for students, which you may also find helpful.
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zCagCMuQdRIGW5F3AD2CRBY8GimmpW_9/view?usp=sharing

If you have any questions regarding epraise, please contact your child's head of year in the first instance. For any technical issues, please see the contacts mentioned on the FAQ sheet overleaf. I hope you find the system as helpful and exciting as we do!

Yours sincerely

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