



Riverside College

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Dear Parents,

Although the serious business of examinations is upon us, there is still time to have some fun. In Natural Sciences and Technology last week, the Grade 4's learnt about rockets. We used balloons as our rockets to see how they are propelled and watched as they flew across the classroom attached to a straw that was threaded with fishing line. Did they learn something? We hope so!



Remember to make time to do something fun and different on the weekend just to break the study routine.

IMPORTANT DATES

Term 4	02/10 – 04/12
Exams Gr 4 – 6	18 November (learners will finish at 13h00 for exam period)
Assessments Gr 1 – 3	18 November (learners will finish at 13h00 for exam period)

Happy Birthday!



A very Happy birthday to the following learner who celebrated her birthday this week!

Luthando Lofani	11 November
Nyiko Khoza	18 November

**Brainteaser answer #37: 1;2;3 1+2+3=6
And 1x2x3=6**



Brainteaser: #38
If 7 is transformed into 13 and 11 changes to 21,
what does 16 become?

STARS OF THE WEEK

Gr 00-000	Great Austin-Ugbo
Grade R	Daisy Karombo
Grade 1	Annie Chen
Grade 2	Misha Weber
Grade 3	Nuha Mirando
Grade 4	Meloney Branford
Grade 5	Chizitalum Ihezue
Grade 6	Cheyenne Colwill and Maxine Carstens



PRESCHOOLERS G000 - GR R

Planning for the week 18 - 22 Nov

Theme for the week:

Summer

PLEASE SEND THE FOLLOWING:

- Message Books daily

PLEASE REMEMBER:

- A change of clothing every day
- A healthy snack + Water/Juice
- No fizzy cooldrinks or sweets

WHAT WE WILL LEARN THIS WEEK:

Phonics: Review a to z

Numbers: Degrees of comparison

FINAL EXAMS AND ASSESSMENTS

A second examination timetable was issued to your child (Grade 4-6) as well as a reminder to get all the needed stationery, as they may not borrow during the exams. Please remember to talk to your child and remind him/her that they must study well in advance as it is never worth it to cheat in an exam. The exam rules that were sent home are very strict and will be enforced on all learners from Grade 4 – 12, with full disciplinary action that will be taken should anyone be found guilty of cheating

in any way. **Cheating** constitutes ANY attempt to copy from, to have notes on, or to ask another learner for help during an exam. It does not matter how big or how small the act itself is, it will all be treated in exactly the same manner. **Cheating/copying is an offence.** Please ensure that your child is equipped and ready for the exams as this also helps to boost their self-confidence and keeps them calm and collected during the exams.

AFTERCARE WEEKLY MENU – Week 2	
MONDAY	Chicken and veggies stew with rice.
TUESDAY	Meatballs with rice, sweet pumpkin and gravy
WEDNESDAY	Fish fingers mash and salad. Treat: Jelly and custard
THURSDAY	Shepherd's pie with veggies and rice.
FRIDAY	Pizza and chips

MALACHI HOUSE

To give back to the community the Primary School will be collecting any baby/Toddler products, baby/Toddler clothes and blankets. This will be donated to the Malachi Place of Safety. All age appropriate toys will also be appreciated. Products can be sent to the class teacher. Products will be taken to Malachi during the final week of school. To see the amazing work these people do, please visit www.malachiplaceofsafety.com.

Reminders and notes

- Please take note that parents who fetch their children after the side gate is closed have to come to the main entrance. Children may not open the door for themselves and go out.
- Please remember that school closes earlier during the exams and that you need to make arrangements to collect your child straight after school so that they can prepare for the upcoming exams.
- Please add us on Instagram – search for riversidecollege_cpt.
- If you haven't already, check out our Facebook and give it a like – search for 'Riverside College' and stay up to date with all the activities.

A note from our Principal: Mr. D Swart

I would like to wish each and every learner the very best for the upcoming exams and assessments that they will be writing next week. Please remember that you can do anything you put your mind to doing, and if you need any assistance whatsoever all you need to do is ask!

Do not forget the importance of having a balanced eating, sleeping and relaxing program going forward. It is just as important to relax as it is to study but remember that you must study according to a timetable otherwise there is too much opportunity to do something else when you should be studying.

When the exams are over there is nothing you can do to change or improve your results! You can cry, you can throw a tantrum and you can sulk all the way through the holidays, it still won't make a difference. NOW is the perfect time to put in the time and the effort and to study as hard as you can, then when the exams are over you can enjoy your holiday without any stress about poor marks.

The choice is yours, so choose wisely!

Have a good weekend
Primary School Staff