



Riverside College

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Dear Parents,

"Today is your opportunity to build the tomorrow you want" – Ken Poirot

As we reach the middle of the Third Term, it is a time to reflect on what preparations have been done in order to ensure a successful remainder of the term.

The decisions and actions made today will directly influence what occurs tomorrow. It is important that the effects of those decisions are always positive. These decisions can only be made by you; therefore, it is important that each decision is made with "tomorrow" always in one's mind. Every moment counts hence, make sure it counts in your favour!

Ms. Dos Reis

Grade 3 News

The Grade 3's have been on a Space Travel Adventure in the classroom. In Life Skills we have been learning all about outer space, the planets, the moon, and the stars. The learners had great fun making their own planet books filled with fun facts about our planets and creating their own Rocket Ships in Creative Arts!

The Grade 3's have shown just how bright they can shine, and I am so proud to see them shoot for the stars!



Important Dates

Term 3 – 26 July – 22 September (Teachers 23/09)

Term 4 – 12 October – 08 December (Teachers 15/12)

Test Series 13 Sep – 20 Sep

Test Series time tables are available on our website.

Other news

1. A friendly reminder to parents dropping their child off in the mornings, please **do not park** or wait in the teacher's parking. The school bus needs to exit from the gate and cannot get past the parked cars.
2. Please note that the gate will only open at 7:30am for learners to enter the school's premises.
3. **Please pack a spare mask** in your child's school bag. The school does not have spares.
4. Be reminded as per our COVID-19 policy, if any learner shows symptoms or has come into contact with someone who has the virus, they need to self-isolate and go for a COVID-19 test before returning to school.
5. Learners should wear the P.E sports uniform on their allocated P.E days. If you are unsure of what days your child does P.E, please follow up with the classroom teacher.
6. Stationery – Please replace stationery items that are finished.

Late Comers

Please ensure that your child arrives at school on time. The bell rings at 8am for morning line-up and then the learners go to class for registration. The Gr 00/00 – Gr 2 classes start at 08:15, therefore all learners need to be at school before 08:15 as it can be disruptive to the rest of the class when a learner arrives late.

Honorable Mention

Congratulations to Zama Mbele for achieving 55 merits. Well done and keep up the great work. We are so proud!

Congratulations

Congratulations to our SRC for receiving their badges.

They are:

Mercedez Anthony
Sinelizwi Bonongo
Faith Byrne
Tiaan du Preez
Sarrinah Mirando
Aiden Stother



Stars of the Week

Grade 00/000	Ilmeeyat Sampson	Grade 3	Lunathi Thabe
Grade R	Xkylar Pillay	Grade 4	Anie Inyangudo
Grade 1	Kenzi Van Louw	Grade 5	Richard Muronda
Grade 2	Hunter Gengiah	Grade 6	Genevieve Clarke



Happy Birthday!

A very Happy Birthday to the following learners who celebrate their birthdays this week.



Gr 4	Eudesalo Manuel	25 August
Gr 2	Isabella Stemmet	26 August
Gr 1	Aryahi Makka	27 August
Gr 3	Omolemo Tone	28 August

Message from our principal Mr. D Swart

Hours, days, weeks and months go by so quickly and before you know it, it is too late...to study for your upcoming exam, to plan for university, to get a new job, but most importantly, to say your last goodbye!

Time waits for no man, a neither does death...the one thing that grieving people always say is that they didn't get to say their last goodbye...yes you did!

Sadly you were distracted, too busy or too involved in yourself and your own things to realize that it would be the last time you see your loved one or get to say goodbye!

Please let us start appreciating life and loved ones a little more as we are not promised this life forever. Remember that every time you say good bye or I love you it could be the last time you get to say it, and you will have to live with that last greeting forever.

Life and love are precious...be present in every moment!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Keep safe

Primary School Staff

PRESCHOOLERS GR000 - GR R

Planning for the week 30 August - 3 Sep

Theme for the week: Spring

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:

Letter: Tt

Number :19