



# Newsletter

26 April 2023

## Thank you for the magic...

We really appreciated the effort that was made in dressing up for "World Book Day" last week Friday. It was a huge success and we thoroughly enjoyed seeing all our little ones in character! Happy reading!



## Policy updates...

As you are aware, our school policies are working documents and are constantly adapted as the need arises. We would like to announce a small change to our assessment policy. As of the second term report cycle, the wording on all report seven-point rating scales will state:

Code 7: Outstanding/ Excellent Achievement

Code 6: Good achievement

Code 5: Satisfactory achievement/ Average

Code 4: At risk/ Limited achievement

Code 3: Needs assistance/ Not meeting minimum requirements

Code 2: Struggling/ Not meeting most requirements

Code 1: Not achieving any requirements

Our Grade 1-3 reports will not have any percentage equivalent in the rating scale rubric.



And while we are discussing reports, our pre-schoolers will receive their first report cards next week. Please feel free to book an appointment with your child's teacher if you would like to discuss the report.

## Upcoming fun events...

Keep an eye on these fun events on the horizon:

2 May: Spider show by Environmental Exhibitions for Grade 1-3

5 May: Cake sale for Grade 1G (Grade 1-3 pupils are invited to bring along pocket money)

5 May: Endangered species show for preschool

5 May: Acrobranching for Grade 5-7



## Take it easy...

A reminder that school closes at normal time today and reopens on Tuesday morning. We have not had any special requests for After Care to remain open on Friday, and the school will be closed. Enjoy the break and make the most of family time!



### Book bags...

Bookbags went out today and need to be returned again on Thursday next week. Remember to report any badly damaged books. You can click on the link below...

<https://forms.gle/hwZxp6ZHpd41NWrD8>

### Sports feedback...

Congratulations to our netball and soccer teams who are making us proud.

The soccer results against Westside

U13 - lost 3-1

U11 - drew 0-0

Netball results against Curro Serengeti

U10 - won 21-1

U11 - won 12-7



### Paper recycling banks...

Our paper recycling bins have been removed by Mpac Recycling, as part of a nation-wide campaign to move paper-recycling receptacles inside properties to avoid vandalism. Our school is still actively involved in paper-recycling. Please continue to bring your recycling paper inside our school property.

Prayerfully and playfully

The Teachers

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