



**FROM MR MAREE'S DESK...**

Mrs Tanya Erasmus will be on maternity leave as of Monday, 15 June 2020. Mrs. Franzel Pieterse, an experienced Art teacher, will cover Mrs Erasmus's lessons. We wish Mr and Mrs Erasmus all the best with the new chapter they are about to embark on.

Our hybrid teaching approach has been implemented successfully and where we had teething problems due technical issues, they were addresses speedily and without delay. It was wonderful welcoming back our Grade 1, 2, 5 and 6 learners this week. Thank you to all



parents and guardians for your support in getting your children to return safely back to school! School will be closed for learners from **Monday, 29 June 2020 to Friday 3 July 2020**. All our learners, their parents and teachers worked incredibly hard since the beginning of the lockdown and deserve a break from schoolwork.

**GRADE 7 SURVEY**

A survey was sent out to our Grade 7 parents and guardians, asking whether your child will be returning to our High School in 2021. We kindly request that you complete the survey as soon as you can as this will secure a place for your child in our High School. Mrs Donne Valkenburg, Deputy Head of Curro Aurora High School, will be addressing our Grade 7 learners on Monday, 15 June 2020 at 10:30am on MS teams. This is an opportunity for our Grade 7 learners to find out more about our high school. Please allow me to also congratulate the High School staff for the manner in which they implemented the remote learning program in the High School. Schooling during the national lockdown continued online without missing a beat or a lesson and learners are able to continue in class as they return to school – job well done!

**PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

Youth Day on **16 June** is a public holiday in South Africa and commemorates a protest which resulted in a wave of protests across the country known as the Soweto uprising of 1976.

**Class groupings to be followed due to school closure on Tuesday, 16 June 2020.**

<b>Monday</b> 15 June Group A	<b>Tuesday</b> 16 June <b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> 17 June Group B	<b>Thursday</b> 18 June Group A	<b>Friday</b> 19 June Group B
<b>Monday</b> 22 June Group B	<b>Tuesday</b> 23 June Group A	<b>Wednesday</b> 24 June Group B	<b>Thursday</b> 25 June Group A	<b>Friday</b> 26 June Group B



### UPDATED CALENDAR 2020

Please see below the amended calendar dates for the remainder of 2020;

**Term 2:** 01 June to 26 June

**Break:** 27 June to 05 July

**Term 3:** 06 July to 23 September

**Break:** 24 to 27 September

**Term 4:** 28 September to 09 December



### GRADE 3 & 4 RETURNING BACK TO SCHOOL

We are excited welcoming back our Grade 3 and 4 learners on Monday, 15 June 2020. Kindly note that we will continue with our online lessons. You have an option of sending your child back to school on alternate days or they can stay at home, continuing with online learning. Our hybrid approach will provide learners, at school and at home, the same lessons. A revised timetable with amended times will be emailed out as well as shared by your child's class teacher via WhatsApp.

As we are expecting an increased number of learners on campus as of this coming Monday, we kindly ask you to drop your child off at the following times, supporting us to apply and manage social distancing;

**Grade 4 learners: from 07:00am to 07:40am**  
and;

**Grade 3 learners: from 07:40am to 08:15 am**

### ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL

1. Approach the gate with the heater off and windows open.
2. Have a pen and your temperature card ready.
3. Drive into TEMPERATURE CHECKPOINT 1, 2 or 3
4. Once a temperature of 37.5°C or lower has been confirmed, drive through to a parking bay for drop off. Grade 3 learners will be assisted in order to go to their classrooms.
5. Learner move to SANITISING STATION 1 or 2 for screening and sanitizing.
6. Once screened, learners must proceed directly to their tutor classrooms.





## OTHER NOTES:

1. Learners can wear their winter uniform or Curro tracksuit to school.
2. Learners needs to be **collected promptly** at the end of a school day unless attending aftercare. Teachers will escort learners to the different gates at the end of the school day. Please let your child's teacher know which gate they will be collected from.
3. Learners waiting for their high school siblings, must wait inside of the quad outside of the Primary School Office. High School siblings must collect them when finishing their school day.
4. Aftercare is fully operational from Monday, 15 June 2020. Parents arriving at school, will need to follow the same procedure as a visitor, temperature check and the recording there of, sanitise and then enter campus, collect learner and leave. Please ensure that you have completed the questionnaire, indicating that your child will return to aftercare.
5. **Private transport companies:**
  - **Drop off** – Learners will follow the normal arrival procedure (temperature check, screening and sanitizing)
  - **Pick up or aftercare collection** – Driver to complete the visitors register, temperature check, sanitise, collect the learner and leave.

## ADJUSTED TIMES:

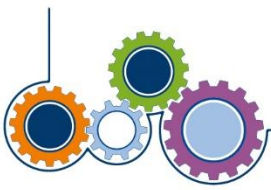
### Grade 3

MONDAY to THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
07:00-08:15	Screening	07:00-08:15	Screening
08:15-08:30	Registration	08:15-08:30	Registration
08:30-08:50	Lesson 1	08:30-09:10	Lesson 1
08:50-09:40	Lesson 2	09:10-09:50	Lesson 2
09:40-10:00	Break 1	09:50-10:10	Break 1
10:00-10:50	Lesson 3	10:10-10:55	Lesson 3
10:50-11:40	Lesson 4	10:55-11:40	Lesson 4
11:40-12:00	Break 2	11:40-12:00	Break 2
12:00-12:50	Lesson 5	12:00-13:00	Lesson 5
12:50-13:45	Lesson 6		

### Grade 4

MONDAY to THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
07:00-07:45	Arrival, screening, sanitizing	07:00-07:45	Arrival, screening, sanitizing
08:15-08:30	Tutor and register	08:15-08:30	Tutor and register
08:30-09:20	Lesson 1	08:30-09:20	Lesson 1
09:20-10:10	Lesson 2	09:20-10:10	Lesson 2
10:10-10:30	Break 1	10:10-10:40	Break 1
10:30-11:25	Lesson 3	10:40-11:30	Lesson 3
11:25-12:15	Lesson 4	11:30-12:15	Lesson 4
12:15-12:35	Break 2	12:15-13:00	Lesson 5
12:35-13:45	Lesson 5		





## BREAKTIMES AND TUCKSHOP

Break times are staggered between the Foundation Phase, Intermediate Phase and High School. Additional members of staff will be on duty during breaktimes. Learners will be able to buy and food from the Milky Way Tuck-shop. Perspex screens have been set up at the tuck-shop as a further measure to apply social distancing. Learners are encouraged to pay with their Lunch Card, Snap Scan or Bank Card. Learners will be reminded and encouraged to sanitize before eating and drinking.

## Yours in education

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