



Randfontein Primary School

Grade R

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Dear Parents / Guardians

STAFF MATTERS



We would like to welcome Mrs R Small and Mr. R Small who joined our staff in the Intersen Phase. Wishing them both all the best.

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH 1 - 31 October 2024

The incidence of breast cancer among South African women is increasing and it is one of the most common cancers among women in South Africa. It is the most prevalent cancer amongst white and Asian women and the second most common cancer among black and coloured women.

Facts about breast cancer:

Early detection of the condition can lead to effective treatment and a positive prognosis. About 90% of patients survive for many years after diagnosis when breast cancer is detected at the early stages.

Regular self-breast examination and regular mammograms are key to early detection.

Presenting yourself early for treatment may result in more effective treatment, leading to a reduction in pain and suffering and a significant decrease in the loss of life.

The designation of October as "Breast Cancer Awareness Month" in South Africa reflects a nationwide drive by public and private healthcare structures to raise awareness of this debilitating disease across all races and class structures.



GRADE R GRADUATION PHOTOS DATE: MONDAY, 4 NOVEMBER 2024

The photos will be taken at school, learners must be dressed in full school uniform.

Package cost: R500

Please note that the R500 is a once off all-inclusive payment.

Package includes the following:

- 1 x A4 Photo
- 2 x A5 Photos
- 1 x Postcard Photo
- 1 x 4ID Photos

(1x Photo will be used for the certificate)

Gown hire



HOMework

THEME



Parents, please discuss the theme with the learners at home. Discuss the different kinds of birds, where they live and what they eat.

ORAL COUNTING

Oral Counting Forwards: 1 to 20
Oral Counting Backwards: 10 - 0

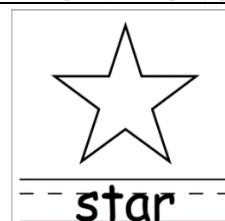
1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20

COLOUR



Please help your child recognize and identify the colour BLUE.

SHAPE OF THE WEEK



Please help your child with recognising a STAR.

SOUND

Please help your child with the sound "D d".



Dolphin



Dog



Duck

Humble Request



Learners are requested to bring toiletries, clothes, sanitary towels & non-perishable food (tinned food, soup packets etc.) to the school that will be donated to charity. This project will run until the end of November.

DO NOT PASS BY a man in need, for you may BE THE hand of God TO HIM.

-Proverbs 3:27

RAISE KIDS TO BE RESPECTFUL ADULTS

Let us teach our children how to behave at home and at school. We often forget that kids are not born with a built-in sense of respect for others. While each child has a different personality, all children need to be respectful. People wonder why children are so disrespectful these days. We see them arguing with adults. As parents, our job is to coach kids to be able to function in the world, this means teaching them to behave respectfully towards others, not just us, their parents. The most effective way to teach kids respect is to model it ourselves. Our children may not thank us now or later, but that's okay. It's about doing the right thing.

I ❤️ my tuckshop

Please remember to send R20 to school on a Friday. Please note that even if your child has tuck money, a lunch box with a snack must still be sent. Thank you for your cooperation.



2025

TERM	DURATION
1	15 January – 28 March
2	8 April – 27 June
3	22 July – 3 October
4	13 October – 12 December



Please make sure that your child has the necessary stationery.

- Colouring book
- Retractable Crayons
- Pritt (Glue) x2

These items are essential for working in class:

- Box of tissues
- Wet wipes
- Soap



Global Handwashing Day
October 15

Global Handwashing Day is an annual global advocacy day dedicated to increasing awareness and understanding about the importance of handwashing with soap as an effective and affordable way to prevent diseases. It is an opportunity to design, test, and replicate creative ways to encourage people to wash their hands with soap at critical times.

Since the first Global Handwashing Day in 2008, when over 120 million children around the world washed their hands with soap in more than 70 countries, community and national leaders have used Global Handwashing Day to spread the word about handwashing, built sinks and tippy taps, and have demonstrated the simplicity and value of clean hands.

Global Handwashing Day is designed to

- Foster and support a global and local culture of handwashing with soap
- Shine a spotlight on the state of handwashing around the world
- Raise awareness about the benefits of handwashing with soap

Marking this important day also serves as a call for all South Africans to wash hands regularly especially after using the toilet, changing baby nappies, handling waste and before preparing food.



LEARNERS MUST NOT BUY ANY FOOD/SNACKS SOLD OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL PREMISES. LEARNERS MUST ONLY BUY FROM THE SCHOOL'S TUCKSHOP.



GRADE R SCHOOL FEES FOR 2024

R12 100 per year. The full amount is payable but an allowance is made to pay R1 100 per month over 11 months.

We urge parents to pay school fees promptly and to budget accordingly to alleviate any financial burden. Payment can be made at school (Card or Cash) or a DIRECT PAYMENT into the school account.

SCHOOL BANKING DETAILS:

NEDBANK: RANDFONTEIN
ACC NO: 19 89 06 03 31
BRANCH CODE: 198 941
FAX NO: 086 515 3219

Please include your child's reference number, name and surname on your deposit slip each time payment is made.



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ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE... MATTHEW 19:26

"When the time is right, I, The Lord, will make it happen."

Isaiah 60:22

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