



Mayfair Convent School

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17th January 2017

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

A very warm welcome to a new year back at school. May 2017 be challenge free and abundantly blessed with joy, peace, love and good health.

A special word of welcome to our new learners and our two new teachers – Mr. M. Janse van Rensburg - Gr. 5, 6, 7 SS ; Mrs. D vd Haer – Gr. 6 Homeroom and Gr. 6 English We pray that their association with us will be a long and happy one.

School is already in full swing. The Gr. 4-7 learners have already been given test timetables. We urge learners to fully engage with their studies from day 1! Work diligently and neatly, always be proud to show off your beautiful work!! Revision of tables and reading is **a daily task**. Please don't skip any day.

School Times:

It is important that learners arrive on time every day. Day starts with communal prayers and then move on to classes for RE lessons. Exams are written in this subject therefore attention needs to be given to RE. It is an engaging subject and learners are invited to share the knowledge taught with the parents.

NB: School starts 7.40 sharp.

School ends 2pm for Gr. 3-7

1pm for Gr. R & 1

1.30pm for Gr. 2

On Wednesdays school will end at 3pm for everyone to accommodate **extra-murals as from 1st February 2017.**

Parents meetings:

If a parent wishes to see a teacher, you need to make an appointment through the office. Teachers are not allowed to leave classes during teaching time.

Events calendar:

January: Term 1

11/01	Learners school start
13/01	Gr. 7 Mass
16/01	Gr. R start school
25/01	Gr. 4 Parents meeting 5pm-6pm
26/01	Gr. 5 Parents meeting 5pm-6pm
30/01	Gr. R-3 & Gr. 6 Parents meeting 5pm-6pm
31/01	Gr. 7 Parents meeting 5pm-6pm

School fees:

All deposits should now be paid and will be deducted from fees.

Gr. 0 – 3 had to pay for stationery:

Gr. 0	R800.00
Gr. 1	R1 600.00
Gr. 2	R1 800.00
Gr. 3	R1 800.00

These books and stationery are provided by school and given to learners as required by the teachers.

Fees for 2017:

Gr. 0	
Fees:	R14 700.00
Educational Development Fees	<u>R 2 300.00</u>
Total	R17 000.00
Gr. 1-7	
Fees:	R13 700.00
Educational Development Fees	<u>R 2 300.00</u>
Total	R16 000.00

Uniform:

We are proud of our uniform and expect it to be worn correctly at all times.

Code of Conduct:

We request that learners revise this regularly to know what acceptable behaviour is and what is not. This includes attitudes and manners.

Safety and Security:

Please ensure learners are not left unattended at school. All learners who are not in aftercare or busy with extra-mural activities may **not** loiter at school after 3 pm as there is no supervision on the grounds at that time. Uncle Simphiwe at the gate has other duties after 3pm. Please note this is for the SAFETY of learners!

Message from HOD Foundation Phase:

Welcome back to a very productive Term 1, where work is already underway. Kindly ensure that all books are covered according to the instructions and returned to school. I trust we will work well together this year in the best interest of our children. God's richest blessings for the year ahead and may our journey together building a solid foundation for our learners be fruitful and show in their achievements. – Mrs. van der Merwe

Message from Intermediate Phase HOD:

Greeting parents and welcome to 2017 and back to the most important duty as a parent and teacher educating the most unique creation, your child. It is imperative that we work together to educate and mould these learners into excellent individuals who will strive for success. They need your constant motivation and input. Therefore I pray that together we will guide these children to do their best. Good luck!!
Mrs. Abrahams

Message from RE Co-ordinator:

Wishing you a Blessed and Prosperous 2017. It is a new beginning and we are grateful to God for all the gifts bestowed on all of us. Let us "Live each day in the sufficiency of God's Grace and trust Him in all things" Sr. Miriam

Message from Principal:

Martin Luther King said: "Faith is the first step even when you don't see the whole staircase"

Mark 9:23 Jesus said: "All things are possible for one who believes"
We wish all a successful year ahead.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. A. Filiantris
Principal