



Mayfair Convent School

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19th January 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians,

2018!! A year of greatness. We wish you all the very best as we start this year with renewed energy and enthusiasm.

A very warm welcome to all our new Gr. 1's and O's and all the new families that have joined our Mayfair Convent School community. We look forward to a long challenge free relationship as we grow your children's basic foundation education.

A special word of praise and gratitude to our very capable strong team of teachers, who are all ready, well prepared and enthusiastic to dive into the 2018 academic year. Your children are in very good hands.

See it.....

Say it

Sorted!

This is our motto for school life this year. You will hear much of this, this year. In children's books to monitor academic progress; sport fields and classroom behaviour; neatness; environment; etc. Every aspect of school life will be governed by "See it.. Say itSorted!" campaign. As we unroll our campaign you will learn more about it. Watch this space!!

Our aim is to involve our house teams more pro-actively to build a spirit of belonging and pride with our learners. Points will be awarded to houses for all aspects of school life. With some rewards along the way.

School terms:

TERM	DURATION
1	17 JANUARY 2018 – 28 MARCH 2018
2	10 APRIL 2018 – 22 JUNE 2018
3	17 JULY – 28 SEPTEMBER 2018
4	9 OCTOBER 2018 – 1 DECEMBER 2018
MIDTERM	23 FEBRUARY – 25 FEBRUARY 2018

Events calendar:

EVENTS CALENDAR 2018 –

Term 1

January 2018:

- 15/01 School start Teachers
- 17/01 School start learners
- 19/01 Gr. 7 Mass
- 22/01 Gr. R Start
- 23/01 Fun Fit Buddies demo
- 29/01 -02/02 Creation Week Display
- 31/01 Gr. 7 Parents Meeting 5-6pm
- 31/01 Gr. 4 Parents meeting 5-6pm

February 2018:

- 01/02 Raffle forms out
- 07/02 Gr. 6 Parents meeting 5-6pm
- 07/02 Gr. 5 Parents meeting 5-6pm
- 07/02 Gr. 0-3 Parents meeting 5-6pm
- 08/02 Cross Country Inter House
- 09/02 Valentine's Day goodie sale – Gr. 7
- 13/02 Shrove Tuesday
- 14/02 Ash Wednesday
- 14/02 Extra-mural activities start
- 16/02 Valentine's Day Civvies red and white – R5
- 15/02 No Place for you Bullies show – R40 per learner
- 21/02 Gr 4 & 5 Soccer & Netball Interhouse
- 23/02 – 25/02 MIDTERM BREAK**
- 28/02 Gr. 2 Cake sale

Gr. 0	R900.00	
Gr. 1	R1800.00	Foundation Phase Stationery costs
Gr. 2	R1900.00	
Gr. 3	R1900.00	

Fees for 2018:

Gr. 0		
Fees:		R15 000.00
Educational Development Fees		<u>R 3 300.00</u>
Total		R18 300.00
Gr. 1-7		
Fees:		R14 000.00
Educational Development Fees		<u>R 3 300.00</u>
Total		R17 300.00

Banking details:

Name:	Mayfair Convent School
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Branch:	Fordsburg
Branch code:	5205
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Type:	Current Account
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Message from Intermediate HOD:

Welcome back to 2018 and wishing you all a peaceful, stress free New Year. A challenging year awaits us all and I pray that we will endeavour to meet all the challenges set before us and make this a successful 2018. To all the learners and educators may we strive for excellence as we "See it, Say it, Sorted!" God bless. Mrs G Abrahams

Message from Foundation Phase HOD:

A warm and blessed welcome to Term 1 of 2018. Please take the time to familiarize yourself with the content of your child's workbooks. Homework will be based on the work covered in class and it is important that it is **completed by the learner and checked and signed by the parent.** If you are unsure of what to do, please send a note to the teacher. Work is already well underway in all classes. Please encourage your child to always try hard and be involved in their day to day activities. Have a wonderful term of learning and stay blessed. Mrs T van der Merwe

Message from RE Co-ordinator:

Wishing you a beautiful year ahead, full of endless possibilities. The theme for the Catholic Schools for the year is "Keeping God's Children Safe" and we are conscious of the children of our country and our world as they are vulnerable to being victims of abuse. We are also embarking on a campaign that will help and empower our learners to express their experiences and observations. Our campaign is called "See it..Say it....Sorted!"
Sr. Miriam

Message from Principals Desk:

Like toddlers learning to walk, we all stumble and fall sometimes. But God, like a proud Father, is waiting to pick us up, dust us off, and cheer us on as we try again. I pray that the challenges that await us in 2018, are few and that we will walk the road with courage and determination to make our community a better one. May God bless you all abundantly with patience, wisdom, good health and love in 2018.

The world economy no longer pays you for what you know. Google knows everything. The world pays you for what you can do with what you know.

[Sunday Times 14/01/2018]

Yours faithfully

Mrs A Filiantris
Principal