



Prep's Mail

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Quote of the week: I have no special talent. I am only passionately curious – Albert Einstein

Headmaster's message for the week:

Dear Parents

This week the teachers will phone and make appointments to those parents that we need to see. Our academic programme continues and the Stage 1 and 2 students are practising for their performance next week Monday namely Grinch.

Next week we are busy but I will inform you soon on arrangements.

Thank you – Michael de Kock HM

Rising 4s – Theme: My Body

Mathematics

- Recognise, trace and colour number 4.
- Recognise colour green.
- Count objects from 1-5.
- Sort objects according colour.

Language:

- Story time (Body Talk).
- Discussion (importance of having body parts).
- Sing songs, rhymes and recite poems about my body.
- Sound /f/ song.

Art:

- Draw their detailed body portraits.
- Tear and paste colourful papers on the body structure them.
- Colour their body parts.
- Make boy/girl collage.

Stage 1

-Revision of all covered during the term.

Reception - Theme (Houses)

Mathematics:

- Number recognition using houses template.
- One to one correspondence using different houses (numbers 1-9).

Language:

- Story time (emphasizing sound /h/).
- Phonemic awareness (sound /h/).
- Theme discussion (Houses).

Art:

- Letter and sound /h/paint collage.
- Creative art (houses)
- Sound /h/craft.

Stage 2

ENGLISH

- Prefixes
- Creative writing (giving and instruction following)
- Spell "oa" words
- Reading comprehension

MATHEMATICS

- Length continues
- Lines of symmetry
- Addition
- Subtraction
- Simple word problems

SCIENCE

- Types of rocks

GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

- Collecting different kinds of rocks

PSW

- Taking care of our environment

Stage 3

English:

Reading and Comprehension:

Non Fiction: Make a grass hat

Grammar

Tenses

Spelling

Words with (ph)

Creative writing

Rewrite instructions

- ❖ Please remind your child to read everyday
- ❖ Rewrite instructions
- ❖ Spelling test Friday 29th September 2017

Mathematics

Place value

Addition – carrying forward

Science

- Flowering plants
- Parts of a plant

Geography

- Our environment
- Denoting professions and trades

Stage 4

Math

- positive and negative numbers
- mental math

English

Grammar

- apostrophe

Comprehension

- where the mountain meets the moon
- Spelling (-dge)

Science

Habitats(cont)

Social studies

Chocolate

How chocolates are processed

Stage 5

English:

- Spelling: Consolidation of vocabulary words from the past examination papers.
- Reading: Looking at the characteristics of traditional literature.
- Grammar: Metaphors and similes.
- Writing: The story of Sue Ellen and her kite.

Mathematics:

- Fractions

Science:

- Evaporation and Condensation.
- Investigating evaporation and condensation.

Social Studies:

- History: My family.
- Geography: Map work. How to use a map to find direction.

Stage 6

MATHS	ENGLISH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL-STUDIES
Multiplication, Comparing fractions <, > = Simplifying fractions	Revision: autobiography Grammar , punctuation in autobiography Comprehension: challenging higher order questions Spelling list	Electricity	Tourism Class work Feedback from the excursion

Sesotho

Stage 1: Bana ba bopa mantsoe ka molumo –l,m-.

Stage 2: Bana ba bala seratsoang le ho araba lipotso.

Stage 3: Bana ba tsoela pele ka tokiso ea hlahlobo.

Stage 4: Bana ba tsoela pele ka tokiso ea hlahlobo.

Stage 5: Bana ba tsoela pele ka tokiso ea hlahlobo.

Stage 6: Bana ba tsoela pele ka tokiso ea hlahlobo.

French

Stage 1 – Les sons

Stage 2 – L'heure

Stage 3 – Les Animaux

Stage 4 – L'heure

Stage 5 & 6 – Les Adjectifs

Entrepreneurship

1. Minipreneurs (Year 1 & 2)

2. Minipreneurs (Year 3 - 6)