



Frances  
Vorweg

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School for Cerebral Palsied and Learning Disabled Children

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Dear Parents

The days and weeks seems to fly past so quickly. Friday has arrived and thus it's another time to reflect and share some news.

The lesson I share with you this week is taken **from Deuteronomy 11:18-19, which says "Fix these words of mine in your hearts and minds. . . . Teach them to your children, talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up."**



All children love stories. When they are small, we read to them, and the story often leads to exciting conversations. Stories stimulate emotions. Asking children, "How does that make you feel?" is a way of helping them learn to express emotions. Children also like to hear about your childhood. Parents and grandparents give the child a sense of belonging and family history when they share such stories.

If you have children, remember that reading and telling stories is one way to give a child quality time. For those brief moments, the child has your undivided attention. If this is the child's primary love language, then nothing is more important in making him or her feel loved. When you meet a child's need for love, you are laying the foundation for a bright future.

The Bible is also clear that telling stories of the faith is an important way to teach our children about God. Whether we're retelling events from the Bible or sharing about how God works in our lives, we can set a strong foundation of faith—even as we spend important minutes with our kids. Your whole family will benefit.

May I ask that you share your story, your life your environment your hope and your plans with your children. Help them by doing this, to create a vision board that will give them guidance and a good foundation into their futures.

Every blessing!



## Arrangements for end of Term

The end of the school term fast approaches. I'm sure the July holidays will be a welcome break for both learners and teachers.

School times for the last day of school are as follows:

- School **closes on 24 June 2022**
- Learners leave at 10:00
- Teachers and staff leave at 11:00



School **reopens on 19 July 2022**



## ENTELECT RACE FOR VICTORY - SUNDAY 28th August 2022

It's that time of the year when we need your support. Our biggest fundraising project takes place on Sunday 28th August 2022

The money raised aids in the running of the school, thus keeping the school fees in a reasonable range. We need parents to voluntarily donate their services as marshals during this event. It is a fun day out and we need all the helpers we can get. We are required to provide foot marshals for the event. We encourage each and every parent to avail themselves for the day. If you know of any people or companies who are willing to assist us on the day, please contact Mrs. Troy Strydom (0722855686)

There will be a training session before the race to show you the ropes. It is a super fun day out!

## PHOTO DAY 2022

We will have our annual photo day at Frances Vorweg School on Monday 1 August 2022. Please place all orders no later than 29 July 2022 by sending the payment to your child's register class, clearly stating what you would like to order.

### **INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS:**

- 1 X 15 X 20cm (A5)
- 1 X 10 X 15cm (Jumbo)
- 2 X 4 X 6cm photos
- 1 X bookmark

**Price: R120,00**

### **CLASS PHOTO:**

- 1 X 15 X 20cm

**Price: R60,00**



### Sports and sun wear



We would like to encourage all our learners to purchase or obtain a maroon cap for sport and the occasions when time must be spent in the sun

The caps are available for R40.00 at the school from Miss L. Potgieter at the school.

Please provide this protection to your children...too many children have skin damage as a result from sun exposure.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

*Children will only be photographed for the individual photos if payment has been received before 1 August 2022.*

## Items of Value at School

Valuable / expensive items such as tablets, speakers etc. should not be brought to school. Only their cell phone and earphones are allowed and MUST be handed in to their register teacher during register period. Secondly, as we value the lives and health of our learners, we encourage them to bring healthy food to school. Parents are reminded that NO energy drinks are allowed at all. No fizzy drinks, sweets, chocolates etc. are to be consumed before 12:00.

## School Dress-up

Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> June is dress-up day. Learners are invited to wear hats and takkies for the school, while teachers and staff will be dressing as “old” folk. We also ask parents to ensure that no extra items of clothing such as fancy wear is brought



## School Reports

School reports will be handed out on the last day of the school term. Please ensure that you receive the envelope with notices and the school report from your child.

## Youth Day & School Holiday



Youth day will be celebrated on 16 June 2022. Please participate safely and perhaps enjoy the time together as a family.

Kindly note that the **17<sup>th</sup> June is a school holiday** and the school will be closed on this day.

## Parents Meet and Greet

We will have a ‘meet and greet day on **23<sup>rd</sup> July from 08:30-10:30** for all parents in our Phases to get together with the teachers and to discuss their child’s report, progress and outcomes. Please diarise this day as the opportunity to meet with your child’s teacher.

## Donating Blood



It is our intention to invite the Blood Donors to participate in a school drive to donate blood to the SANBS in the 3<sup>rd</sup> term. We will advise you on more of the ‘giving back’ venture in the 3<sup>rd</sup> term.

I trust you will enjoy a wonderful weekend

*Mark Lynch*

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IS BEST CLEARED  
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ALONE**