



Edenglen Primary School

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Dear Parents

1. **EXAMS AND REPORTS**

The exams are now behind us! Thank you to all our children, teachers and parents who have put in so much effort and hard work to maintain the high standards of Edenglen Primary School. If there are no further problems with the data base or unforeseen problems, reports will be issued on the last day of school (9 July).

2. **STAFF VACCINATIONS**

The process to vaccinate staff will begin on Monday 28 June and will continue on Tuesday 29 June. The school will close at 12:00 on these two days as staff members have been allocated time slots at the designated venue in Boksburg. Please ensure that you collect your children on time as there will be no staff on the premises due to the vaccination process taking place. Due to skeleton staff being available, we will be doing revision on these two days.

3. **MISSED ASSESSMENTS**

Some learners missed out on writing exams as they were isolating or in quarantine. It is imperative that these assessments be caught up before the reports for Term Two can be issued. Mrs Kunene has issued a catch-up timetable for these exams. If you did not receive this timetable, please email ekunene@edenglenprimary.co.za for further information.

4. **REMAINDER OF THE TERM**

A few parents have contacted the school to ask if they can keep their children at home once exams and assessments have been completed as they are apprehensive about the spread of the COVID-19 virus. Whilst the impact of the virus has been relatively small, more and more children are having to isolate due to adults in the family coming into contact with positive cases.

Throughout next week, the teachers will be handing back the exams and working through them with the children. Thereafter, further consolidation of these concepts will be done.

Please note that the school may not give permission for children to stay at home unless there is a valid reason, such as having to isolate or quarantine, or illness. In such instances, parents need to notify the school in writing.

As rumours persist that the President may enforce a harder lockdown in Gauteng, we encourage our families to ensure that they have access to Microsoft Teams so that we are prepared for any eventuality. It must be emphasised that this is not to be interpreted as fact that schools will be affected, but is merely a precautionary measure to ensure that our children can continue with the academic programme.

5. ADMISSIONS FOR 2022

There is still no definite date as to when admissions for 2022 will open. All prospective Grade One and Grade Eight parents must monitor the media as further announcements will be made through the news. The schools have received training on admissions, so it is expected that the process will commence shortly. As soon as the information is released, we will make it available via the D6.

6. RETURN TO WINTER UNIFORM

The learners were permitted to wear civvies this week. As from Monday, full winter uniform must be worn again. Please refer to the homework diary for the correct winter uniform.

7. COVID-19 NEWS

A joint letter from all the Edenvale schools was posted on the D6 this week. As the virus spreads throughout Edenvale and Gauteng, the schools are working together to do what it can to manage the pandemic.

8. P A NEWS

The school would like to extend its heartfelt thanks to all the sponsors of the Mother's Day and Father's Day gifts. They are:

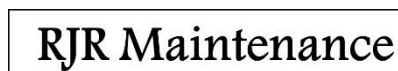
Mother's Day Raffle

- Karaglen Spar – Hamper valued at R700 – what a treat!
- Essential Aroma – Voucher for a Paraffin Pedicure – so good.
- Italchain – sponsored 3 beautiful necklaces for the special mummies.
- Hygea Beauty Products – sponsored 3 pamper hampers - stunning!
- Parent and PA mom who sponsored the amazing weekend away at St Helen's Bay. Thank you, Palesa.
- Honest Hand crafted – sponsored 2 sets of earrings.



Father's Day Raffle

- 082 Carwash – carwash vouchers. – kids are off the hook to wash dad's car!
- Wicked Indulgence – 3 biltong and sweet hampers – yum yum!
- Sally Flowers – Sweetie Hamper – mmmm!
- Manny Hardware – R1000 voucher – Do you need a special tool? Manny's has it for you.
- Jose Tavern and Oyster Bar- Voucher of R500 – what a treat!
- Planet Hair- Hot Towel Shave. So soothing!
- RJR Maintenance – Chocolate hamper – Delicious!
- Honest Hand crafted – 3 tool key rings.



Yours Faithfully

Ms H BROODRYK

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