

SOUTHFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

12 July 2020

PARENT NOTICE: Update on Week 1 (6-10 July 2020)

Dear Parents and Guardians

On Monday, 6 July 2020 we saw the return of all our grades. It was wonderful seeing our learners after a very long break. They were all prepared and ready for the new way of schooling. All teachers had good experiences and are eagerly awaiting week 2.

See below the average attendance figures for Week 1. On average we had 70 learners per day at school in Week 1.

- Grade R = 7
- Grade 1 = 8
- Grade 2 = 7
- Grade 3 = 9
- Grade 4 = 10
- Grade 5 = 10
- Grade 6 = 8
- Grade 7 = 12

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Screening must take place at home before your child departs for school.
- If your child displays flu-like symptoms, keep him/her at home as a precaution.
- The school gates open at 7:00 am and close at 14:00 pm. Please notify us if you will be collecting your child late.
- Aftercare is operational. Please contact Mrs Debbie Foster.
- School hours:
 - Grade R to Grade 3 - 8:00 -13:00 Monday -Thursday and 8:00 -12:20 on a Friday.
 - Grades 4 to Grade 7: 8:00 - 13:15 Monday -Thursday and 8:00 - 12:30 on a Friday.
- Grade R's enter and exit using the Dirkie Uys Street entrance.
- Grades 1 - 7 enter and exit using the Baartman Street entrance.
- Rainy days (what to do when it rains at the end of the school day?)
 - Grade R's must be collected in their usual spot.
 - Grades 1-7 must be collected from the school hall. Physical distancing will be implemented. Parents are allowed to drive onto the school premises to collect their child. Please drive cautiously when on the school premises. Exit the school premises using the Pretorius Street gate.
- Adhere to the groups formulated by the teachers. Group 3 will be at school on Monday, 13 July. If you are unsure, liaise with your child's class teacher.
- School fees can be paid in the school hall every morning between 7:15 - 8:00.
- All parents will be screened and must wear a mask when visiting the school.
- Please contact the school if you have not yet updated your contact details. This is important.

- Term 2 ends on Friday, 7 August 2020.

If you have feedback/suggestions please feel free to liaise with me via email at southfps@mweb.co.za or telephonically at 021 705 6156.

We in it to beat it.

Mr Bevil Velensky

Principal