

Kidz Chronicle



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Our theme for this year is:

Accept and Embrace CHANGE

Special points of interest:

20th Novembertomorrow—THE BIG DAY!
Gr RR and R Grad and
Grade 1 Prizegiving
Grade RRa and RRb09h00 – 10h00
Grade RA, RB and RC10h30 – 11h30
Prizegiving Grade 1
12h00 – 13h30

Controlled Tests start next week Monday 22nd Nov-26th Nov

Grade 7 Farewell
Happy Valley
02nd December

Friday 03rd December – Learners last day Prizegiving Saturday 4th Dec Grade 2 and 3 -08h30 – 10h30 Grade 4,5,6 and 7 11h00 – 13h00

New Parent's Meeting 06th December 8h30 - 10h00

End of Year 2021

This is our final Newsletter for 2021.

As we approach the last stretch of our school term of 2021 may I thank you all for your support and encouragement this year.

I would like to applaud the efforts of our learners. They continue to tackle each challenge with positivity and determination.

I would like to thank the entire team who work so hard for our learners at CityKidz. Our team is incredible. Our maintenance and administration team ensure the smooth running of the school behind the scenes. Our teachers have been amazing, and we appreciate the work they do at the 'coal face' of learning.

The fact that the school has continued to operate seamlessly, with a consistently high standard of professionalism, is a tribute to their resilience and sheer strength of character. Plus, the support and care they show for each other is genuine and heart -warming.

Once again I am incredibly grateful for all the support and commitment from, our Director, Renney Plit and Operations Manager, Michael Lewis.

I would also like to thank Jaime Jacobson and Gordon Bouwer from EyeWorx a division of Babereki for testing and supplying OVER 200 children with glasses. We were certainly privileged to receive this incredible offer from EyeWorx. I would like to wish all our Grade 7 learners every success in the future and hope they continue to carry our school name with pride. We look forward to welcoming you all back, relaxed and refreshed for 2022. School starts on the 13th January 2022. Enjoy the festive season!



November 2021

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FRIDAY







Products and processes - From a tree to paper.

The Grade 3s, class of 2021 decided to end the year in style. They took on the perfect project of paper weaving, to show case their growing talents in Arts and Crafts. After learning how paper is processed from the trees, it was an awesome experience to discover how they can use paper in many creative ways.

They had fun learning how to weave using paper. Using contrasting coloured paper showed their thinking and imaginative abilities to create all sorts of master pieces. The results were beautifully crafted items like: baskets, handbags, table mats, water creatures and even the rockets!

Different types of paper including magazines and newspaper was used as a way of emphasizing and reinforcing

our lessons of re-using waste to protect our environment. This project was also a great way for children to learn coordination skills and neatness, as paper weaving requires paying attention to detail.









Solar marvels

This is a scene that many parents do not see. It was a true behind-the-scenes look at something beautiful. I would like to share with you the heart and passion of a single teacher, Mr Richard Mathekga. Parents were well aware of the NST projects learners had to submit to cover their SBT marks for the term. A project depicting the solar system was given to our learners to complete.

Learners submitted their projects early in the morning, and some nosy teachers were very impressed with the

scale and creativity of the projects. I anonymously peeked through the door of

Mr. Mathekga's class, and what a beautiful sight I beheld! His class, floor and desk were covered with projects depicting our grand solar system. I could not

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resist the temptation to take a photo and share it with you as parents who take an interest in the work of your children. Mr Mathekga was just as excited about every project as the learners were to hand them in for marks. I wish to extend a big thank you to the parents. We can always rely on you to assist your children with homework and projects. Keep up the stellar work!



Foundation Phase

Grade RR -R: Supplies for 2022

Please send the following supplies with your child on the first day of school:

- 2 glue sticks
- 4 toilet rolls
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 2 reams of paper
- 1 packet of wet wipes

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Grade 4 -7: Supplies for 2022

Please send the following supplies with your child on the first day of school:

- 2x reams of paper
- 2x boxes of tissues
- 4x toilet Rolls
- 1x Afrikaans/ English dictionary
- 4x Blue pens (they only get one in stationery pack)

Grade 1 - 3: Supplies for 2022

Please send the following supplies with your child on the first day of school:

- 6 pencils
- 2 glue sticks
- 4 toilet rolls
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 2 reams of paper
- 1 packet of wet wipes

(Should your child lose them you will be required to buy more.)

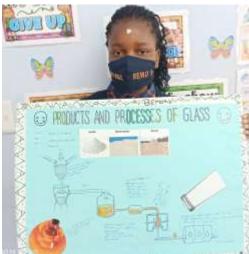














Controlled Tests — Timetable

Monday 22nd November First Session 08h00-10h00	Session 1: Maths Gr 4,5, 6 & 7 Session 2: Technology Gr 7		
Break 10h00-10h30 Second Session 10h30 - 12h30	All children leave at 12h30		
Tuesday 23rd November First Session 08h00-10h00	Session 1: English Gr 4, 5, 6 and 7 Session 2: Life Skills/PSW Gr 4-6		
Break 10h00-10h30	Session 2: Life Orientation Gr 7		
Second Session 10h30 - 12h30	All children leave at 12h30		
Wednesday 24th November	Session 1: SS- Hist Gr 4, 5, 6 & 7		
First Session 08h00-10h00	Session 2: Afrikaans Gr 4, 5, 6 & 7		
Break 10h00-10h30 Second Session 10h30 - 12h30	All children leave at 12h30		
Thursday 25th November First Session 08h00-10h00	Session 1: SS- Geog Gr 4, 5, 6 & 7 Session 2: EMS Gr 7		
Break 10h00-10h30 Second Session 10h30 - 12h30	All children leave at 12h30		
Friday 26th November First Session 08h00-10h00 Break 10h00-10h30 Second Session 10h30 - 12h30	Session 1: NS- Gr 7 Session 2: NS/Tech- Grade 4/5/6 Session 2: Creative Arts Gr 7 All children leave at 12h30		

Keeping the sun fun

Summer is here and as we enjoy our sunny South African weather we need to take the time to be aware of sun safety.

According to the Cancer Association of South Africa (CANSA) South Africa has one of the highest rates of skin cancer in the world. CANSA says that sunburn can occur within 15 minutes and the damage caused by this exposure can be permanent.

The sun's ultraviolet (UVA and UVB) rays burn the skin, resulting in sunburns that contribute to wrinkles and other signs of premature aging. Over time, these UVA and UVB rays can lead to basal cell and squamous cell skin cancer.

Children's skin is more susceptible to sun damage than adult skin and the sun damage that can lead to skin cancer often takes place in childhood. Some studies show that several severe sunburns before the age of 18 double the risk of melanoma.

It is important to remember that UV radiation can also cause damage in overcast weather. Help your child to develop these 5 healthy sun safety habits:

- 1. Avoid the intense midday sun
- 2. Wear a hat
- 3. Apply sunscreen every day
- 4. Reapply sunscreen
- 5. Use protective clothing

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Grade 2 Effective Communication.

This week the Grade 2 learners learnt about communication. This topic was not only important to the learners, but it was also a reminder to us as teachers of what is needed to do in our classrooms. As Anthomas Babbins states. "To effectively communicate, we must realize that we are all different in the way we

ny Robbins states, "To effectively communicate, we must realize that we are all different in the way we perceive the world and use this understanding as a guide to our communication with others."

Teachers are always mindful that effective communication is a key aspect within the classroom. To successfully teach children new concepts, only 50% of knowledge is required, the other 50% relies on how a teacher communicates with the learners. Communication with learners does not only entail listening and speaking. Effective communication involves listening, speaking, reading and writing. As a result, teachers are required to master all four modes of communication needed to successfully teach. Being able to do so, teachers will in turn impact the academic success of their learners.

All Grade 2 leaners were given the opportunity to discuss different types of communication that we see and use in our everyday lives. Learners could identify 'old school' forms such as letters and radio communication as well as more modern forms, WhatsApp, sms and e-mails. They also learnt that communication is not only about speaking, but also about listening to what is being said. Learners were then given a chance to show-off their creative side by designing a poster of their favourite form of communication.

It was a really fun lesson for all Grade 2 learners and teachers to see how everyone recognises and understands what communication is in our lives.

The Grade 2 Team.







BEHAVIOUR BANK - MOST MERITS





Most Merits Term 4 Weeks 3 and 4 - ending 19 November 2021							
Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname		
Grade RRA	Nomonde	Kwane	Grade RRB	Miguel	Madisha		
Grade RA	Athenkosi	Du Plessis	Grade RB	Zanokuhle	Simelane		
Grade RC	Nneka	Patrick	Grade 1A	Vusumuzi	Tsoka		
Grade 1B	Tshilidzi	Malahlela	Grade 1C	Sinomso	Nompunga		
Grade 1D	Masego	Nxulwane	Grade 1E	Alunamda	Ganyaza		
Grade 2A	Terren	Maluleke	Grade 2B	Tshiamo	Khesa		
Grade 2C	Melokuhle	Mbuli	Grade 2D	Noluthando	Ntuli		
Grade 3A	Ashley	Magodiela	Grade 3B	Rehema	Mukari		
Grade 3C	Lufuno	Monyae	Grade 3D	Bayanda	Ntuli		
Grade 4A	Dinah	Madisha	Grade 4B	Natalie	Bvute		
Grade 4C	Uyandiswa	Zwane	Grade 4D	Natasha	Moyo		
Grade 5A	Mmanaledi	Mokoena	Grade 5B	Alwande	Mbuli		
Grade 5C	Jayden	Ndlovu	Grade 5D	Tshoarelo	Rapeta		
Grade 6A	Kganya	Thabo	Grade 6B	Enhle	Ngwane		
Grade 6C	Elam	Gaji	Grade 7A	Sandile	Sibanda		
Grade 7B	Nandi	Loate	Grade 7C	Katlego	Kganyago		







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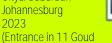


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No one has ever become poor by giving. Anne Frank









Warm Regards



Mrs S Reynolds Principal