



# Kidz Chronicle

CityKidz Pre & Primary School—Strive to achieve

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## DISCIPLINE

Pupils and their parents/guardians have agreed to abide by the school's ethos, policy and rules, including the school's standards of discipline, dress, behaviour, attitudes and social values when they registered their child at CityKidz. Enrolment at this school automatically constitutes acceptance of compliance with the CODE OF CONDUCT and other criteria which may be enforced from time to time during the operation of the school. No learner shall be exempted from the obligation to comply with the CODE OF CONDUCT.



Learners are given copies of the CODE OF CONDUCT and it can be obtained on our school website. We strive to encourage a positive attitude regarding discipline, giving recognition for good behaviour/work by using the Behaviour Bank System and highlighting good behaviour every week through the Most Merits. We prefer to recognise positive behaviour and try not to focus on negative aspects.

Undesirable behaviour is discouraged by the issuing of demerits. This is usually only done after a learner has been warned. We are finding that there is a pattern of negative behaviour emerging amongst a group of Grade 5 and 6 children who refuse to comply with our Code of Conduct. Detention letters have been sent home to parents with details of when the detention will take place and how many demerits were accumulated. If this is inconvenient to any parent, please blame the child and not the teacher. Instilling self discipline teaches responsibility and accountability which is so important.

Children have rights, but also responsibilities. If they do not act responsibly and respect the rights of others, the consequences of further disciplinary action will be initiated. Unfortunately, several learners continually flaunt the rules and suspension letters were issued. We endeavour to resolve behavioural issues as quickly as possible in order to focus on the positive in every child but we believe that the School is an extension of the home, therefore, our role as educators is to work with the parents in dealing with discipline issues and we need the support of all parents.



# Valentine's Day

Grade 7 Poems

What more can I say

It's gonna be quite a day

Love just came my way.

*Limbikani Kadango*

The love of my life

The one and only person

Is so beautiful.

*Langa Ngwenya*

Valentine's love day

People give gifts to others

And say "I love you."

*Nhlanhla Phungula and Desmond Mncube*

I am your first heart

Singing with wonderful joy

Love is beautiful.

*Entle Maqukhanya*





# Yebo Media

Last Saturday a few of our Grade 7's were involved in a photo shoot to demonstrate various science experiments for YEBO Media.

YEBO Media is developing a learner booklet that SABC Education Outreach will distribute to South African children who have limited or no access to science labs or science equipment. The book will feature 20 fun experiments that children can conduct at home with everyday equipment. The booklet will support the Epic Hangout science show on TV.



## What's happening the following week?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
19/02	20/02	21/02	22/02	23/02
Foundation Phase Collect children at 13h30 CASS/FAT	Foundation Phase Collect children at 13h30 CASS/FAT	Foundation Phase Collect children at 14h15 - Extra Mural Program/CASS	Foundation Phase Collect children at 13h30 CASS/FAT	Foundation Phase AND Intersen Phase Collect children at 13h00
		Grade 7 to Squash at ABSA		



# BEHAVIOUR BANK AWARDS

The following learners achieved the most merits in his/her grade last week. We see you working and learning every day.

Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RR	Lesedo	Nkongo	Grade Ra	Atlegang	Ponti
Grade Rb	Oamogetswe	Mosupye	Grade Rc	Luzuko	Ntlebi
Grade 1A	Omphile	Ngcobo	Grade 1B	Lesedi	Tswale
Grade 1C	Reginald	Mokgosi	Grade 1D	Hope	Gumede
Grade 2A	Mivuyo	Gwabeni	Grade 2B	Tshegofatso	Phakedi
Grade 2C	Olerato	Malape	Grade 2D	Anna	Matela
Grade 3A	Lisa	Nkume	Grade 3B	Owami	Odia
Grade 3C	Ashley	Majola	Grade 4A	Kelly	Tshuma
Grade 4B	Unathi	Nkomo	Grade 4C	Victor	Chukwumaeze
Grade 5A	Thandolwethu	Moche	Grade 5B		
Grade 6A	Felix	Setoboli	Grade 6B	Tztzkana	Moyo
Grade 7A	Sipho	Chauke	Grade 7B	Owam	Mbizo

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## GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUESTION FOR THE WEEK

Where is the Taj Mahal?

Answer to question in last newsletter

Which came first, the Jurassic or Cretaceous Period?  
Jurassic Period



Maths Challenge for the week  
Which is bigger (100) OR Ten squared?

Answer to question in last newsletter A baker made 2 cakes of the same size. At the end of the day there was  $\frac{2}{3}$  of a chocolate cake left. There was  $\frac{5}{6}$  of a strawberry cake left. The baker divided the remaining chocolate cake into 2 equal pieces and the remaining strawberry cake into 3 pieces. Which cake flavour had larger pieces and by how much? **As 6 out of 18 slices results in a greater piece, the slice of chocolate cake is therefore larger**



## Quote for the Week

*The limits of the possible can only be defined by going beyond them into the impossible.* Arthur C Clarke

## Spelling Bee

luxurious	malicious
magazine	malign
magistrate	mammoth
mainstream	mandatory
majesty	manifesto
majorettes	manipulation
malevolent	mannerism



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Warm Regards

Mrs S Reynolds  
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