



# HERITAGE ACADEMY

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**TO : Grade 1-12 Parents**  
**FROM: THE PRINCIPAL**

**Circular August 2017**  
**22 August 2017**

Dear Parents

Thank you to the many parents who attended the parent consultation day with our Grade and subject teachers. For those who were not able to make it we encourage you to make appointments to discuss your child's progress with the relevant teachers through the front desk.

## **GRADE 1-3 EXCURSION:**

Thank you for sending your children on the excursion. Please check our website for the latest pictures.

We encourage all parents to take note of all the activities listed below. As we have a very busy term, please encourage your children to attend school regularly, unless they are ill, so that they gain the maximum benefit from lessons.

## **AGM:**

Please note that an AGM notice has been sent out to all parents via email.

A copy of the previous minutes has been sent out as well for you to read.

## **MATRIC BALL**

I wish to thank all the grade 12 parents for the support that they have given our learners in preparing for the Matric Ball. They all looked splendid in their suits and ball gowns. I also wish to thank our staff for the support given as well to make this a memorable event.

### **Third Term Activities**

10-11 August:	Grade 1-3 Excursions
11 August:	Grade 12 Dinner
18 August:	Entrepreneurs Day, HS Speech Contest
23 August:	AGM
25 August:	Grade 4-12 Athletics Day
1 September:	Primary School Spring Day
4-15 September:	Trial Exams
13 September:	Roald Dahl Day
22 September:	Cultural Day

Mr Zane Mchunu, a past Head Boy of Heritage attended the Matric Ball at the request of some of the Grade 12 learners. He spoke briefly on finishing well as a team and motivated the Grade 12's to care for each other by holding one another accountable for their studies and behaviour. He reminded them of their commitment to a 100% pass rate for all.

## **GRADE 12 EXTRA LESSONS**

Please note that our Grade 12 teachers have chosen to assist our Grade 12 learners by conducting extra lessons after school and also on Saturdays. Our goal is to have a 100% pass rate for the class of 2017. During the July Holidays teachers sacrificed two weeks of their school vacation in order to teach extra lessons to our learners.

Please encourage your children to attend school regularly so that they derive the full benefit of these lessons. It would be beneficial for you to also discuss your child's school report and the progress or lack of progress that they are making.

## **SPEECH CONTEST:**

Our High School learners delivered outstanding speeches at the Speech Contest on Friday 18 August 2017. Sandiswa Phungula won first prize with a score of 89.5 out of 90 points. We have asked her to deliver her speech to our parents at the AGM. We applaud her and her fellow contestants for the high standard that they have produced. Thanks goes to Mrs Grieshaber and all the staff who assisted.

Heritage has always striven to walk the high moral ground and will continue to do so. Please continue to pray for us and our learners that God would become the inspiration and hope for us all. We continue to pray for our learners' protection from evil, soul salvation and motivation to work hard for their success.

Yours faithfully

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