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PARENT CIRCULAR NO 7 OF 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians

1. GOVERNING BODY ELECTION

Congratulations to the following staff who were elected to the Governing Body:

| Teaching component | | | Non-teaching component |
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| Mr. D Labuschagne | Ms. M Mathews | Mr. T Basson | Mr. O Letlape |

Parents are encouraged to meet the new members of the Governing Body by visiting our school's website www.fesies.net under the heading "Staff".

2. FAREWELL



After 34 years as a teacher at our school, we sadly have to say goodbye to Mrs Tait who is retiring tomorrow. Since 1987, she has helped shape the lives of thousands of learners with great passion and distinction.

For 31 years Mrs Tait has enriched many Foundation Phase learners with her abilities, expertise and skills.

At the beginning of 2019, she moved to the Intersen Phase where she still teaches Creative Arts to date. Creative Arts is the subject for which she has a great love and exceptional talent.

Extra-curriculary, she coached high jump, tennis and also acted as a softball scorer. She was responsible for the Foundation Phase's Creative Arts entries for art contests.

We wish her good health and blessings with the dawn of this new phase of her life.

3. PARTIAL OR FULL EXEMPTION FROM SCHOOL FEES (GRADE 1 - 7)

Parents whose combined **GROSS** income is less than R260 000 per year may apply. However, you must personally collect the application form from Mrs Prinsloo in the office. Please take note that the applications must be completed by 31 March 2021.

4. ELECTRONIC TEACHING

Due to many rumours of a third wave of infections, as well as the possibility that teaching at schools may stop if the situation worsens, parents are encouraged to ensure that they have an e-mail address on the school's database.

"D6 connect" is an application (App) that will make it far easier for us to stay in touch with parents and learners should schools be closed by the department. Currently, only 715 of our 2037 parents are registered on the app. We kindly request that parents download the app. Instructions are available on pg. 6 in your child's diary.

5. EASTER

School will adjourn on Thursday, 1 April at 12:00, however there will be supervision for learners who have to stay until 14:00. Please complete the accompanying tear-off slip in this regard. Please note that no learner may adjourn at 12:00 if the learner's tear-off slip has not been completed and handed in. We wish all our parents and learners a very blessed Easter. Please note that there will be no circular next week.



Fesie greetings MR. J. G. CLAASSEN **PRINCIPAL TEAR - OFF SLIP** I, parent/guardian of_____ in Grade ____, hereby take note of the fact that school closes on Thursday, 1 April at 12:00. My child must please: - Leave the school premises at 12:00. Names of learners in the family: - Must stay at school until 13:00 (Grd R) or until 14:00 (Grd 1-7) on Thursday, 1 April 2021. Parent's signature Contact number

A happy child, a successful school!

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