

# DINWIDDIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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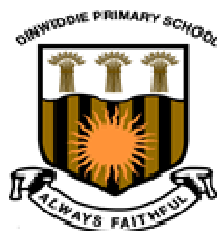
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## MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Dinwiddie Primary School is to provide a primary educational institution that strives towards academic excellence within the bounds of a safe and secure environment.

We aim to provide development for each pupil to attain his or her own potential and so encourage competent, freethinking, well-adjusted citizens in an ever-changing society.

This will be achieved through quality teaching supported by all stakeholders.

## VISION STATEMENT

Dinwiddie Primary School will endeavour to equip all learners with a solid foundation of knowledge and life skills to enable them to realise their goals in becoming successful citizens of the future.

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

FEBRUARY	
22	Grade 4-7 Valentine Movie and Picnic
18 - 28	Anti-Bullying campaign
22 -28	Term Tests Grade 4-7

## OFFICE HOURS:

MON. - THURS. 07:30 – 15:00  
FRIDAYS 07:30 – 14:00

Dear Parents

## TERM TESTS

A reminder that our Grade 4-7 learners start writing Term Tests on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019. Your child will have received the examination timetable as well as the topic lists. Parents, please encourage your children to study for these exams and offer them your support during this time. Remember that a doctor's note is required if your child is unable to attend school during exams.



## SIX STEPS TO SMARTER STUDYING

- Pay attention in class
- Take good notes
- Plan ahead for exams
- Break it down (if you have a bunch of stuff to learn, break it down into smaller chunks)
- Ask for help if you get stuck
- Get a good night's sleep

## FOUNDATION PHASE FUN AFTERNOON

Our Grade 1, 2 and 3 learners are invited to a Fun Afternoon as follows:



**When:** Friday 01<sup>st</sup> of March 2019

**Time:** 14:30 – 16:30

**Where:** Dinwiddie Primary School

**Price:** R30.00 (paid to the class teacher)

**Dress:** Learners need to bring their PE clothes with them to school.

## EXEMPTIONS 2019

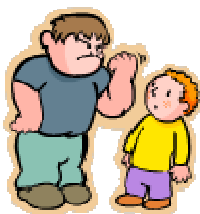
This is a final reminder for the submission of Exemption application forms. Please note that all forms must be submitted by no later than Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> of February 2019. **NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.**

## "MY SCHOOL" CARDS

We would like to encourage parents to register as "MySchool" card supporters. Each time you swipe your "MySchool" card at participating stores, your child's school will benefit from the transaction. To find out more information about the "MySchool" card, kindly ask at a participating store or visit the website at [www.myschool.co.za](http://www.myschool.co.za)

## ANTI-BULLYING

Over the next two weeks we will be running our Anti-Bullying campaign from the 18<sup>th</sup> to the 28<sup>th</sup> of February 2019. Our learners are being taught various coping skills as well as the consequences of bullying.



## GREATER GERMISTON 2019 RESULTS

The following learners obtained a place at the Greater Germiston Athletics held on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> of February 2019. These athletes proceed to the D6 championships which takes place on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> of February 2019. We wish them all the best.

Molefe Molefe  
Marilyn Masela  
Fanisa Zavala  
Melokuhle Gumede  
Kyle Schoeman  
Nkazimulo Mukeba  
Thubelihle Manyatsa  
Levi Louw  
Ntokozo Makhanya  
Nondwe Cindi  
Kelly Etafia

Kind Regards,

**MRS. G. DU PREEZ**  
**PRINCIPAL**

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

“Believe you can and you’re halfway there.”

- Theodore Roosevelt

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