

# DINWIDDIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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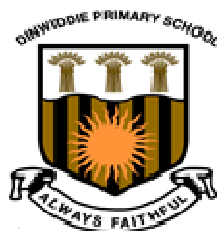
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## MISSION STATEMENT

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

NOVEMBER	
18	Grade 6 Provincial Maths
22	Athletics Field Events
27	Inter House Track Events
29	Fun day (By Invitation only)

## OFFICE HOURS:

MON. - THURS.

07:30 – 15:00

FRIDAYS

07:30 – 14:00

Dear Parents

## DINWIDDIE FUN DAY

A year-end fun day is being organised for our learners Grade 1 to Grade 6 on Friday, 29 November 2019.

A letter was sent home this week setting out the procedure and the requirements for the day.



The tuck shop will be open and there will also be cold drinks and ice creams on sale during the day.

There will be lots of fun activities with water slides and jumping castles etc. so learners will need to wear their swimming costumes, shorts and t-shirts and bring along a towel to dry off with. Adequate protection from the sun - hats and sun block are also a must!

Learners will be required to pay R70.00 in order to participate in all the fun activities.

This amount should be forwarded to the class teacher by no later than 22 November 2019.



It must be noted that if any behavioural problems arise with a learner between now and the fun day, the learner will not be allowed to participate in the activities.

## REPORT BACK ON AGM

Our Annual General Meeting was held in the Dinwiddie School hall last night. We would like to thank all parents, staff and the Governing Body Members who attended this meeting.



The budget for the 2020 year was presented and accepted. We summarise as follows:

### 1. 2020 School Fees

<u>Annual Payment Per Child</u>	<u>Monthly Payment Per Child (January - October)</u>
Gr.1 R10 900 Gr.2-Gr.7 R10 550	R1090 R1055

#### Discount Options

- \* A 15% discount will apply if fees for 2020 are paid in full by 30 November 2019  
(Grade 1 R9 265      Grades 2 to 7 R8 968)
- \* A 12% discount will apply if fees for 2020 are paid in full by 31 December 2019  
(Grade 1 R9 592      Grades 2 to 7 R9 284)
- \* An 8% discount will apply if fees for 2020 are paid in full by 31 January 2020.  
(Grade 1 R10 028      Grades 2 to 7 R9 706)
- \* A 5% discount will apply if fees for 2020 are paid in full by 29 February 2020.  
(Grade 1 R10 355      Grades 2 to 7 R10 023)

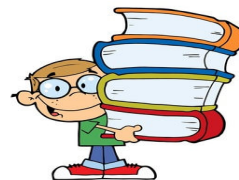
### 2. Kidz Village Adventure Centre (Aftercare) fees are as follows:

	<u>Annual Payment Per Child 2020</u>	<u>Monthly Payment Per Child Jan. to Nov. 2020 (11 months)</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Child	R10 010	R910
2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> Child etc.	R9 460	R860

Please note that no discount is offered for early payment of Aftercare fees. Aftercare fees need to be paid on or before the 07<sup>th</sup> of each month.

## BOOK PACK FEE

The book pack fee for 2020 will be R400 for the year.



**ALL BOOK PACKS MUST BE SETTLED IN FULL BY NO LATER THAN 29 NOVEMBER 2019.**

## SCHOOL FEE PAYMENT METHOD FOR THE 2020 YEAR

A letter and form with regard to debit orders and payment methods for 2020 school fees has been sent home with every child from Grade 1 to Grade 6 today.

**NB : Please complete the form and return it to the school by Friday, 22 November 2019.**

## SCHOOL FEES

Thank  
You

Thank you to the many parents who have kept to their commitment. In order to offer and maintain a high standard of education, we need to ensure that our finances stay healthy. Unfortunately, there are still some unsettled accounts where no attempts have been made to make arrangements. Legal action will be instituted for collection of outstanding fees.

## CREATIVE WRITING

Milann Aka in Grade 3-2 (Miss Da Costa) entered the creative writing competition and not only made it through to District level but also made it to Provincial level. We are all very proud of her as her story will be published in a Department of Education booklet.

Kind regards,

**MR. E. PRETORIUS  
ACTING PRINCIPAL**

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

“Everything will be ok in the end, if it is not ok, it is not the end”

