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NEWSLETTER

21 November 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians/Staff

Thank you once again for your support during 2024.

This is our final newsletter for this year.

CHECKING OF MARKS

Learners will have the opportunity to check their marks with their respective teacher (in their classroom) on Wednesday, 27th November from 08:00 to 08:45 (only).

Report cards may be collected from the office on Thursday, 5th December from 08:00 to 10:00. No report cards will be emailed.

REGISTRATION DOCUMENTS (for all learners - current and new)

We will not be doing an e-registration process for 2025, your assistance is required for an in-person registration on the 7th of January 2025 from 09:00 until 11:00. Registration documents will be available online from the 2nd of December 2024. Please make sure that all required documents are signed by you and your child and handed in by you and/or your child on 7th of January (09:00-11:00).

TEXTBOOKS, STATIONERY, ART PACKS

All correspondence and information regarding the above, for 2025, is available on our website.

UNIFORM

Please ensure that your child is in full summer uniform on the first school day of next year (08-01-2025). Blazers are compulsory for each Monday morning Assembly. Windbreakers may only be worn on very cold or rainy days.

FINANCES 2025

We remind you that your child will not be allowed to return to school on 8th January 2025 if you have not settled your 2024 school fees, as well as paid the first instalment for 2025 of R5 600. We kindly ask you to make payment of the required fees during December, as the beginning of the new year is very busy. Please contact finance@helderberghs.co.za for any account queries. All foreign students MUST ensure that the fees for the year are paid prior to registration, and that their study visas and passports are up to date.

SCHOOL POLICY ON MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE

Please take note of this important school policy. Learners who have not achieved 50% for Mathematics in Grade 9 will not be allowed to take Mathematics or Physical Science in Grade 10.

CLOSURE OF OFFICE

The office will close on Friday, 6th December at 12:00, and re-open on Monday, 6th January at 07:30.

NSC RESULTS

Matric results will be made available early in January. We will notify you when we have the confirmed date.

SCHOOL HOURS

07:30 to 14:00 on Mondays to Thursdays

07:30 to 13:33 on Fridays

Just a reminder of the extension of our school day for the FET Phase (Gr 10-12) and Gr 9's. The FET Phase and Gr 9's will be required to attend COMPULSORY extra classes from Monday to Friday.

Mondays: Gr 12's Physical Science and Consumer Studies.
Gr 10's Mathematics and Mathematical Literacy.

Tuesdays: Gr 12's Mathematics and Mathematical Literacy.

Wednesdays: Gr 12's Accounting and CAT.
Gr 10's Physical Science and Consumer Studies.

Thursdays: Gr 12's Business Studies.
Gr 11's Physical Science and Consumer Studies.
Gr 9 A&B Mathematics.

Fridays: Gr 12's Design and Life Science.
Gr 11's Mathematics.

2025 SCHOOL TERM DATES

7 January Registration Day

TERM 1 : 8 January – 20 March

TERM 2 : 8 April – 27 June

TERM 3 : 22 July – 3 October

TERM 4 : 13 October – 10 December

We wish you all a happy and safe festive season. If you are travelling, enjoy and take care! We look forward to welcoming all our current learners back in 2025 and receiving our new learners with open arms into the Helderberg High School family!

Kind regards

MR AR BASSON

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