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Dear Parents, Guardians and Students

As you are aware, the Minister of Basic Education, Angie Motshekga, has announced a return to school for the **Grade 12s on 1 June 2020**.

Against the background of the Corona Virus approaching its peak in the Western Cape, we are mindful of the serious risks involved for staff, students and their families and the expected interruptions to the academic year.

The College believes the best approach would be an online system, together with tutorials for our Grade 12s in specific subjects at the College. These tutorials will have to be organised with social distancing in mind. The Grade 10s and 11s will follow an online programme until the Minister announces their return to school.

Our timetable, which will commence for **Grades 10, 11 and 12 on the 1st of June 2020**, will allow for interaction between learners and teachers. The timetable will make provision for personal contact with teachers in all subjects via the **Zoom** platform, **WhatsApp** and **emails**. Work will be emailed to students and a record of all work will be posted on the **Google Classroom**. This in line with what is being done globally.

The College will be revising its fee structure to assist parents with the costs of wifi and data.

We are obviously most concerned about the academic challenges faced by all students in the current circumstances, but will endeavour to meet these challenges in order for all our students to realise their ambitions in 2020.

The new timetables will be emailed to all students.

We wish to remind you that wearing masks is mandatory when you come in for tutorials. The College is equipped with a digital thermometer and adequate sanitisers.

We remain confident that our highly experienced staff, with whom the students are familiar, will continue to deliver the quality education they have been providing for many years.

We look forward to welcoming you all back, and we hope and pray for a healthy and successful conclusion to 2020.

Yours sincerely

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Principal