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Dear Parents/Guardians

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SCHOOL CLOSURE DUE TO CORONAVIRUS

1. As we are all aware by now, there is a worldwide pandemic of the Coronavirus. The President has announced far-reaching measures how South Africa can deal with the problem. As a school we are very vulnerable to such an outbreak and we will therefore comply with these measures.
2. The following is important:
 - The school will close today **16 MARCH 2020 and re-open 15 APRIL 2020.**
 - The June holidays will therefore move one week later and we will not lose any teaching time. The school will close on 17 June 2020 for term 2.
 - Reports for term 1 will be handed out on 15 April 2020.
3. Parents are encouraged to abide by the measures announced by the President. The following is important:
 - Social distancing, in other words don't have contact with many people.
 - Personal hygiene such as washing hands, coughing and sneezing into a tissue etc
 - If a child shows any symptoms please keep them at home until infection has been ruled out.
4. Please take note that the aftercare will also be closed from tomorrow.
5. Teachers are prepared to catch up on any outstanding work and we will not lose any teaching time or assessments due to this crisis. Please check our website and Facebook for any updates.

Regards



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