



# Penryn

Preparatory

Dear 2019 Grade Six Parents and Scholars,

Welcome to Grade Six. We look forward to a year of great growth as you practise and apply the skills you have acquired in previous grades.

The subjects of SiSwati/IsiZulu, Afrikaans, Art and Music are taught by specialist teachers. Other practical subjects in the curriculum are: Computers, Science and Technology, and Social Science. These are all taught as separate subjects.

You are encouraged to approach each learning experience as creatively as your abilities allow and activities are designed to develop your full potential, which is vital in the science area, where assignments and group work are completed within the classroom environment. There are, however, a number of assignments to be completed throughout the year, some of which are practical in nature. These you complete on your own, although parents are welcome **to offer guidance** in the way these are set out.

Project work, Cycle Tests, class tests and exams in the 4<sup>th</sup> term will contribute to your promotion requirements.

In Grade 6, you are expected to be **more self-reliant** in terms of homework and the completion of assignments. A homework diary is necessary to help you to keep up to date with tasks.

Please be aware that we will host a Parent Information evening for the Prep at **17:30 on Wednesday 23 January 2019**. We would appreciate it if all parents attend this meeting.

An exciting part of the year is the annual educational field trip.

**NB!** The Grade 6s will go on their annual trip in the third term, leaving on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September and returning on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

The following items will be debited to your **School Fees account**:

1. **Grade 6 Field Trip**
2. **SP Aftercare Fees (if applicable)**

Grade 6 promises to be a year packed with adventure and exciting learning. We are all looking forward to working with you!

**GRADE 6 TEACHERS**

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**HEADMASTER**



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## Stationery Requirements:

Listed below you will find all the items you will need for the year – please LABEL EVERYTHING clearly.

HB pencils (4)	2B pencils (2)
Pentel/Pilot Blue ballpoint pens (10)	Black fine liners (0,5 mm) (2)
Coloured pencils (set of 24)	Felt-tip pens (set of 24)
Pritt stick (4)	Ponal Glue
Double steel sharpener	Plastic ruler (30 cm)
Geometry set (Oxford)	“Sharp Basic” calculator
Exam pad (100 page punched & margin) (2)	Eraser (2)
Flip file - 50 sleeve (for homework sheets)	Pair of scissors
Tissue boxes (2)	2 GB Flash drive (1)
<b>Homework Diary</b>	Whiteboard markers (4)
1 Plastic Folder labelled “LETTERS & REPLY SLIPS”	
1 Pair of In-ear earphones for ICT	

### The South African Pocket Oxford Dictionary (hard cover).

This dictionary is used from Grade 4 to Matric. As we study a variety of themes and focus on the development of language and vocabulary, **The South African Pocket Oxford Dictionary** is **essential**. It is the **only** dictionary to cover word origin and colloquialism.

### English Thesaurus (not the mini book).

### The Oxford or the Pharos Afrikaans/Engels Skoolwoordeboek for Afrikaans.

### SiSwati/English Dictionary or IsiZulu/English Dictionary.

Exercise books also need to be purchased, either at Waltons or any stationery shop.

Mathematics	English	Afrikaans	SiSwati	IsiZulu	HSS	NS + Tech	Bible	FGASA
* 2 x Quotation folders * 2 x 72p Feint & margin – A4	* 2 x 96p Hard cover books– A4 * 1 x 20 - pocket A4 flip file	* 1 x 72p Feint and margin – A4 * 2 x 96p Hard cover book – A4	* 1 x 96p Hard cover book – A4	* 2x72p Feint and margin – A4	* 2 x 96p Hard cover books- A4	* 1 x 192p Hard cover book – A4 * 1 x 96p Hard cover book – A4	* 1 x 72p Feint & margin – A4	* 1 x 96p Hard cover book- A4