

HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL

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14 January 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians

Welcome to the 2025 academic year. We hope that this year will be filled with only good things for all the members of our school community.

Kindly be advised of the following:

- 1.1 Welcome to all grade 8 learners and parents. We wish you well in your collective high school journey.
- 1.2 Grade 8 parents/guardians are reminded to download the D6 communicator.
- 1.3 Grade 8 orientation, 15-17 January 2025. PLEASE ensure that learners are dressed in school uniform.
- 1.4 Grade 8 COMPULSORY parent and learner breakfast and information session on Saturday, 18 January 2025 from 9h00-13h00 in the school hall.
- 1.4 Welcome to all our new learners. May your experience be one that you will treasure.

2. CURRICULUM

2.1 Congratulations to the Class of 2024. They achieved 96% pass rate.

We achieved 105 distinctions. IsiZulu FAL achieved 23 distinctions out of the 35 learners that sat for the examination. All other subjects averaged >5 distinctions. Well done to all our educators and learners. Top 10 learners below.

No.	Name and Surname	Number of distinctions	
1	Luwawu, Walina	7 A's	
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3	Thenga, Bono	6 A's,1 B	
4	Magula, Yongama	5 A's, 2 B's	
5	Beilings, Dannicah	4 A's, 3 B's	
5	Pijoos, Lilitha	4 A's,3 B's	
7	Ndimande, Koketso	4 A's, 2 B's, 1C	
8	Ramdutt, Ruhi	2 A's,4 B's,1C	
8	Saloojee, Dalia	2 A's,4 B's,1C	
10	Magqabi, Imange	3 A's,4 C's	
10	Rimmer, Lily	2 A's,4 B's,1C	
10	Singh, Sage	2 A's, 4 B's, 1C	



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It is with immense pride that I also announce that the learners below achieved Top 1% in the national results. Walina Luwawu achieved Top 1% in the IEB for Mathematics

Thenga Bono achieved Top 1% in the IEB for Business Studies

Magula, Yongama achieved Top 1% in the IEB for EGD

- 2.2 Learners must have all their stationery and textbooks for the first day of school. Please look at the school times on D6.
- 2.3 Grade 10,11 and 12 learners are requested to purchase study guides for all their subjects. Learners are requested to get past year papers for all their subjects.
- 3. FINANCE
- 3.1 Kindly honour the payment of school fees.
- 3.2 Parents are reminded that our school is the ONLY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN SOUTH AFRICA that offers the IEB PRIVATE SCHOOL curriculum.
- 3.3 Parents are urged to honour the IEB exam contributions which need to be paid by the 31 March 2025. Should the latter not be honoured your child/ward will forfeit IEB registration. I humbly appeal for your cooperation to the latter.
- 3.4 Development levy, resource fee, loan book fee and IEB fees must be paid by the due dates.
- 3.5 Learners cannot be productive in their educational experience if they lack resources in their subjects. PLEASE ensure that learners have all their necessary resources for the start of the school year.

We rely on the school fees to continue to compete with the best private schools in the country. Our learners write the IEB exams like that of Dainfern college, Rhodean and many others. We are compelled to produce results so that our learners can benefit from the IEB. We can only do this with your financial contribution.

4. EXTRA CURRICULAR ROGRAMME (ECA's)

The ECA programme will start on Monday, 20 January 2025. A communique will follow indicating all information pertaining to the programme. Please note the start and end times of all practice sessions. Parents/Guardians are requested to arrange transport accordingly. We experience a challenge when learners are left in the Loop Road until late in the evening.



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Parents/Guardians are requested to please support our tuck-shop. Learners are urged to order lunch via the app.

Grade 12(2024): Learners may collect NSC results on Wednesday, 15 January 2025 from 10h00 -12h00 at reception. Results will also be available on the IEB website- www.ieb-online.co.za.

Grade 12 (2025)

Face-face parent information meeting on:

Date: Wednesday, 22 January 2025

Time: 17h00 – 19h00 Venue: School Hall

Grade 8 (2025)

Face-face parent information meeting on:

Date: Saturday, 18 January 2025

Time: 09h00 - 13h00

Parents are obliged to contact the grade head should they require further information. Thank you in advance for your support during the year in the achievement of our goals.

Yours in Education

Dr M Kallie (Principal)