

Dear Parents

Dealing with the lockdown is a reality and I must thank all parents working with teachers so that work could be available in whatever format. The support from parents to help us was truly something to take note of as we all know that teachers will be important on our return to ensure the very best for our children. Long hours are awaiting them but I believe that our dedicated team will take up the challenge irrespectively.

Your class teachers are available, subject teachers are available, heads of department, deputy principals and the office can be contacted via e-mail. While others were still waiting and focusing on other aspects we have moved forward to provide a service. I am proud to be at Sunridge.

The work we have provided and that is still to come should be sufficient and supportive. We take note of all the offers on social media and offers of videos and many more. We have checked a few and have found in some cases that the standard and value was not supportive. It's however your choice to use it or not. We will only make recommendations and provide what we feel is best for all our learners. It's a given that there will be different opinions and always something better according to someone else.

Whenever we return as decided by our President we will then take up the challenges. We prepare for all scenario's and our contingency plan was in place and still is. Our main focus on the day we return is to ensure that our teachers can start teaching on all cylinders. Patience and trust is the key while we all wait for the outcome. We understand that huge challenges lie ahead and that "casualties" of a different nature will be facing us. Again as a team we can and will cross the bridge together with you and our Lord. No child should be left behind and for that we work and choose not to compare, judge or become negative.

With the Easter weekend ahead of us I believe we can all take a break and creatively enjoy the family time with our Lord. I pray for all to be safe and ask the Lord to bless you all and to be with our country. "Together we Grow" is now even more important, please stay positive and remember we can support you via telephone, Whatsapp or e-mail.

Keep safe

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