

Welcome to

Da Silva Academy



Firstly, I would like to introduce the:

Directors:



Mrs. M Da Silva



Mr. T Da Silva

Principal/ Deputy Principal:



Mrs. T Hautmann



Mrs. M Blignaut

Grade 3 HOD's



Miss. A Coetzee



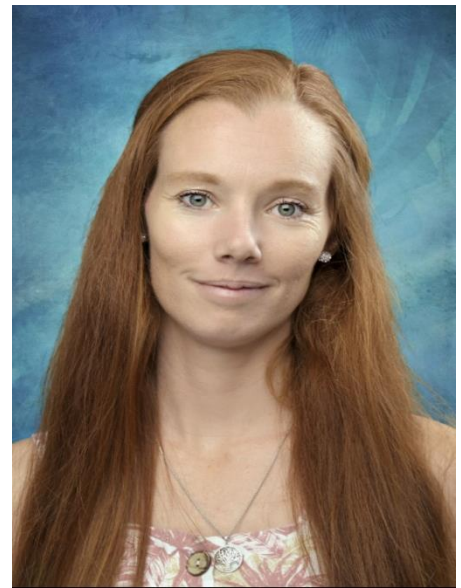
Miss. N Kloppen

Grade 3 Educators:



Grade 3A Miss. K Phasa

Grade 3B Miss. A. Coetzee



Grade 3C Mrs. P. Molahlehi

Our School Song :

So many different people living in this land,
so many different people all made by the
same hand, so many different valleys,
mountains and plains here in the land we
love, made by Gods hand.

All of us together in harmony, at the Da
Silva Academy, we strive for peace and
equality.

Be Proud of our family (x3)

Our School, Our Education.

School Times.

Grade 3 Times will be as follow:

07:15- 13:00

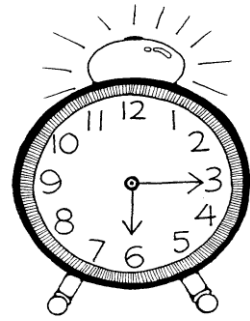
Learners must be picked up and dropped off at Klopper gate.

Gates open at 06:30 and closes at 07:15

Half day learners 13:00-14:00

Full day learners Gates opens at 15:00 and closes at 16:00
STRICTLY!

Please note that a late a pickup fine will be given if learners are not collected on time.



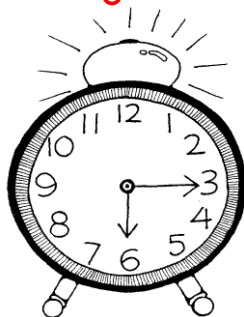
Office hours.

Monday to Thursday

07:00-15:00

Fridays

07:00-13:00



Communication

Letters: Only important documents and important information will be sent via Letters and extra mural activities.



WhatsApp groups: All important information will be sent via Whatsapp groups daily/weekly.



Email: Important emails will also be sent out. Reminder to always keep your email up to date.



Contacting Educators: WhatsApp communication is strictly between parents and Educators only between 07:00-15:00.

Please update contact details in the office if there are any changes!!

Lunch

Learners are encouraged to pack healthy lunch boxes. Tuckshop is available at school. Please send learners with proper plastic bottles, **NO GLASS**, to stay hydrated especially in Summer.

Menu Available at the Tuckshop

Food

Egg, Cheese and Tomato Roll/Toast R35

Chicken Mayo Roll/Toast R30

Hotdog Roll R25

Cheese and Egg Roll R30

Egg, Ham, Cheese and Tomato Roll/toast R40

Chips R25

Chips and Vienna R40

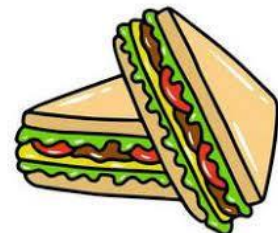
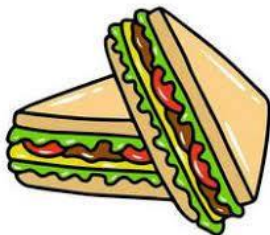
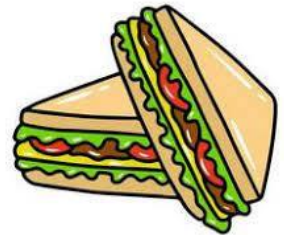
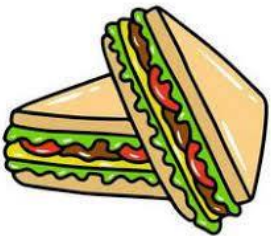
Drinks

Water R10

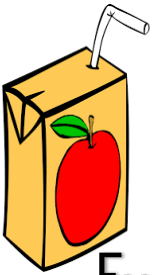
Tropica R10

Zoom Juice R6

Coldrinks R18



Orders are to please be placed in the morning by 07:30am to ensure food is ready by first break.



Events

There is 1 outing per Term. (Term 1-3)

Throughout each term there will also be fun events and different shows coming in. All details will be communicated to parents.

Indemnity forms are very important!! These give consent that learners are allowed to leave school premises and if learners are allowed in any photos. If these forms are not returned learners will not be allowed to go on outings.

Extra Mural Activities at school.

- Soccer Strikers
- Gymnastics
- Athletics
- BeauxArts



SOCCER STRIKERS
WHERE GOALS BEGIN



There will be different Demo's throughout the year for other extra mural activities.



Athletics.

Our Athletics takes place in the beginning of the year. Each learner will receive their House Team.

Our Athletics consists out of 4 Groups.

1. Fire-Red
2. Earth-Green
3. Wind-Yellow
4. Water-Blue

Uniform

➤ *Summer*

Boys and Girls- Girls wear their tunic (No shorter than four fingers above the knee) short black school socks with orange stripes *black school shoes ONLY*. Boys wear the white school shirt with the school badge on, school pullover, black short pants with black socks with orange stripes *black school shoes ONLY*.

➤ *Winter*

Boys and Girls- Da Silva Academy tracksuit with the orange LONG SLEEVE shirts (Can be purchased at school office), black school socks and *black or white tekkies*.

Hair and Earrings :

Girls :

- Learners may not have coloured hair.
- Hair extension: Elbow length, straight, tied back and not in the face.
- No Beads.
- No Fringe
- Not more than two ponytails
- Hair must always be neat and appropriate for school.
- Bands and accessories must be orange and black.
- Small ear studs: Clear, orange or black stones.
- 10mm by 10mm silver and gold hoops are allowed.

Boys:

- Must be cut above the ears and collar.
- Short, neat, and tidy hair-No longer than 3cm.
- No shapes, lines or patterns shaved into their heads.
- No earrings allowed.

House Shirts are allowed to be worn only for Term 1 on Fridays with a Blue Jean.

Please Note That all clothing should be marked with the learner's name and surname clearly.



Curriculum, Homework and Reports

We are using the CAPS Platinum and SBA as part of our Curriculum.

Homework:

Grade 3: Homework sheets will be put in the homework books every Monday.

Homework must please be completed every day. After care teachers, may assist with homework but Parents need to sign the homework sheet and check the homework daily. Parent involvement plays an important role in the success of the learner's school career. Learners need to read EVERYDAY at least for 20 minutes every evening.

Spelling counts towards their term mark, please ensure learners are well prepared for the spelling test on Fridays.

Grade R-3: One week a month there will be no homework as we believe that family time is very important, and learners need that time to be children. Learners that attend

aftercare will not just be playing in the afternoons for that week, they will focus on the reading and spelling only.

Workbooks:

As per the Northwest Department of Education requirement all workbooks (NOT TEXTBOOKS) *need to be covered with pink covering*. Please ensure to have workbooks covered in pink on the first day of school. On the learners first day of school, they will receive a white paper book cover that is to be pasted on the pink covering on the front of the book. Once it is pasted, the book can be covered with plastic. The pink covering can be purchased at Bhams Stationers. Parents are welcome to come to the school office to confirm the shade of pink.

Reports:

There will be four reports during the year.

There will be parents evening every Term after the school holidays. If reports are not collected on parents evening, it is the responsibility of parents to collect their child's report from the office.

IMPORTANT

Birthdays

Learners will be allowed to wear Civvies (home clothes) on their Birthday at school. If treats will be brought to school, parents are to please send cupcakes instead of cake and are welcome to contact the school office to confirm number of learners in the child's class.

Important documents

All the documents need to please be read through thoroughly, filled in and signed.

Please send them in the learner's homework book or flipfile as the forms need to stay in the office.

Important Documents



Our Classroom.

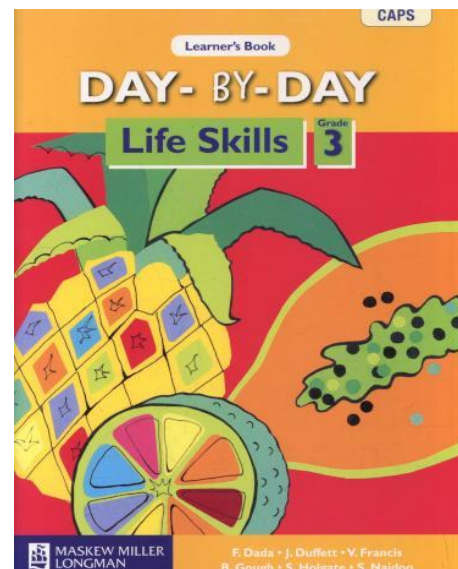
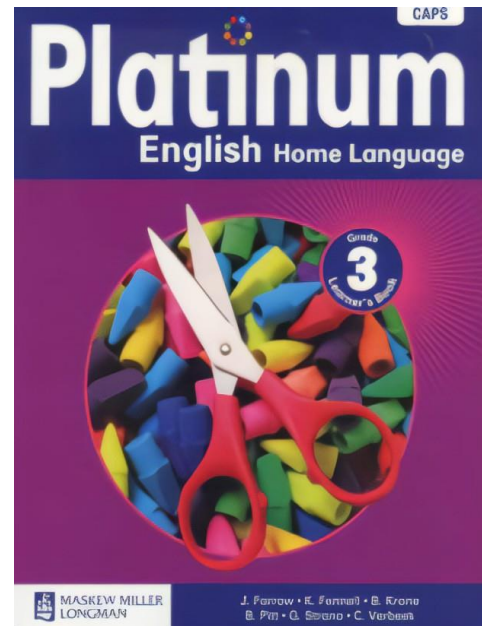
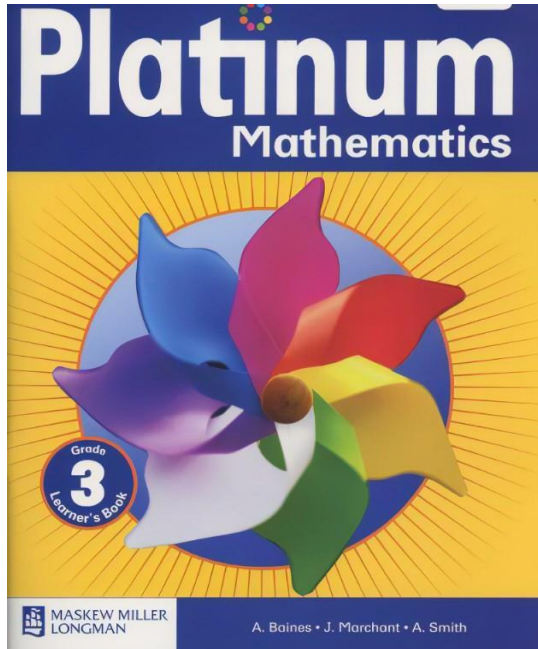
We kindly request that all the Stationary needed is sent in week 1, Term 1. Kindly MARK everything.



Kindly note that this stationary list is worked out accordingly and stationary is added to last up until Term 4 depending on the learner how he\she is responsible for their own stationary.

Grade 3 Textbooks:

Textbooks can be bought from any stationery shop or order from the school.



Some Sneak peaks of our Adventures at DA SILVA ACADEMY



