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Dear Parents/Guardians

SPRING DAY – WEDNESDAY, 1 SEPTEMBER 2021

Last year we celebrated such a festive Spring Day when many learners brought flowers and “gifts” from their gardens to school. With these we were able to bless various institutions in our community and in a tangible way show our gratitude for the wonderful work they do in and around Durbanville.

We would like to continue with this initiative this year and therefore invite our learners to bring flowers and foliage from their gardens to school again. These can be placed on the wall at the grey pillars (at the Covid test station) before school. These flowers and leaves will be arranged into beautiful bouquets and distributed in the community.

We encourage learners to attach a flower to their uniforms on Spring Day - it can be real, artificial or made creatively out of paper or material.

“Flowers... are a proud assertion that a ray of beauty out values all the utilities in the world.”
– *Ralph Waldo Emerson*

CARING DAY – FRIDAY, 3 SEPTEMBER 2021

Our value for September is caring. We would like to celebrate the month’s value by carrying out a Caring Day project. As communicated to you in Term 2, our school is supporting MES this year by participating in their projects. We strive to support them in their various initiatives.

The MES Centre (opposite the Shoprite parking lot) makes and provides breakfast every morning for community members on their way to work. This breakfast consists of maize porridge and a hot cup of coffee/tea. There is therefore an ongoing need for ingredients to make this breakfast possible on a daily basis. We would like to assist them by donating products that can be used to make a difference in our community.

On Caring Day we would appreciate donations of specific food items. Each grade has been assigned a food item which learners can donate to MES:

- Grade 4:** Maize meal
- Grade 5:** Sugar
- Grade 6:** Long life milk
- Grade 7:** Coffee and tea



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The above items can be brought to school on Friday, 3 September, and placed on the wall at the grey pillars. Signs will indicate where the donated food items can be placed.

Participation in this initiative is entirely voluntary and no Durbie is obligated to donate anything.

Caring month's colour is **purple** and we encourage learners to wear something purple with their school uniform on Caring Day (3 September).

Kind regards



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CO-ORDINATOR



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