



Excursions & Field Trips

Policy:

Each Grade to arrange at least ONE field trip per term or 4 a year. This field trip must be linked to the Understanding by Design curriculum. It must be meaningful, engaging and stimulating.

Ignition Excursion:

Ignition excursions are designed to sow a seed regarding a career. Each year group from Grade R to Grade 12 visits a tertiary or vocational institution to discover the world of study that will equip them for the world of work.

Thematic Enhancement:

Excursions are arranged to embed what is being learnt during Thematic Studies. See the Calendar for specific information.

Outdoor Education:

Each Grade from Grade 4 to 7 attends an Outdoor Education camp. Grade 4 spends one night away, but Grade 5-7 spend two nights away. The programmes at the camp are designed for specific learning outcomes with clearly defined attainment targets.

Service Focus:

Each Grade selects a service project for the year. This is co-ordinated by the Director: Curriculum. The Grade receives input about the need for Service, collects items and delivers a service as part of the project.

Funscapes:

Funscapes is offered twice a year. This is a two day programme where students select a specific Club and learn different crafts, dance and creative activities. Mountain climbing, hiking, surfing, paint ball, indoor cricket are also offered.