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# Rand Park High School

(GAUTENG DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION)

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Dear Parent/Guardian

## 2016 SCHOOL FEES

It has been agreed by the parents of Rand Park High School at the Annual General Meeting of the School Governing Body held on 28 October 2015 that:

1. Rand Park High School will be a fee paying public school.
2. The school fees per learner, for Rand Park High School for the year 2016 shall be:
  - R33, 300 per learner: Grade 8 and New Learners
  - R32, 300 per learner: Grade 9 to Grade 12
  - 10% early settlement discount will be granted to those accounts settled by 31 January 2016.
3. The School Fees for 2016, per learner payable either:
  - a) In full by 31 January 2016, less a 10% early payment discount or;
  - b) Ten equal monthly installments commencing from January 2016 up to and including October 2016 by way of:
    - A monthly debit order
    - Direct Deposit into the school bank account
    - Utilizing the debit/credit card facility at the school
    - Cash paid to the bookkeeper
4. Fees are levied in terms of The South African Schools Act # 84 of 1996 section 38 and 39.
5. In terms of Section 40, parents have a legal obligation to pay school fees. The school does not have to enter into a contract with parents to pay school fees.
6. Payment of School Fees is a statutory duty, and In order to enforce this, all monies received by the school will be allocated to *outstanding school fees, first*.
7. School fees is a statutory duty, which a learner's parents must pay and the parents (married, unmarried or divorced) are jointly and severally liable unless and to the extent of them being exempted.
8. The School Governing Body may, by process of law, enforce the payment of school fees by parents who are liable to pay in terms of The South African Schools Act #84 of 1996 section 40.
9. The School Governing Body will follow Section 41 (5) when initiating legal action to enforce the payment of school fees.
10. The School Governing Body will list defaulting parents with the National Credit Bureau.
11. Certain extended payment dispensation will be allowed, as presented and approved by the finance committee, subject to the clear understanding that:
  - Should the school allow payment dispensations, these undertakings in no way change the fact that the payment of school fees is a statutory duty and not a voluntary agreement, particularly not credit agreement as defined in terms of the National Credit Act. No. 34 of 2005.
  - Should parents(s) default and fail to pay any single installment by the due date, the full amount that is outstanding will become immediately due and payable.

12. Exemption from School Fees is available to qualifying parents in terms of the South African Schools Act #84 of 1996 Section 39.
13. Exemptions are granted as stipulated in the Exemption Regulation Gazette No: 29311 dated 13 October 2006.
14. Parents who wish to be exempted from the payment of school fees must apply annually to the SGB.
15. The income of both parents, irrespective of their marital situation or the maintenance agreement, is used in the calculation of exemption.
16. The exemption amount granted, is based on the Gross, Annual Income of **both** parents/caregiver/guardian and not affordability.
17. A maintenance agreement **cannot** be enforced on a third party being the school.
18. Admission of Immigrants to Rand Park High School will be governed by the terms of the Immigration Act No13 of 2002, Immigration Regulation dated 22 May 2014 Section 12(1)(h)
  - No learner will be admitted to Rand Park High School, unless they are in possession of a valid study visa obtained from the Randburg Department of Home Affairs or the duration of the learner's studies.
  - In terms of the condition of a study visa, Parents must pay the annual compulsory School Fees annually in advance for the duration of the learner's studies at Rand Park High School.
19. Rand Park High will offer the following education programmes.
  - Grade 8 & 9 will follow the General Education and Training programme
  - Grade 10, 11 & 12 will follow the Further Education and Training programmeThese programmes include the following:
  - All relevant learning area information and core notes
  - All relevant educational speakers with relevant information to the academic core syllabi
  - Educational trips where specified as a compulsory element of the specific learning area
  - Transport for pupils selected to represent RPHS for the extra-curricular programmeExcluded from the programme are the following:
  - Text books
  - Stationery
  - All tours offered by the school outside the compulsory excursion as stipulated by the curriculum
  - School uniform
  - Sports equipment and sports uniform
20. That M Kruger Auditing Incorporated be reappointed as the auditors for Rand Park High School for 2016.
21. That the SGB be authorized to make adjustments to planned expenditure - of both an operating and a capital nature - in order to meet the needs of the School as they may arise from time to time, subject to the specific constraints that the overall approved budget may not be exceeded, without needing to refer such adjustments back to the Parent Body of the School for prior approval.
22. The SGB is empowered to pay additional remuneration to state employees to attract and / or retain the best educators and staff and this amount is included in the Budget for 2016 and is submitted for approval by the Department of Education in terms of Section 38a of the South African Schools Act.
23. That the Finance Budget for 2016 be accepted as presented.

Yours sincerely



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