

PEBBLES PRESCHOOL NEWSFLASH Sept Edition- 2025

TEACHERS CORNER

Welcome to the very first edition of our preschool newsletter. We are so excited to begin this journey of sharing with you the special moments, learning experiences and activities that your little ones are enjoying each day at school.

Our aim with this newsletter is to keep you connected to the classroom and give you a window into your child's world of discovery, growth and play. We will issue a newsletter a few times per term which will highlight classroom themes, upcoming events and ways you can support your child's learning at home.

Thank you for trusting us with your children and for being such an important part of our school community. We look forward to growing, learning and celebrating milestones together with you.

EMPOWERING THE EXPLORER

Children aged 0-6 years are sensorial explorers and develop based on what they are exposed to in their environment.

How can you help your child at home?

- ⇒ Using clear language when speaking to a child will help them to understand and process information better.
- ⇒ Naming everything in their environment will aid in lanquage development and awareness of their environment.
- ⇒ Providing choices will support your child in building confidence and independence as their opinion will matter and it will encourage responsibility as they learn that decisions do come with outcomes for eg you could say would you like to eat an apple or grapes or would you like to wear a green the green or yellow t shirt?
- ⇒ Allowing children to explore their environment whether indoors, outdoors or through interactive activities has far greater impact than spending much time behind a screen. While the tv entertains for a moment, true growth and exposure happens when children are given the freedom to explore their world, ask questions and make discoveries for themselves.

WHAT WE HAVE LEARNT

- ⇒ Week 1:Orientation and we focused on helping the children to settle and getting to know more about them.0
- ⇒ Week 2 :We have since discovered the days of the week and introducing the concept of today, tomorrow and yesterday.
- ⇒ Week 3: We explored the fascinating world of seeds known as the "heart of the plant". Each child planted a seed and saw some seeds we eat.



- ⇒ Week 4:Studying the globe was fascinating. We discussed that Earth is made up of land, Air and water and seeing the continents on the globe.
- ⇒ Week 5:We explored the parts of the fish and their habitats.

'The Greatest Gifts we can give our children are the roots of responsibility and the wings of independence"

-Dr Maria Montessori

BRING A BOOK PROGRAM

Thank you for embracing and supporting this program. It is more than just an opportunity for learners to carry a story into the classroom. It is a gateway into imagination, knowledge and discovery. Thank you for making time to come in and read to us and sending the books with your child on their allocated day.









SPECIAL EVENTS

- ⇒ We began with our Meet and greet-An evening where we connected with parents and guardians
- ⇒ World Literacy Day where we explored the joy of reading through engaging activities and storytelling. The highlight of the day was when the students came to school dressed up in their favourite book character outfit.



World Peace Day-watching students reflect on peace and kindness and putting it into action was truly heartwarming. A day spent with friends from Respire (Dzaleka)



BIRTHDAYS

We celebrated with Madison, Nthanda, Cecilia, Alanna, Thulani, Hamza and Prince.

You brighten our days with joy and laughter.



Happy
Birthday
and We
love you all.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

6 Oct-World Techers Day: A day to celebrate the ones who make teaching magical every day

13-17 Oct-Midterm Break

31 Oct-Pebbles Potluck Day. All Parents, Guardians and family are invited to this event. An opportunity for our school to come together, celebrate our diverse cultures and share delicious food from around the world. Parents dress is your national attire. Students will dress up according to their allocated group.

7 Nov-Field Trip-More information will be shared soon

Bunnies and Chickens

Got veggie or fruit offcuts at home?
Our school pets would love them!

They enjoy greens such as spinach, Chinese cabbage, cabbage, watermelon rinds, apple cores, carrot tops.

Thank you.