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Dear Elturion Parents,



From the Principal's Pen

Welcome back to yet another exciting term. With a new term comes new work and new challenges. At its best, work honours God and brings meaning and joy to life. We should emulate the character traits we see in God's work, such as excellence, concern for the well-being of others, purpose, beauty and service. When you have the perspective that you are working for God, it takes the focus away from the task and towards why you are doing it which is to help people know God. The excitement and interest that comes from working for God are not primarily from the work itself but from the One for whom we do the work! Let us take this challenge and work this term to honour God!

During the past holiday some of us had to deal with a few challenges. Ma'am Ronel and her husband, Danie both had to battle Covid. Ma'am Elize is currently off also fighting against Covid. Ma'am Ronel's mother in-law was admitted to hospital with Covid on Saturday evening. Ma'am Alinda has a dear friend who is recovering from Covid however she had lost her husband to Covid. Some of our parents at school are also fighting against Covid. We will continue to pray for every single person involved with our school family and we continue to have faith that our Father





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in heaven will continue to protect us!

At school we are still taking every precaution to keep our children and staff safe. Please look after yourselves and stay safe.

Welcome to our new Gr 2 teacher, Ma'am Hanlie. We know she will be very happy at Elturion as our loving children make her feel welcome. A warm welcome to a number of student teachers who are joining us this term for their teaching practical.

Just a reminder that Monday is Woman's Day so there will be no school or aftercare.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 5/8 Term 3 Test Series begins
- 5/8 Parents evening 16:00-19:00
- 9/8 **Woman's Day (No School or Aftercare)**
- 3/9 **Spring/Casual Day**
- 8/9 Ma'am Corrie's Birthday
- 10/9 Gr 7 Entrepreneurs Day
- 16/9 Heritage Day Dress Up
- 20-22/9 Elturion Arts Festival
- 23/9 School Closes at 10:00
- 24/9 **Heritage Day (No School or Aftercare)**
- 12/10 School Re-opens

POPI ACT GOOGLE FORM

I am sure everyone is quite familiar with the POPI Act and all its do's and don'ts. In keeping with the act, we have created a google form requesting your permission to have photos of your child posted on our social media platforms. If you are not happy to have your child's photo posted, please let us know via the google form <https://classroom.google.com/c/MzcyNDUzMDk3NTYx?cjc=ydjinxn> and we will ensure that we do not post any photos of your child. Rest assured we will continue with our practice at school of not sharing any contact information with anyone.

TERM 3 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

The Gr 4 – 7 term 3 assessment schedule has been posted on all the groups. Please refer to this so that you can be on top of all expected assessments for this term. The schedule is also available on the school website www.elturion.co.za





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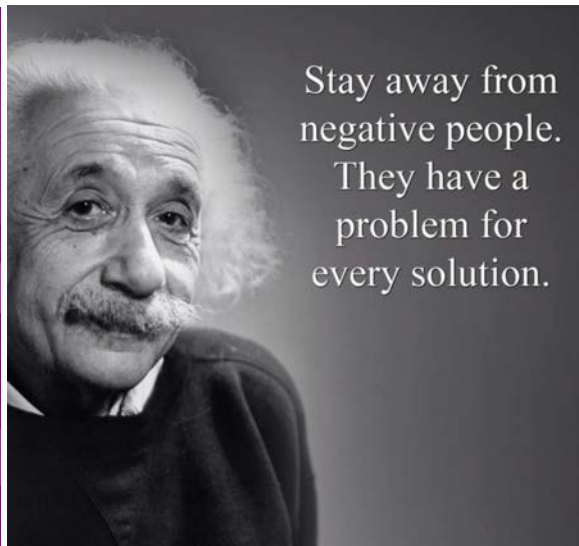
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PARENTS EVENING

We will once again be resuming our usual onsite parents evening on the 5 August 2021. Please contact the relevant teachers whom you wish to meet with via email in order to set a time slot. Parents eve will run from 16:00 until 19:00 with 10-minute slots. All email addresses are available on the school website www.elturion.co.za If you are not able or comfortable with an onsite meeting, please also contact the relevant teachers for a zoom meeting.

Thank you for your continued support in making Elturion the best school with the very best teachers in the entire country. Without you as parents we would not be as happy as we are right now with our amazing children. And finally, if you have any issues at school, please feel free to contact the relevant teacher so that we can sort out the issue. We can only fix problems we are aware of.



ENJOY A BLESSED WEEK

MANDY MULLER

