



EDENVALE HIGH SCHOOL

FROM GOOD TO GREAT

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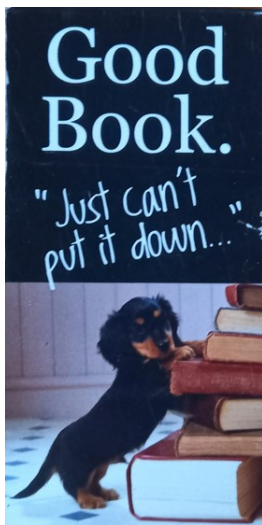
NEWSLETTER

Importance of READING!

Why do we often hear that we should encourage our children to read?

The MAIN benefits of READING:

1. It develops vocabulary and comprehension skills.
2. It aids in sleep readiness and improves overall sleep.
3. It boosts mood, providing a positive mind-set.
4. It helps with tone interpretation, a very important skill in our modern day and age.
5. It helps to relax and reduces stress (lowers blood pressure and heart rate; eases muscle tension).
6. It strengthens memory function.
7. It helps with focus and concentration.
8. It expands general and current affairs knowledge.
9. It is a form of free entertainment.
10. It enriches perspective.
11. It enhances imagination.
12. It strengthens writing skills.
13. It deepens empathy.
14. It can help you to do well in all your examinations (aids study techniques).
15. It stimulates the brain (improving brain connectivity).
16. It assists with clarity of expression.



Immerse yourself in reading. Books can coach the imagination to think big. The importance of reading must never be under-estimated. For me, it was also a wonderful way of bonding with my children from a young age.

Overall, reading enriches children's lives and introduces them to new worlds. Why not try it?

"Today a reader, tomorrow a leader," said Margaret Fuller.

Mrs Blom ~ HOD English

For some additional insight regarding the impact of reading:

- https://www.ted.com/talks/rita_carter_why_reading_matters?language=en
- Whitten, C., Labby, S., and Sullivan, S. (2016). The impact of Pleasure Reading on Academic Success. The Journal of Multidisciplinary Graduate Research. Volume 2, Article 4, pp. 48-64.

IMPORTANT DATES



- Sat 25 February: Sportsday vs HS President (A)
- Tues 28 February: Normal classes resume after Block Tests – Day 3
- Tues 28 February: Interhigh Gala A team – Delville
- Fri 3 March: EHS has got Talent 18h00
- Mon 6 March: Monologues – Juniors 18h00
- Tues 7 March: Monologues – Seniors 18h00
- Fri 10 March: Open Day 16h00 – 18h30
- Fri 17 March: Individual Photographs
- Sat 18 March: Sportsday vs Bryanston (H)
- Wed 22 March: Interhouse cross country 14h10
- Fri 24 March: Mathematics / Mathematical Literacy assessment Grades 8 – 12. This is a compulsory assessment. If a learner is absent, he or she needs to produce a doctor's letter; otherwise zero will be given.
- Fri 24 March: Reports will be sent by email
- Wed 12 April: Term 2 begins
- Wed 19 April: Parents' evening Gr 8 – 12: 16h30 – 17h45. This is an opportunity for parents to meet their child's teacher for a brief interaction (max 5 minutes).

PRIZEGIVING – 2022

Congratulations to the following learners who received awards at the prize giving ceremony for Grades 8 - 11

PREMIER AWARDS:

 FAITH MUKWEVHO TROPHY	Awarded to the top academic learner in Grade 8 – Ethan Payne
 HEADMASTER’S TROPHY	Awarded to the top academic learner in Grade 9 – Caitlin Kerr
 DERICK HIND TROPHY	Awarded to the best all-rounder in Grade 8 – Calista Panaino
 HEADMASTER’S TROPHY	Awarded to the best all-rounder in Grade 9 – Caitlin Wainwright
 PERFORMING ARTS AWARD	Awarded to the pupil who made a significant contribution to the school – Tshegofatso Legodi and Aaron Sevitz
 MMR ‘GIFT OF THE GAB’ TROPHY	Awarded to a Grade 11 learner who has made a significant contribution to public speaking – Lindokuhle Sibisi
 THE DUNVEGAN AND GLENDOWER RATEPAYERS TROPHY	Awarded to the best learner in the Natural Sciences in Grade 11 – Tayla Du Plessis
 TRENTINI TROPHY	Awarded to the top academic learner in Grade 10 – Ryan Harris
 HEADMASTER’S TROPHY	Awarded to the best all-rounder in Grade 10 – Sarah Scott
 MATRICULATION TROPHY	Awarded to the best all-rounder in Grade 11 – Nqobile Ngwenya
 THE GOODALL TROPHY	Awarded to the top academic learner in Grade 11 – Tayla Du Plessis

MEDAL AND COLOUR AWARDS

BRONZE MEDAL AND HALF COLOURS:

GRADE 10

Ryan Harris	Jana Erasmus
Claudia Scolaro	Knox Peetham
Sarah Scott	Nickson He
Aiden Ninaber	Anethemba Mbawuli
Jonathan Gatter	Andrew Fouche
Alina Williams	Sohan Harilal
Damian Nel	Trevlyn Naidoo
Jordyn Dos Reis	Keira Symes
Keanu De Jesus	Divaksha Moodley
Cassandra Fradd	

BRONZE MEDAL AND HALF COLOURS:

GRADE 11

Brayden Naidoo
Samuel Stapel
Gabriel Corga

SILVER MEDAL AND FULL COLOURS:

GRADE 11

Tayla Du Plessis Caitlin Norie
Joy Emenike Danyaal Adam
Emmanuel Gitonga Sean Mkumbira
Sarah Terblanche
Nqobile Ngwenya
Madikubu Matheba



ACCOLADES TERM 4 2022

GRADE 8 – 60 ACCOLADES

Kerry Barnard	8A
Isabel Boggenpoel	8A
Chane Charles	8A
Lola Cumberlege	8A
Kay-Leigh Govender	8B
Jayden Nair	8B
Arya Chhiba	8C
Kaitlyn Govender	8C
Chelsea Frere	8D
Cassidy Govender	8D
Bontle Mokwena	8D
Urja Jayram	8E
Mikhail Reddy	8E
Chanel D’Arcy	8G
Luciano De Nobrega	8G
Molatelo Mamshela	8G
Lata Mpilo	8H
Lethabo Selibi	8H

GRADE 8 – 100 ACCOLADES

Ethan Payne	8E
Mikhail Reddy	8E

GRADE 9 – 60 ACCOLADES

Madison Carletti	9A
Tatum De Oliveira	9A
Ashley Hopcroft	9A
Kiean Naidoo	9A
Nadine Roode	9A
Georgia Sing	9A
Faith Adlard	9B
Nishka Chhiba	9B
Kaylese Goncalves	9B
Faye Hopgood	9B
Skhuthazo Mabalane	9B
Azande Mbatha	9B
Tristan Mey	9B
Mathuma Napo	9B
Masindi Ranthete	9B
Kiara Arntzen	9C
Hannah Cooper	9C
Jemma Smit	9C
Clarissa Van Eeden	9C
Hannah Le Grange	9D
Elise Naidoo	9D
Carlo Nunes	9D
Riley Viljoen	9D
Chandre Bennett	9E
Joao De Jesus	9E
Caitlin Kerr	9E

GRADE 9 – 60 ACCOLADES

Ethan Nel	9E
Lethabo Phoko	9E
Nhlakanipho Tshabalala	9E
Thomaso Vitale	9E
Danica Campanario	9F
Jodi-Mila Greeff	9F
Lynn Ludick	9F
Thimna Maxambele	9F
Monghezi Sifuba	9F
Armetta Hill	9G
Lhithemba Mngadi	9G
Sisipho Msoki	9G
Lily Myeni	9G
Joslyn Scott	9G
Boitumelo Sianga	9G
Keneilwe Timbane	9G
Daniella Nicholson	9H
Shelley Wilson	9H
Woong Her	9I
Iviwe Mnyamana	9I
Isabella Joao	9J
Liyema Matanda	9J
Nompumelelo Mngoma	9J
Mikayla Pon	9J
Neeshal Shah	9J
Precious Walunda	9J



ACCOLADES TERM 4 2022

GRADE 9 – 100 ACCOLADES

Charmaine Nyathi	9A
Mamosadithebe	9A
Ramasike	
Kaemon Abrahams	9B
Daniella Atkins	9B
Wesley Dibia	9B
Tristan Mey	9B
Mathuma Napo	9B
Alessia Pecci	9B
Kelly Smit	9B
Cassidy Gordon	9C
Clarissa Hughes	9C
Jemma Du Preez	9F
Latavia Mahabeer	9G
Caitlin Mahabeer	9G
Kian Jory	9H
Jemma Sylvester	9H
Siyamthanda Mthembu	9I
Nathan Tait	9I
Shiloh Berardelli	9J

GRADE 10 – 100 ACCOLADES

Cassandra Fradd	10A
Dejanae Kinnear	10A
Sarah Scott	10A
Keanu De Jesus	10B
Brandon Balliah	10C
Andrew Fouche	10C
Nickson He	10C
Tabeth Ndlovu	10C
Kaylin O'Reilly	10C
Neo Tlaka	10C
Cheyenne Coombs	10D
Jonathan Gatter	10D
Kirsti Matthysen	10D
Jessica Thyse	10D

GRADE 10 – 60 ACCOLADES

Caden De Matos	10A
Yogini Jayram	10A
Guide Muzanarwo	10A
Damian Nel	10A
Vilochana Ranasinghe	10A
Raven Van Bosch	10A
Kyci Coetzer	10B
Keanu De Jesus	10B
Athenkosi Mgogodlana	10B
Nonthandokazi Ntandane	10B
Lisberth Thobejane	10B
Daniel Thobois	10B
Luc Bertillon	10C
David Chungu	10C
Chikondi Mafupa	10C
Rorisang Mokoena	10C
Darshani Ragjure	10C
Ryan Harris	10D
Kiara Milton	10D
Udochukwu Richard	10D
Luyanda Xoseka	10D
Ricardo Chainho	10E
Sohan Harilal	10E
Mackenzie Herbst	10E
Rheece Matthysen	10E
Ashleigh Olwage	10E
Claudia Scolaro	10E
Abigail Smethurst	10E

GRADE 10 – 60 ACCOLADES

Kacia Padayachee	10F
Desree Thantsha	10F
Hannah Flinn	10G
Farzana Khan	10G
Divaksha Moodley	10G
Jade Olwage	10G
Jordan Richards	10G
Christopher Temlett	10G
Angelo Vaglietti	10G
Tanica Bastos	10H
Reese Castle	10H
Jordyn Dos Reis	10H
Alicia Jacobs	10H
Lwandle Rasalanavho	10H
Trey Scott	10H
Hsien-Cheng Wong	10H
Katie Balbach	10I
Lauren Marnitz	10I
Sihle Mncube	10I
Itumeleng Ntshakala	10I
Kaylee Nuttall	10J
Zara Othenin-Girard	10J
Tendai Magovanyika	10J
Lwanda Mvanyashe	10J



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GRADE 10 – 100 ACCOLADES

Ethan Uys	10D
Jana Erasmus	10E
Tejal Ramjas	10E
Vannia Infanti	10F
Anethemba Mbawuli	10F
Trevlyn Naidoo	10F
Jayleigh Westphal	10F
Thomas Hyslop	10H
Gabriella Eschner	10J
Anelisa Tshabalala	10J



GRADE 11 – 60 ACCOLADES

Tshwanelo Kabasia	11A
Daniel Mendonca	11A
Kaylee Labistour	11B
Tanna Hollis	11D
Tanzin Lazarus	11D
Joshua Brauns	11F
Clair Chen	11F
Brayden Naidoo	11F
Rishya Sulochan	11F
Ath'Enkosi Yekani	11F
Paris Griffin	11G
Nqobile Ngwenya	11G
Ashleigh Van Zyl	11G

GRADE 11 – 100 ACCOLADES

Danyaal Adam	11A
Hlonipha Baloyi	11A
Tayla Du Plessis	11A
Raelene Pillay	11A
Demi Wilson	11A
Chloe Saacks	11B
Reabetswe Mphaho	11C
Caitlin Norie	11C
Mercy Dickson	11D
Jack Mulbah	11D
Shana Mackie	11E
Sean Mkumbira	11E
Angel Youssef	11E
Jessica Alves	11F
Luca Brandao	11F
Kutloano Toti	11F
Gosiame Lesumo	11G
Pearl Jones	11H
Donatella Murolo	11I
Jason Ryzenberg	11I



UPDATING OF INFORMATION

Please note: if you need to correct any information pertaining to change of address, contact number or email address, send this information to Mrs Enell:

jenell@edenvalehigh.co.za.

The school works from one main central database. Any updates done to details linked to your d6 does not carry through to SMART. The school must be contacted directly.

ATTENTION PARENTS

One of the school's projects is to feed the sterilised feral cats that live on the school property. We would appreciate any donations of tinned or dry food. Donations may be handed in at the front office. All contributions are gratefully accepted.



SPORTS AND CULTURAL RESULTS

Well done to Kayla in Grade 9, who has been selected to represent the South African team at the World Freestyle Dance Championships 2023 in Blackpool, United Kingdom in June this year.

Congratulations to Drew in Matric, who has been selected to play for the U23 Mixed IPT netball team for Easterns. Drew's team will be playing in IPTS at the end of February.

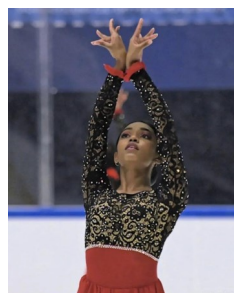
Congratulations to Sarah in Matric, who has been selected to represent South Africa at the upcoming Hevelius Cup International Synchronised Skating Competition to be held in Poland this month.

Congratulations to Jayden in Grade 10, who has made the U19 Basketball team at the University of Johannesburg. Considering he is only 15 and playing for U19, this is a really big achievement for him.

THANK YOU:

Thank you to the following parents and their companies for their very generous sponsorships and donations towards the purchasing of the Edenvale rugby jerseys:

-  U14 - Mrs G Peetham & DMP FREIGHT
-  U15 - Mr D Stewart & First Consulting Alliance (RF) (Pty) (Ltd)
-  U16 - Mrs R Campbell & BrandExcite
-  XV Team - Mrs C De Beer & PolySnap





****The school accepts outside advertisements. We are unable to take responsibility for the nature of the services offered.**



MATHS TUITION

Maths Core offered for **Grades 8,9,10,11 & 12**
 COST: **R350** for 2 hours
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