



# SA COLLEGE PRIVATE SCHOOL

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## Senior Phase

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The senior phase is from Grade 7-9 and is known to be an important and demanding stage in a learner's education. The phase serves as a critically important transitional and formative period during which learners prepare to enter the last part of their scholastic education namely the FET phase. Learners deal with a selection of subjects with high demands on them in disciplines such as English Home Language, Afrikaans First Additional Language, as well as Mathematics.

In the senior phase learners have to study and advance on many levels of scholastic and individual development, including academics, sport and culture. Learners are monitored on various levels, which include individual attention, group work, term and annual assessments as well as participation in sport and extra-curricular activities.

From an activities point of view SA College offers sports such as athletics, soccer, mini-cricket, netball and volleyball to name a few. Further opportunities include junior and senior school choirs, chess, aerobics, public speaking and debating, mathematics and science clubs as well as several academic remedial classes. Motivational speakers and organisations such as the SAPS are invited from time to time to come and address the learners on socially related issues.

Grade 9 is also the year when learners are put through a controlled process of choosing appropriate subjects and subject combinations for Grade 10. Learners have to do a related assignment and present the results at school. Parents are included in this process which is aimed at helping them make informed choices, based on ability, interest and career aspirations. Learners are then also required to do individual interviews with senior staff upon completion of this assignment.

Monitoring of performance and progress as well as behavioural and social patterns also form an integral part in the senior phase. To this extent regular parental meetings form part of our range of activities. Other activities include an annual entrepreneur's day as well as suitable educational school outings.

I wish you well in the preparation of your child for this very important school phase, and cannot wait to work alongside you.

Dr A. Mutigwa  
Deputy Principal Senior Phase