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Dear parents, teachers and students,

Grade 4-6 exams are finished and all assessment for Foundation Phase is complete for term 2. Grade 7's will be finished on Monday 29 June. What an exciting term it has been, one for the books! I personally hope we do not have another term like this again, but never say never.

Change of return date for term 3 - we have realised that we are in a great space academically and believe the extra time before returning to school with COVID-19 cases rising in Mokopane is necessary. We have decided, with ISASA, approval to lengthen the holiday and we will return to school on 21 July 2020 NOT 14 July 2020. We are still 100% compliant with the amount of school days that are needed for the year as we have not missed one school day because of our excellent online system. We will monitor the situation in Mokopane and should it be necessary we would like you as parents to get your wifi at home connected as we may be forced to go back online. This is a precautionary warning, but to avoid any disappointment we would suggest getting your equipment sorted out.

As mentioned earlier this week we will not allow any other email addresses to access Google meets, Seesaw or Google classroom, only the email address associated with our thorntreeprep domain. Each child has received their login codes etc. We are only protecting our students by doing this.

Our applications are open for 2021. Should you or a family member be interested, please contact us as soon as possible as we are filling our classes up quickly due to our maximum number of learners per class being 20 students. The fee structure for 2021 is live on our website and prospectus for 2021 will be published before the school closes.

Reports will be issued at 10am on Friday 3 July on EDUADMIN, should you still not have this app, please make a plan to contact Mariam at admin@thorntreeprep.co.za. All the information needed for school is available here, including your school fee statement.

Thank you parents, again, for your commitment to ensuring your child has been able to learn through this pandemic. We appreciate you immensely!

Have a lovely weekend

Helyn Pope