



THORNTREE
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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Good morning Intermediate Phase parents,

The end of the term is finally here and a three week rest. Your children are mentally, emotionally and physically drained. I encourage you to allow them to sleep late, have the odd 'sweetie' and just be a child during this time where imagination runs their thoughts and fairy tales follow through from their dreams.

This term we have issued your reports, you will notice a few changes. The first change is that at the bottom of the results there is a sentence stating if your child has passed or failed the term. According to our progression policy we do not pass a child if he/she has not received 50% for either English, Mathematics, Afrikaans, Natural Science, Social Science and Economic and Management Science (grade 7 only) the rest of the subjects have to be above 40% to pass the term. This whole document is on page 3 of the report to ensure all parents and students are aware of the policy.

We will be scheduling one-on-one meets with parents during the first few weeks of term three between the times of 1:15pm and 1:45pm. Please contact hpope@thorntreeprep.co.za to confirm your appointment.

A huge shout out to our teachers that have given up most of their days and nights to make sure your student's learning environment is continuous. I salute you and thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Parents, thank you for being there to support your child/ren, thank you for being patient and kind and empathetic towards your child and the teacher. Without you this would never have been possible.

Please give the school relevant information with regards to your holiday plans, should you be travelling. Send me an email (hpope@thorntreeprep.co.za) to ensure we are aware of the provinces you have been to.

Aftercare will resume on the 21 July 2020, please contact Lomé at 078 802 2551 to secure your child's spot!

Have a lovely break, enjoy your children

All my love,

Helyn Pope