

COVID -19: TERM 3 ACADEMIC PROGRAMME AND DATES FOR

ONLINE AS WELL AS FACE TO FACE LESSONS EACH WEEK

Dear Parent/ Guardian

It is hoped that all families continue to keep safe and well as South Africa navigates both winter and the peak period of the dreaded COVID-19 pandemic. The month long break for all learners except those in grade 12 will be over soon and Sastri College looks forward to welcoming back learners to Term Three. Grade 12 learners commenced Term Three lessons since Monday 3 August and are fast approaching the all-important Trial exams, dates of which will be released soon.

In keeping with safety protocols, all public schools may not allow all learners in every grade to come to school at the same time. Hence the need for both face – to face teaching and online lessons. Sastri College has adopted a blended approach in delivering the curriculum and has engaged with learners since the start of the Lockdown in March. Academic support has been made available on d6, WhatsApp, as well as Google Suite. During this month long vacation subject packs have been created for every learner in grade 8-11. Parents are reminded to monitor the completion and submission of weekly tasks in every subject as these results will be part of Term Three Cass and forms part of the Term Three Result. Kindly note that learners will write a formal task in all subjects before the close of Term Three and a notice outlining dates and details will be released later this month.

Both **online and face – to face lessons** are important and will occur every week. All Learners are to be seriously engaged in every task/ lesson and will be taught according to the time tables attached. Parents are to ensure that every online lesson is attended, and the work set in every subject is completed and submitted timeously by the learner as in Term Three and Term Four final exams and promotion becomes more relevant.

TERM THREE SCHEDULE OF GRADES ATTENDING SCHOOL

WEEK	DATES	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI
1	Mon 24 - Fri 28 Aug	GR 11 24 /08/20	GR 10 25/08/20	GR 9 26/08/20	GR 10 27/08/20	GR 10 28/08/20
2	Mon 31 Aug – Fri 04 Sept	GR 11 31/08/20	GR 10 01/09/20	GR 9 02/09/20	GR 8 03/09/20	GR 9 04/09/20
3	Mon 07 Sept - Fri 11 Sept	GR 11 07/09/20	GR 10 08/09/20	GR 9 09/09/20	GR 8 10/09/20	GR 8 11/09/20
4	Mon 14 Sept - Fri 18 Sept	GR 11 14/09/20	GR 10 15/09/20	GR 9 16/09/20	GR 8 17/09/20	GR 11 18/09/20
5	Mon 21 Sept - Fri 25 Sept	GR 11 21/09/20	GR 10 22/09/20	GR 9 23/09/20	24//09 - Heritage day	GR 10 25/09/20
6	Mon 28 Sept- Fri 02 Oct	GR 11	GR 10	GR 9	GR 8 01/10/20	GR 9 02/10/20

		28/09/20	29/09/20	30/09/20		
7	Mon 05 Oct- Fri 09 Oct	GR 11 05/10/20	GR 10 06/10/20	GR 9 07/10/20	GR 8 08/10/20	GR 8 09/10/20
8	Mon 12 Oct- Fri 16 Oct	GR 11 12/10/20	GR 10 13/10/20	GR 9 14/10/20	GR 8 15/10/20	GR 8 16/10/20
9	Mon 19 Oct- Fri 23 Oct	GR 11 19/10/20	GR 10 20/10/20	GR 9 21/10/20	GR 8 22/10/20	GR 11 23/10/20 LAST DAY OF TERM 3
10	Mon 26 Oct- Fri 30 Oct	WEEK LONG BREAK BETWEEN TERM 3 & TERM 4				
ONLINE LESSONS FROM MON 24 AUG		GR 11	GR 10	GR 9	GR 8	
		Tues / Wed / Thurs	Mon / Wed / Thurs	Mon / Tues Thurs	Mon / Tues / Wed	

NB. 1. Learners are to use their Sastri email accounts & the educator Google codes to access on- line lessons.

2. Term 4 commences Monday 02 November 2020.

Sastri College management is aware of the many constraints families face but feel that despite these pressures every learner in every grade deserves and is capable of academic success.

Wishing your good health and safety and praying for a productive, safe return of all learners.

Yours sincerely

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Blank calendar templates for all learners. Remember to also schedule studying time over weekends / holidays

A) face- to face lessons in blue
lessons in red

B) on- line

RE-ISSUE: HOW TO ACCESS GOOGLE SUITE FOR GOOGLE CLASSROOM AND GOOGLE MEET LESSONS

Many of us feel really intimidated by online lessons. As Sastri College has adopted a blended approach to schooling during the COVID-19 Pandemic, all learners must access Google Classroom. Here are a few ways that could help you access your online lessons

A. FIRST TIME LOG IN -

VIA OFFICIAL SASTRI COLLEGE LEARNER G MAIL

1. Go to Google and select G mail
2. Ensure you are not logged into any other Gmail account- if so, sign out from other emails.
3. Log in with your official Sastri college learner email address:
[\(4digitadminnumber@sastricollege.co.za\)](mailto:4digitadminnumber@sastricollege.co.za)
ENSURE THERE ARE NO SPACES IN THE EMAIL ADDRESS
4. Enter your password which is : learners@1'
5. Open Google- type in 'g suite login'
6. Click on 'g suite login'
7. Click on 'sign in-Google accounts- G suite'
8. You should be in Google account dash board
9. If you don't find Google classroom on your dashboard scroll down until
 - a. you see 'more Google apps' – select this option
10. All apps will appear
11. Scroll down again and select Google classroom

B. SUBSEQUENT LOG- INS

Go to Google & select classroom.google.com

Enter your Sastri college Official email address for your Classroom account and click Next.

Learner email address:

[\(4digitadminnumber@sastricollege.co.za\)](mailto:(4digitadminnumber@sastricollege.co.za))

ENSURE

[THERE ARE NO SPACES IN THE EMAIL ADDRESS](#)

1. Enter your password and click Next.

Learner password : learners@1'

You are using the Sastri College G Suite for Education account, click : I'm A Student

Click Get Started.