

Quick facts!

Language: English
Ages: From 4 months to 5 years
Class sizes vary according to the age group.
School times: 07:00 – 18:00
Half-day care: 07:00 – 13:00
Full-day care: 07:00 – 18:00



MERIDIAN

Pinehurst

Home away from home

At Meridian Nursery we believe in the magic of CHILDHOOD, the JOY of being young and the unbridled INNOCENCE of youth.

1.

The Unique Child: Meridian Nursery recognises that every child is a competent learner from birth who can be resilient, capable, confident and self-assured.

2.

Positive Relationships: Meridian Nursery children learn to be strong and independent from a base of loving and secure relationships with parents and or a key person (educator).

We focus on:

3.

Learning and Development: Our children develop and learn in different ways and at different rates. All areas of learning and development are equally important and are inter-connected.

4.

Enabling Environments: Our environment plays a key role in supporting and extending a child's development and love of learning.

Extramural activities*

Offered by private tutors/coaches held on Meridian Nursery premises, include:

Cricket, Playball, rugby, Clay Play, Dance Mouse, Music for Little Ones, Audioblox and Manners 4 Minors

*These activities are private and are for the parents' account.



The Daily Programme:

Bible, morals and manners
Hygiene
Perceptual development
Creative activities
Free play
Fine and gross motor activities
Thematic approach



The early learning goals for the pre-primary child

Our preschool curriculum is designed with Early Learning Goals in mind:

Physical well-being: health and safety, gross motor development, fine motor development

Identity and belonging: self-awareness, self-management, social awareness and social management

Communication: listen and understand, speak and communicate, make meaning and represent

Mathematics: quantity and number, measurement, patterns, shape and space, data collection, time and ordination

Creativity: daily life and play, visual arts, performing arts

Learning about the world: exploration and inquiry, knowledge and understanding, executive function

- We have created a centre of learning where children can realise their full potential by providing a comprehensive, individually orientated education of the highest standard.
- Meridian Nursery provides a sound foundation for meeting the tasks and challenges of future learning.
- We create an environment of opportunity where the child learns general knowledge, the right attitudes, ethical and moral principles.
- We encourage and teach each child social and life skills in a warm and loving environment.
- We acknowledge that each child is an individual and we allow them to work at their own pace.
- We create a sound and safe environment where each child is extended and growth is encouraged academically, socially, emotionally and spiritually.
- Classes follow weekly-themed programmes and even the smallest baby is exposed to our themes through songs and rhymes.
- Communication between parent and educator is vital and we maintain an open-door policy.
- Daily feedback is sent for Group 1 to Group 3 classes and social and academic reports are handed out three times during the year for all ages.
- Each class has an assistant, with Groups 1 and 2 having two assistants.

How to enrol:

STEP 1:

All relevant forms are available on: www.curro.co.za



WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

STEP 2:

Complete the following:

- Application for admission
- Application for aftercare (if applicable)
- Debit-order form
- Attach all supporting documents
- Contact the nursery school to set up an appointment for an interview



STEP 3:

Application forms will be assessed.

STEP 4:

Parents will receive via email, a welcome letter and invoice for a once-off non-refundable enrolment fee.



STEP 5:

Once the enrolment fee is paid the child's place is confirmed (please retain proof of payment for record purposes).

STEP 6:

Please refer to www.curro.co.za regularly to stay up to date with all the relevant news and arrangements.

At Meridian Nursery we play, love and learn.



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