

## Quick facts!

**Language:** English and Afrikaans

**Class size:** Controlled class sizes

### School times:

Grade 1: Monday - Thursday 07:45 - 13:30  
Friday 07:45 - 13:00

Grade 2 to Grade 3: Monday - Thursday 07:45 - 13:30  
Friday 07:45 - 13:00

Grade 4 to Grade 7: Monday - Thursday 07:45 - 14:05  
Friday 07:45 - 13:45

**Aftercare:** 13:45 - 17:30 Monday to Friday

# CURRO

## Hermanus

### Foundation phase: Grade 1 to Grade 3

In the foundation phase, we focus on teaching the foundational skills, concepts and knowledge which are required for further learning. We offer a vibrant, invitational atmosphere where the learners enjoy coming to school and where they acquire a love for learning that will sustain them throughout their school years. We acknowledge the potential in each learner to reach optimum ability; therefore, there is less emphasis on competitiveness and more emphasis on individual achievement. We incorporate the 21st century teaching skills in all our lessons to ensure that our learners are well prepared and equip to deal with the challenges of this ever changing, technological age.

## Subjects

The three main learning areas are:

**Language** – English or Afrikaans home language and English or Afrikaans first additional language

**Mathematics** – Mathematical concepts, number concepts and practical application.

**Life Skills** – Skills from a variety of learning areas will be included under Life Skills.

### Also:

Perceptual development forms an integral part of all learning in the foundation phase, and includes gross motor skills, sensory motor integration, perceptual motor skills and language development. Robotics and computer lessons form part of the curriculum.



## Cultural activities include:

### Foundation phase:

Choir, violin, guitar, ukulele, piano, keyboard, saxophone, recorder, djembe drumming, electric guitar, bass guitar, marimba and music theory



## Sports activities:

### Foundation phase:

Swimming, mini-hockey, mini-netball, mini-rugby, mini-cricket, tennis, chess, athletics and golf

## Intermediate phase: Grades 4 to 6

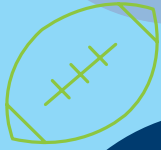
In the intermediate phase, the emphasis is still on establishing basic foundations, but learners are led into more abstract thought and independent work. Application of skills and concepts is also a focus area in this phase. This phase aims to prepare learners for the senior phase in the high school.

We aim to embrace 21st century learning by incorporating the use of tablets into our classrooms. We currently raise children who are 'digital natives'. By embracing innovative technology into our schools, we are speaking the language our learners understand.



## Extramural activities

Offered by private tutors/coaches held on Curro Hermanus premises:  
Gymnastics, Swimming Academy, Experi-Buddies, and SNAG Golf



## Sports activities

**Intermediate phase:**  
Athletics, cricket, tennis, swimming, rugby, soccer, netball, hockey, cross-country, mountain biking, equestrian, chess, golf, karate and squash

## Cultural activities

**Intermediate phase:**  
Choir, drama, marimba, eisteddfods and music (recorder, piano, guitar, violin, keyboard, djembe drums, violin, saxophone and flute)



## Curriculum:

### Grade 4 to Grade 6

- English or Afrikaans home language and English or Afrikaans first additional language
- Mathematics
- Life Orientation
- Natural Sciences and Technology
- Social Sciences (Geography and History)
- Computer Literacy
- Robotics
- Bible
- Information and Communication Technology
- Art

## Curriculum:

### Grade 7

- English or Afrikaans home language
- English or Afrikaans first additional language
- Mathematics
- Natural Sciences
- Social Sciences
- Technology
- Economic and Management Sciences (including Accounting)
- Life Orientation
- Arts and Culture
- Information and Communication Technology



### STEP 1:

All relevant forms are available on:  
[www.curro.co.za](http://www.curro.co.za)



## WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

### STEP 2:

Complete the following:

- Application for admission
- Application for aftercare (if applicable)
- Debit-order form

It is important to complete the application-for-admission form thoroughly and to attach ALL the relevant supporting documents. Send proof of payment for the once-off non-refundable administration fee via email.



### STEP 3:

Application forms will be assessed.

### STEP 4:

Once the learner has been accepted, relevant details will be captured, at which time parents receive an email confirming the learner's status of acceptance and a family code, and the account holder receives an invoice for the once-off, non-refundable enrolment fee and the banking details.



### STEP 5:

Payment of the enrolment fee must be made to secure the learner's place for the next academic year. (Please retain the proof of payment for record purposes.)

### STEP 6:

Please refer to [www.curro.co.za](http://www.curro.co.za) regularly to stay up to date with all the relevant news and arrangements.

## PLEASE NOTE:

A learner must benefit from Curro's mainstream curriculum and it is therefore necessary to assess each application for admission. Applicants are assessed according to the normal entry requirements and, if necessary, extra assessments may be requested.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Curro family.

How to enrol:

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