

PRIMARY SCHOOL



CURRO Academy Mahikeng



QUICK FACTS

Language: English

Foundation phase: Grade R to Grade 3

Intermediate phase (Grades 4 to 6) and Grade 7

Class size: Controlled class sizes

School times

Grade R to Grade 2: 07:30 – 13:00

Grade 3 to Grade 7: 07:30 – 13:30

Aftercare: Until 17:00

Boarding school from Grade 4.

Foundation phase (Grade R to Grade 3)

Grade R

In Grade R we focus on an integrated play-based curriculum with specialised educational programmes:

- The phonological awareness programme which is explicitly taught in small groups. This includes interactive games
- The Bazoo integrated literacy programme
- The NumberSense programme which is a learner-centred approach where problem-solving is the starting point

Grade R is the bridge from the concrete world to the world of symbols and numbers in Grade 1.

Grade 1 to Grade 3

In these grades the focus is on perceptual development, exposure to relevant content, skills 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 create opportunities for personal growth in independence and responsibility so that learners can take up the challenge of being personally responsible and accountable for their actions in the intermediate phase.

Subjects

The three main learning areas are:

Language – English Home Language and Afrikaans First Additional Language

Mathematics – A learner-centred approach where problem-solving is the starting point:

- Sense-making, problem-solving activities
- Meaningful mathematical knowledge
- Efficient use of a variety of strategies
- Application of mathematical knowledge with confidence and understanding
- Introduction to project-based learning

Life Skills – Includes beginning knowledge, personal and social wellbeing, creative arts and physical education

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.

Cultural activities – foundation phase

Debating and spelling bee

Sports activities – foundation phase

Mini: netball and soccer

Athletics and chess

Intermediate phase (Grades 4 to 6) and Grade 7

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 promote creativity and critical thinking by encouraging children to make their own choices within well-established boundaries.

Curriculum

English Home Language, Afrikaans or Setswana First Additional Language, Mathematics, Life Skills, Natural Sciences and Technology, Social Sciences, Economic and Management Sciences (Grade 7), Life Orientation (Grade 7), Creative Arts (Grade 7)



Sports activities – intermediate phase

Netball, soccer, cricket, chess and athletics

Cultural activities – intermediate phase

Debating and spelling bee

HOW TO ENROL

STEP 1:

Apply to enrol with one of the following options:

1. Enrol online at www.curro.co.za.
2. Download and complete the application-for-admission form available on the website or from the school.
3. If necessary, contact the school for the required documents.

STEP 2:

Submit your completed application form along with all supporting documents (indicated on the application form) to the school.

Note: Supporting documents for online enrolments are to be uploaded.

STEP 3:

Application forms will be assessed.

STEP 4:

If successful, 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.

PLEASE NOTE:

A learner must benefit from Curro Academy'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 Academy family.

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HIGH SCHOOL



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Our goal is to develop responsible, independent and proud individuals, who will make a positive contribution to society.

Our ethos is governed by Christian values, where learners are encouraged to explore and express their individuality within acceptable boundaries, and ultimately take responsibility for their actions.

Our dynamic curriculum covers problem-solving, critical thinking and the development of skills and values. Both individual and group work are evaluated.

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

Learners are prepared for the National Senior Certificate (NSC).



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Grades: Grade 8 to Grade 12

Matric examination: National Senior Certificate (NSC)

Class size: Controlled class sizes

School times: 07:30 – 13:30

Extra classes: 14:00 – 15:00

Boarding school

Curriculum (Grade 8 and Grade 9)

- English Home Language
- Afrikaans or Setswana First Additional Language
- Mathematics
- Natural Sciences
- Social Sciences
- Technology
- Economic and Management Sciences (including Accounting)
- Life Orientation
- Creative Arts
- Computer Literacy



Cultural activities

Debating and science expo

Sports activities

Athletics, netball, soccer, cricket, archery and chess

Value-added programmes could include:

Character-building programmes to teach respect, good manners, hard work, honesty and integrity, respect for all cultures, self-worth, career guidance, and entrepreneurship

Curriculum (Grade 10 to Grade 12)

Subject choice must include:

- English Home Language
- Afrikaans or Setswana First Additional Language
- Mathematics or Mathematical Literacy
- Life Orientation

Three additional subjects which could include:

- Accounting
- Business Studies
- Economics
- Physical Sciences
- Life Sciences
- Geography
- Computer Applications Technology (CAT)



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