GREENPARK NURSERY SCHOOL

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THEMES

GR R: TRANSPORT and Letterland "S"

Blue and Green: RECYCLING
Red, Yellow and Lavender: WOOD

ACTIVITY PACKS

From next week we will be providing virtual activity packs. All the suggestions you need for a busy and interesting week will be available on the PDF which we will provide. You will just need to facilitate the activities.

Mrs. Elsworth will also no longer be providing online guidance as the interest in online has waned almost completely.

Actual printed packs will continue for the Gr R's as they have worksheets to keep up for their Letterland learning.

BACK TO SCHOOL

We are happy to report that we are almost back to capacity at Greenpark. Thank you for trusting us with your children and helping to promote some kind of normal for us all.

If you are planning to send your child back in September, please be mindful of the school holidays starting on Sept 11 - Sept 29. It would easier to settle if they come back now or to wait until after the break.

SCHOOL PAYMENTS

Please remember pay for pizza and ice-lollies - R145 for the term (term 2).

Gr R deposit letters for 2021 are being sent out next week. A R1000 uniform deposit is required by end September 2020 and a full term or 3 months' <u>notice is required</u> if you are taking your child out of Greenpark.

REPORTS

Reports for all groups will be sent out on Wednesday 9 September.

ADVERTISEMENTS

- 1. Mama Thembi is selling her lovely shweshwe masks for only R50 each. A selection will be available on the table at the gate.
- 2. Mrs. Roberts' son, Richard, is available for house sitting. Contact him on 073 284 1278
- 3. Please see paragraph from one of our Greenpark mom's regarding her Child-minder below.

Advert

Many of you may know Nomsa from her picking Hugo up from School. Unfortunately my circumstances have changed and I will have to say goodbye to my childminder/nanny/house manager/house partner in the next 6 months but she is available anytime.

If you are looking for someone, I can personally vouch that you will not regret it. She has got extensive experience and has done various courses including first aid. Nomsa is also completing a Home Based Nursing course next month and would like to find a position either as **childminder/nanny** or to look after **someone elderly**.

Nomsa joined our family when my son was 5 months old as I had to go back to work. As a first time mom, I was so nervous and hadn't been able to find someone in the previous 4 months who I felt completely comfortable with. Nomsa arrived and in her quiet, calm and gentle manner - she stepped in and I knew she was perfect for us. Very sadly, we will have to say goodbye after 5 ½ years, as our circumstances have changed. She really is incredible and more than just a childminder - she is an integral part of my family and has not only been another mother to my son but also my support as a single mom.

In the 5 ½ years, she has been sick for 2 days and has never (no exaggeration) been late for work. She always house sits for me and looks after our two dogs and cat – they adore her. She walks my son from school, prepares lunch and pretty much manages my house and my life. I am devastated that she can't stay with us and really would like to find her a wonderful family she can be part of.

Her husband is not here and her children are adults so she is very happy with live-in or live-out. Please contact me if you are interested or know someone who is looking for some.

Gisela (Hugo's mom in Green Group - giseladeabreu@gmail.com)

