

# Haakdoorn Academy Reg 2017/347675/07

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**Dear Parents** 

As Term 3 draws to a close, I would like to extend my sincere thanks for your continued support throughout 2025. Time is moving quickly, and believe it or not, there are only 14 Thursdays left until 2026!

ASSESSMENTS AND SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Please note that all assessments and examinations will conclude on **Friday, 3 October 2025**, which will also be the **final school day of the term**. Learners are **required to attend school until this date**, as assessments and examinations will continue throughout the week. School will close **at 10:00 on Friday, 3 October**, following the completion of the final assessment.

CELEBRATING THE END OF A SUCCESSFUL TERM

Our final **Hungry Haakies Food Day** of the term will take place on **Thursday, 2 October 2025**. To celebrate the end of the term, we're offering a special **combo deal for R50**, which includes a combo meal and an ice cream. Learners can wear **home clothes** on the day as well. Please support this **final fundraising initiative** for the term — your participation is greatly appreciated!

**REPORT CARDS AND PARENT-TEACHER MEETING TERM 4** 

Report cards will be available for collection at the school during the **parent-teacher meeting** on **21 October 2025**, between **15:30 and 18:30**. We encourage all parents and guardians to attend, as this is an important opportunity to discuss their academic progress with their teachers.

LATE-ARRIVALS

We are increasingly concerned about the number of learners arriving late to school each day. Please be reminded that school begins promptly at **7:20 AM** for all grades, and the first academic period starts at **7:30 AM**.

Frequent lateness not only disrupts your child's learning but also impacts the entire class. Our educators are unable to repeat lessons for latecomers, and valuable teaching time is lost. To ensure the safety of all learners and staff, the school gate will be locked at **7:20 AM**. Unfortunately, we are unable to keep the gate open to accommodate late arrivals.

We kindly request your full cooperation in ensuring that your child arrives at school on time each morning. Your support is essential in maintaining a safe, focused, and productive learning environment.

#### ARREAR ACCOUNTS

We are currently experiencing an unusually high number of overdue school fee accounts. As a school, we continue to honour our commitment by providing quality education and support to your child. In return, we kindly remind you of your responsibility to ensure the timely payment of school fees. If your account is in arrears, we urge you to settle it immediately to avoid any disruption to our services. We ask that you please prioritise this obligation so we can continue working together to support your child's education.

#### **RE-REGISTRATION FOR 2026**

Re-registration forms for 2026 will be distributed on **15 October 2025**. This process helps us plan and manage space for new learners currently on our waiting list.

If your child will **not** be returning next year, please indicate this clearly on the form. This will allow us to offer that space to another learner. We kindly ask that all completed forms be returned by 25 October 2025.

#### **FEE STRUCTURE 2026**

Our fee structure for 2026 has now been finalised. We are pleased to inform you that the **average fee increase is 6,94%,** which is currently below the current industry standard of 8%.

The re-registration fee, as well as the coding and robotics fee, will remain unchanged for 2026, with no increases applied. Please note that the costs for books and stationery are subject to external supplier pricing. We have reviewed the contents of the stationery boxes, making adjustments where necessary — adding items for certain grades and removing others. As a result, stationery prices have decreased for some grades and increased for others.

## For 2026:

- The average increase in book prices is 7.39%.
- The average increase in stationery prices is a modest 1.98%.

The detailed breakdown of the 2026 fees are as follows:

Grade	Reregistra- tion fee	* Annual tuition fee	** Monthly installment	% Increase from 2025	Fee for Learner books	Fee for Learner stationery	Coding & Robotics
RRR	R550	R29 400	R2 450	6,12%	R1 100	R900	n/a
RR	R550	R29 400	R2 450	6,12%	R1 100	R900	n/a
R	R550	R29 400	R2 450	6,12%	R1 100	R900	R850
1	R550	R33 600	R2 800	7,14%	R1 250	R1 450	R850
2	R550	R33 600	R2 800	7,14%	R1 300	R1 475	R850
3	R550	R33 600	R2 800	7,14%	R1 300	R1 400	R850
4	R550	R35 700	R2 975	7,56%	R2 050	R1 550	R850
5	R550	R35 700	R2 975	7,56%	R2 100	R1 650	R850
6	R550	R35 700	R2 975	7,56%	R2 200	R1 625	R850
7	R550	R35 700	R2 975	6,12%	R2 950	R2 150	R850
Aftercare is available at R600 per month, collection time is 17:30 from Mondays to Fridays							

<sup>\*</sup> We are pleased to offer an early settlement discount of R1,250 for the full 2026 tuition fees, applicable if payment is made on or before 31 January 2026.

# **IMPORTANT PAYMENT DATES**

We kindly request that all payments listed below be made by the specified date to ensure the timely delivery of books and stationery:

Re-registration fee: 24 December 2025
Book fees: 24 December 2025
Stationery fees: 24 December 2025
Coding & Robotics fee: 31 January 2026

Please note that all stationery needs to be individually marked. The **collection dates** are as follows:

Grades RRR to 3: 12 January 2026
Intermediate Phase: 13 January 2026

Please ensure that all stationery items are returned to school on 14 January 2026, the first day of the new academic year. Do not keep any items at home, as your child will need all their

<sup>\*\*</sup> The tuition fees are payable in advance, and the first instalment for the 2026 academic year is due by 1 January 2026.

supplies at school. Stationery is distributed as needed throughout the year, and keeping items at home may result in your child running short.

## **ADDITIONAL ITEMS**

The following additional items must also please be sent to school when we reopen on **14 January 2026**:

ADDITIONAL ITEMS	GRADES RRR - 3	GRADES 4 - 7
1 x 500ml Liquid hand soap	х	х
1 x air freshener	х	х
1 x empty 2l ice-cream container	х	х
12 x single-ply toilet paper rolls	х	х
1 x plastic apron/old adult T-shirt	х	х
2 x tissue box (200)	х	х
Soccer ball (not plastic type)	х	
1 x orange dust cloth	х	

Please note that we are experiencing a shortage of toilet paper this year. We kindly request that each family send 4 rolls of single-ply toilet paper to school on 13 October 2025.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me on 012 561 3007.

Kind regards

R Crause (Mrs)

Director: Haakdoorn Academy