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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Dear Prospective Parent,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you and your family to the Etham College community as you consider our school for your child's educational journey in 2026.

Choosing the right school is one of the most significant decisions you will make as a parent. At Etham College, we understand and honour the trust that comes with this decision. We are committed to partnering with you to nurture not only your child's academic growth, but also their character, creativity, confidence, and compassion.

As a school founded on the pursuit of excellence, Etham College offers a forward-thinking, values-based education grounded in integrity, innovation, and inclusion. Our dedicated staff, dynamic curriculum, and vibrant campus life are designed to help each student discover their potential and develop a deep love for learning.

Whether your child excels in the classroom, on the sports field, on stage, or in service to others, we provide the support and opportunities they need to flourish. We are proud of our culture of care and excellence, where every child is known, valued, and inspired to thrive.

I invite you to explore all that Etham College has to offer. Visit our campus, meet our staff, and experience first-hand the energy, warmth, and spirit that define our school.

Thank you for considering Etham College as a home for your child's future. We look forward to walking this exciting journey with you.

Warm regards,

Principal - Etham College

Mrs Janine Hinde



ABOUT US

High-quality, affordable, independent education offering Grades R -12, allowing continuity for learners

Well-rounded development that blends academic learning and vocational preparation

A modern approach to learning, integrating educational technology to elevate the educational experience, empowering students to excel in a digitally-driven society

A focus on academic excellence. Entrepreneurship curriculum incorporated into the timetable offering a blend of innovative thinking, business principles, real world projects and masterclasses.

Robotics integrated into the timetable, fostering critical thinking, problem-solving, and innovation preparing learners for a technology-driven world.

Conveniently located campus.

An average of 28 learners per class, enabling an optimal focus on learners' needs.

A safe and nurturing environment, access to information and opportunities via Etham partners and associates

A range of sports offerings included into the school fees, with a few additional extras at minimal costs.

OUR VISION

At Etham College, our vision is to be the leading educational institution that empowers learners through an innovative blend of academic excellence, entrepreneurial spirit, and values-based ethos. We strive to create a nurturing community where learners are equipped with the knowledge, creativity, and moral compass to shape their future and impact the world for the better. Our aim is to cultivate compassionate, resilient, and resourceful leaders who are prepared to excel in an ever-changing global landscape.

OUR MISSION

Etham College is committed to providing a dynamic learning environment where academic excellence meets entrepreneurial thinking, underpinned by strong values-based ethos. Our mission is to foster holistic development by offering a diverse educational experience that empowers learners to excel academically, think innovatively, and lead with integrity. Through our focus on collaboration, respect, and humility, we guide learners to become ethical leaders who contribute meaningfully to their communities and beyond

OUR VALUES

Community-minded

Celebrate our diversity and serve our community for the greater good of the collective.

Environmental stewardship

Take care of our planet and promote sustainable habits.

Entrepreneurial Mindset

Embrace innovation and initiative, resilience, and a spirit of creative problem-solving.

Camaraderie

Foster a supportive and collaborative environment where we can rely on each other and celebrate each other's successes.

Humility

Show gratitude for our opportunities and successes and treat others with kindness and empathy.

Values-based ethos

A considered, values-based approach.

Academic Excellence

Strive for a high standard of academic rigour and a passion for learning.

A nurturing environment

Create an atmosphere where everyone feels welcomed and valued. Respect Honour yourself, each other, and our community.

ACADEMICS:

- IEB assessment which is internationally recognised and prepares learners well for university study.
- Wide variety of subjects in Grade 10-12, enabling greater university prospects.
- Entrepreneurship curriculum is incorporated into the timetable offering a blend of innovative thinking, business principles, real world projects and masterclasses.
- Robotics is integrated into the timetable, fostering critical thinking, problem-solving, and innovation; preparing learners for a technology-driven world.
- Emotional Intelligence is incorporated into Life Orientation/Life Skills curriculum, equipping learners with lifelong skills to thrive in an increasingly interconnected world.
- Reflective Learning is program incorporated into the timetable (English and Mathematics), which learners are also able to utilise at home, fostering continuous improvement by addressing areas of development.
- A focus on digital literacy, empowering learners to excel in a digitally-driven society.

Grade 10 to 12 Subject Electives:

 Engligh HL, L.O, Afrikaans FAL and IsiZulu FAL, Maths Core or Maths literacy, Physical Sciences, Life Sciences, CAT, EGD, Accounting, Business Studies, Geography, History, Tourism.

FACILITIES:

- 2 Science labs, 4 in 2 Multipurpose Courts for Tennis, Basketball and Netball, 1 Multipurpose indoor centre with astro turf, 1 Robotics Lab, 1 IT Lab
- Flat Screen TV's, WIFI across campus, all learners are required to use devices, Google classroom
- 4 in 2 Multipurpose Courts for Tennis,
 Basketball and Netball ,1 Multipurpose
 indoor centre with astro turf, 1 Sports ground





SPORTS OFFERING:

- Soccer
- Netball
- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Tennis
- Cross country
- Rugby

CULTURAL OFFERING:

- Environmental Club
- Debate/public speaking
- Bible Study
- Choir
- Olympiads
- Eistedfodd

TRANSPORT:

- External transport
- Areas covered: Pietermaritzburg CBD, hayfields, South Gate, Pelham, Bisley, Presybury, Sweetwaters, Imbali, Hilton, Howick, Mpophomeni, Mooi River

TERMS & TIMES:

4 Terms per year



	Morning Start	Afternoon End	Friday End	Day transport leaves
Grade R-3	07h30	13h45	12h30	Weekdays - 14h00 Fridays - 12h30
Grade 4-7	07h30	15h40	14h30	Weekdays - 15h50 Fridays - 15h15
Grade 8-12	07h30	15h40	15h00	Weekdays - 15h50 Friday - 15h15

HOW TO REGISTER:

01

Visit our offices or contact us for an application pack Marketing@etham.co.za or 031 030 0072

02

Submit the completed application form together with all required supporting documents to marketing@etham.co.za or hand deliver at our campus.

03

Application forms will be assessed and verified.

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IF APPLICATION WAS SUCCESSFUL - Parents will receive the following via Email : A provisional acceptance letter, a debit order form and an invoice for a once-off, non-refundable registration fee.

IF APPLICATION WAS UNSUCCESSFUL - Parents will be notified accordingly.

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Pay your non-refundable registration fee and send the proof of payment to: marketing@etham.co.za

Banking Details:

Account Name: Edinvest Schools Operations (Pty) Ltd

Name of Bank: First National Bankk (FNB)

Account Number: 628 383 841 63

Branch Code: 210835

Reference: Use your child's Name and Surname.

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Receive an acceptance and welcome pack via email.

THANK YOU!

