

ALBerview PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Circular 9 of 2026

Dear Parents/Guardians

Please take note of the following important dates and information.

1. 18 SEPTEMBER EARLY CLOSURE

Reminder that the school will close at 12:00 on Friday 18 September 2026. Permission has been given by the district. A letter was sent out to parents on the parent groups as well. Please ensure that your child is collected on time as there will be no staff on duty to supervise learners.

2. END OF TERM PROCEDURE

Reports will be handed out to parents on Tuesday 22 September 2026 in the school hall between 17:30 – 19:00. Parents or a family representative will be required to sign when collecting the report

School closes Wednesday 23 September 2026 at 10:00 and will reopen on Tuesday 6 October 2026.

3. ATHLETICS RUN OFFS AND TEAM SELECTION

Wednesday 7 October all learners will have the opportunity to try out for the athletics runs offs. Learners must wear summer PE kit, sunscreen and pack an extra bottle of water.

Interhouse will be on Wednesday 14 October 2026. Learners who place, will be selected for the 2027 Alberview Athletics team. Learners must dress in their house colours for the Inter House Day. Parents are welcome to join and support our learners trying out for the team.

4. LOST AND FOUND

A lot of stationery and clothing go missing and learners are taking things that are not theirs. If a parent sees something that has another learner's name on it, return it back to school. Encourage learners to please look after their belongings. Parents are reminded to mark or label their child's clothing, school bags, sport kits, sport equipment etc.

5. RETURN LIBRARY BOOKS

Remember to hand in all library books by the end of this week. If a book is lost or damaged, a fee of R250 per book is payable, a receipt will be issued when payment is made.

FINANCE TERM 3 2026

(Mrs Leigh-Ann van Wyk: FINANCE/AFTERCARE QUERIES ONLY; EMAIL CORRESPONDENCE/LETTER VIA YOUR CHILD, NO TELEPHONIC/FACE TO FACE QUERIES: admin@alberview.org.za)

(Miss Nosipho Dube: ASSISTANT: office@alberview.org.za)

School fee payments

When making payment please ensure the correct **BENEFICIARY REFERENCE** is used namely the account number reflected on the right-hand side of your school fee statement, see below. The reference was also provided on the acceptance email when your child was accepted to the school.

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ALBERVERVIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL

NO. 2

ACCOUNT NUMBER
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Please ensure you pay the fees into the correct banking account. We have a number of ex 2025 Gr R parents still paying 2026 Gr 1 fees into the Gr R banking account. When your child was accepted to the main school you were advised of the new banking details to use, please see below again for ease of reference.

ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR GRADE 1 TO 7

ALBERVERVIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL

BANK: ABSA

CURRENT ACCOUNT: 01116260642

BRANCH: ALBERTON 632005

REFERENCE: ACCOUNT NUMBER

ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR GRADE R ONLY

ALBERVERVIEW PRIMARY GRADE R

BANK: ABSA

CURRENT ACCOUNT: 4059196454

BRANCH: ALBERTON 632005

REFERENCE: ACCOUNT NUMBER

SECTION 41 NOTICES

As per circulars issued earlier in the year, Section 41 Notices are issued in the month of September to remind parents that have arrear 2026 school fees, that fees need to be settled

in full by 31 December 2026. **The Section 41 Notice does not mean your account has been handed over for collection.** Handover will only take place, if an account is not settled in full/payment plan put in place to settle the arrears with the new year's fees.

ALBERVIEW NEEDS YOUR HELP

It is imperative that school fees are paid. The Gauteng Department of Education cut our Resource Allocation from R1 159 401 in 2025 to R415 484 for 2026.

This allocation is supposed to assist with the purchasing of resources, municipal services and maintenance of the school.

Only R264 343 is allocated for municipal services for the year however, we have already paid R998 192 towards electricity, water, rates and taxes at 31 August 2026.

Only R49 858 is allocated towards maintenance of the school for the year however we have already paid R2 672 534.60 towards the maintenance and upkeep of the school as of 31 August 2026.

Based on the number of pupils in the school the Gauteng Department of Education feels we are only eligible for:

7 Public Servants (2 Admin and 5 General Assistants)

32 Educators (includes the Principal, Deputy Principals and Department Heads)

In order to keep the school functioning at optimal level both administratively and educationally, additional staff is required in terms of public servants, educators and teacher assistants.

These staff members are paid from the school fees we request parents to pay each month. However, looking at the **school fee collection rate at 31 August 2026 (48% of parents are paying) we may soon find ourselves in the position of having to cut SGB funded staff due to non-payment of school fees.** This means more pupils per class (currently have between 40 to 43 pupils per class).

Parents please: You chose Alberview because of the facilities and the education we can provide. However, if school fees do not come in, and we have to write off school fees to bad debts due to non-payment, the school will fall into disarray and no longer be able to provide the excellent service we are known for and proud of.

If you receive an SMS or notification to pay fees, don't get angry, do what is right, pay your fees for services rendered.

On that note, we would like to thank the parents who diligently pay each month or in advance each year. Our core business is education, not just a place for your child to socialise or enjoy fun activities which seems to receive preference over school fees.

2027 ACADEMIC YEAR INFORMATION NEEDED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

Please email admin@alberview.org.za should your child **NOT BE RETURNING** to Alberview for the 2027 academic year (excludes current Gr 7 pupils).

We need to finalise admissions for the new school year and this information is required by **6 October 2026**. Email to be structured as follows (names used purely for example purposes):

SUBJECT: 2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

MESSAGE: Simphiwe Dube, Gr 5.5 will not be returning to Alberview for 2027 academic year.

Florence Dube, Parent, ID 5108191234567

6. GAUTENG HOOPS – A FANTASTIC ACHIEVEMENT!

We are incredibly proud to congratulate seven of our Under 13 netball girls who represented our school at the Gauteng Hoops Tournament on 12 September 2026 at Hoërskool Florida.

Congratulations to:

Biyn • Amber • Asanda • Naledi • Esther • Abongile • Madzanga

Being selected to participate in Gauteng Hoops is a wonderful achievement and a testament to the girls' hard work, dedication, commitment and love for netball. Competing at this level provides valuable experience and is an opportunity to test themselves against some of the strongest young players in **Gauteng**.

We are especially proud of the way these girls represented our school and the Alberview Netball Department. Your determination, teamwork and sportsmanship make us incredibly proud!

Well done to the girls and coach Ms. Demi de Castro! You have shown that hard work and perseverance can open doors to amazing opportunities. We look forward to seeing you continue to grow, develop and achieve even greater success on the netball court.

We are proud. We are one. We are unstoppable!
Congratulations, U13 girls!



7. FAREWELL MS. RAMOS

Ms. Ramos started at Alberview as a Teacher Assistant. When she qualified, she took on the role of Grade 5 mathematics teacher. It was a privilege to see her grow and develop over the years. She has worked hard and has always given her best to the school.

Ms. Ramos has received a job offer in the private sector and will be moving out of the education profession. This is a loss not only for Alberview but also for the profession. Although we are happy for Ms. Ramos and excited for her as she embraces on this new opportunity in a new field, we will most certainly miss the valuable contributions she has made in our school community.

We will miss you, Ms. Ramos. May this new chapter in your life be filled with joy, opportunities and prosperity. God bless!



8. CONCERT 2026

A heartfelt thank you to all the teachers and organisers who have put in a lot of time and effort to ensure our production is a huge success. Thank you to everyone working behind the scenes, your contribution makes a difference. Team work is what makes every Alberview event successful.

Thank you to every learner who stayed dedicated and gave their best. Every evening is special and memorable. Without parents support and contributions, the concert would not have been possible. Thank you for creating memories for your children.



Enjoy the short school holiday. If you are travelling, do so safely.

Thank you to all our stakeholders who invest, support and contribute to the Alberview community. We look forward welcoming everyone back for the final term of 2026. This is the final stretch for the year, we've got this!

Proudly Purple!

Yours in quality education

Mrs. J van der Merwe

Principal