



2017

Wêreldkennis-Olimpiade

Primêre skole: Gr. 6 & 7

Sekondêre skole: Gr. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

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Geagte Skoolhoof en Skakelonderwyser

U skool is gekies om aan 'n Nasionale Wêreldkennis-Olimpiade deel te neem. Die Wêreldkennis-Olimpiade vir Primêre skole vind vanjaar vir die twee-en-twintigste keer en vir Sekondêre skole vir die ses-en-twintigste keer plaas. Die doel van die Olimpiade is om die skoolleerders van graad **6 tot 12** se algemene kennis te toets en hulle aan te moedig om dit uit te brei deur o.a. koerante gereeld te lees. Sommige onderwysers en leerders maak die fout om te dink net presteerders moet deelneem. Die Olimpiade is oop vir elke leerder. Wys asseblief 'n dinamiese skakelonderwyser aan om die Olimpiade te hanteer. Die Olimpiade word deur prof. Nico du Plessis in Bloemfontein opgestel en geadministreer. *Post Matrics* mag nie aan die Olimpiade deelneem nie. **Grade 6 en 7 skryf die Primêre skool- vraestel. Grade 8 tot 12 skryf die Sekondêre skool-vraestel.**

SA Print Group tesame met Conquest Paper is die hoofborge van die Olimpiade. H&B, Media24 en ATKV is medeborge. Skole wat die hele skool inskryf se name kom op 'n "Hall of Fame" lys en ontvang ook 'n spesiale sertifikaat.

1. PRYSE Die tien leerders in Suid-Afrika met die hoogste punte, in elke graad, se name word in die uitslae bekend gemaak.

- Gr. 6: eerste prys R400, tweede prys R300, derde prys R200
- Gr. 7: eerste prys R500, tweede prys R400, derde prys R300
- Gr. 8: eerste prys R600, tweede prys R500, derde prys R400
- Gr. 9: eerste prys R700, tweede prys R600, derde prys R500
- Gr. 10: eerste prys R800, tweede prys R700, derde prys R600
- Gr. 11: eerste prys R900, tweede prys R800, derde prys R700
- Gr. 12: eerste prys R1 000, tweede prys R900, derde prys R800

Sertifikate (goud, silwer en brons) word toegeken aan die eerste, tweede en derde geplaasde leerders in Suid-Afrika vanaf grade 6 tot 12. Elke leerder wat vir die Wêreldkennis-Olimpiade inskryf, ontvang 'n sertifikaat.

2. OLIMPIADE

Datum: Donderdag, 18 Mei 2017

Tyd: 14:00 tot 15:15

Sluitingsdatum: Vrydag, 17 Maart 2017

3. INSKRYWINGS

Inskrywingsgeld: R20 elk vir 1 tot 25 leerders **OF** R12 elk vir 26 en meer leerders. Inskrywings moet **voor of op die sluitingsdatum** aan prof. Nico du Plessis gefaks of per e-pos gestuur word. Indien probleme met die sluitingsdatum ondervind word, moet u asseblief dadelik met prof. du Plessis in verbinding tree. Skole wat inskryf en **voor 9 Mei 2017** nog nie die vraestelle en sertifikate ontvang het nie, moet onverwyld met prof. du Plessis in verbinding tree, om u skool se vraestelle se geregistreerde posnommer te kry. (**GOOGLE PARCEL TRACKER**. Druk op **Parcel | Track parcels from all major Couriers, SA Post Office**. Gaan dan na **Post Office** en vul by **tracking number** die geregistreerde posnommer in en **Submit**. Dan verskyn die gegewens van waar die vraestelle is). Stuur asseblief deelnemers se name aan prof. du Plessis eers **na** voltooiing van die Olimpiade.

4. VRAESTEL

Die vraestel bestaan uit meerkeusige vrae. Antwoorde word positief nagesien. Punte word nie vir verkeerde antwoorde afgetrek nie. Soos die naam van die Olimpiade aandui, gaan dit oor algemene kennis. **Vraestelle en sertifikate word per geregistreerde pos aan deelnemende skole gestuur.** Die inskrywingsgelde sluit in die vraestelle, sertifikate, koeverte, seëls, registrasie, uitslag van skool, prysweners en die memorandum. Die vraestelle is in Afrikaans en Engels. Geen selfoon of sakrekenaar word toegelaat in die lokaal waarin die Olimpiade plaasvind nie.

5. VOORBEREIDING

Die vrae oor aktuele onderwerpe kom uit koerante, tydskrifte b.v. Huisgenoot (Media24), boeke, radio, TV en ensiklopedieë. Ongeveer 'n derde van die vrae kom uit die hoofstroomkoerante.

6. BEKENDSTELLING

Inligting oor die Olimpiade is beskikbaar op die webblad, www.worldknowledgeolympiad.co.za

7. RESULTATE

Elke skool sal 'n volledige uitdruk van die resultate en 'n memorandum van die vraestel na Maandag, 17 Julie 2017, ontvang. Prysweners se name word aan die media beskikbaar gestel.

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Dear Principal and Contact teacher

Your school has been selected to participate in a National World Knowledge Olympiad. The World Knowledge Olympiad for Primary schools will be taking place this year for the twenty-second time and for Secondary schools for the twenty-sixth time. The aim of the Olympiad is to test the general knowledge of learners from grades **6 to 12** and encourage them to expand it by reading newspapers. Some teachers and learners mistakenly think only top learners may enter. However, the Olympiad is open to all learners. Please appoint a dynamic liaison teacher to handle the Olympiad. The Olympiad is compiled and administered by Prof. Nico du Plessis in Bloemfontein. *Post Matrics* are not allowed to participate in the Olympiad. **Grades 6 and 7 write the Primary schools' paper. Grades 8 to 12 write the Secondary schools' paper.**

SA Print Group with Conquest Paper are the main sponsors of the Olympiad. H&B, Media24 and ATKV are co-sponsors. Schools entering all their learners will have their names placed on a "Hall of Fame" list and will also receive a special certificate.

1. PRIZES The ten learners in South Africa who obtained the highest marks in each grade, will have their names published with the results.

- Gr. 6: first prize R400, second prize R300, third prize R200
- Gr. 7: first prize R500, second prize R400, third prize R300
- Gr. 8: first prize R600, second prize R500, third prize R400
- Gr. 9: first prize R700, second prize R600, third prize R500
- Gr. 10: first prize R800, second prize R700, third prize R600
- Gr. 11: first prize R900, second prize R800, third prize R700
- Gr. 12: first prize R1 000, second prize R900, third prize R800

Certificates (gold, silver and bronze) will be awarded to learners obtaining first, second and third places in South Africa from grades 6 to 12. Each learner who enters for the World Knowledge Olympiad, will receive a certificate.

2. OLYMPIAD

Date: Thursday, 18 May 2017
Time: 14:00 to 15:15
Closing date: Friday, 17 March 2017

3. ENTRIES

Entry fee: R20 each for 1 to 25 learners **OR** R12 each for 26 and more learners. Entries must be faxed or sent via e-mail to Prof. Nico du Plessis **on or before the closing date**. If problems should arise concerning the closing date, please contact Prof. du Plessis immediately. Schools which entered and have not received the question papers and certificates **before May 9, 2017**, must contact Prof. du Plessis immediately, to obtain the registered postal number of the question papers for your school. (**GOOGLE PARCEL TRACKER**. Press **Parcel | Track parcels from all major Couriers, SA Post Office**. Then go to **Post Office** and at **tracking number** fill in the registered postal number and press **Submit**. The information as to where the question papers are will appear). Please send the names of participants to Prof. du Plessis only **after** completion of the Olympiad.

4. QUESTION PAPER

The question paper consists of multiple questions. Answers are marked positively. Marks are not deducted for wrong answers. As the name of the Olympiad indicates, the subject is general knowledge. **Question papers and certificates are sent to participating schools by registered post**. The entry fees cover the question papers, certificates, envelopes, stamps, registration, results of the school, prize-winners and memorandum. The question papers are in English and Afrikaans. No cell phone or pocket calculator is allowed in the venue in which the Olympiad is taking place.

5. PREPARATION

The questions on current topics are drawn from newspapers, periodicals e.g. YOU (Media24), books, radio, TV and encyclopaedias. Approximately one third of the questions are from mainstream newspapers.

6. LAUNCH

Information concerning the Olympiad is available on the website www.worldknowledgeolympiad.co.za

7. RESULTS

After Monday, 17 July 2017, each school will receive a complete printout of the results and a memorandum on the question paper. The names of the prizewinners are made available to the media.

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