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## Circulars

The following new documents are available at <http://www.eccurriculum.co.za/Circulars.htm>:

- **Memo: Processing of stipend for School Support Teams**
- **Memo: Financial disclosure for employees on Salary Level 11 and below**
- **PSCBC Resolution 1/2020: Amendment of Resolution 5/2001 - Annual Leave**
- **Letter from Minister: Amended Directions on Pre-Grade R**
- **Government Gazette 43488: Amendment of directions regarding the re-opening of schools**
- **ASA Circular 36/2020: ASA alignment with Government existing Protocols**

## Media reports: Amendment to Directions

According to media reports on 2 July 2020, the minister announced that only grades R, 6 and 11 will return to school on 6 July 2020.

## Online Co-parenting Workshop



ONLINE CO-PARENTING WORKSHOP



25 JULY 2020

09:00 – 11:00

Cost: R150 pp

RSVP – 20 July 2020

**DS QUINETTE LE ROUX WEITZS**

[quinette.leroux@gmail.com](mailto:quinette.leroux@gmail.com)

082 517 3022

## Vacant Post



### **PEARSON HIGH SCHOOL**

*Applications are invited for the following*  
**Governing Body Post:**

## **MATHEMATICS**

**GRADE 8-12**

**Commencing: September 2020 (Negotiable)**

Applicants should:

- have a talent for teaching high school learners
- have a suitable academic degree and teaching qualification
- be competent and willing to participate in our co-curricular programme
- be registered with SACE

Send application and a full CV to:

**The Principal**

**Email: [phs@pearsonhighschool.com](mailto:phs@pearsonhighschool.com)**

**Website: [www.pearsonhighschool.com](http://www.pearsonhighschool.com)**

**Closing Date: 10 July 2020**

# Survey invitation: 220 completed ICT Learning Management System during COVID-19 and beyond at Nelson Mandela University

Dear Educator (Principal, Deputies, Head of Departments, Teachers, SGB Teachers)

Hope you are well and safe.

We require your input, please. Your opinion is highly valued.

We are up from 72 to **220** completed surveys . Thank you VERY much for your support.

A challenge to you:

- If you have completed it, PLEASE try and find two to three peers that have not yet and ask them to complete it. This will assist that we could reach our 250 target.
- If you have not yet completed it, please invest 17 minutes and complete it.

Some participants have decided to leave the survey with three to four minutes left to complete it. The **average time is 17 minutes to complete it**. If you have not yet completed it or exit it, please consider to complete it PLEASE.

**We really need your assistance to inform the university management and faculties. Your 17 minutes investment can make a huge difference.**

Link: <https://teacherssouthafrica.questionpro.com>

Stay safe

Regards

Andre

## **ORIGINAL INVITATION**

I hope you are well and safe.

I am inviting you to participate in this research related to the behavioural intention of Principals, Deputies, Head of Departments, Teachers and SGB Teachers to use a Learning Management Systems (LMS) such as Moodle or Microsoft Teams or similar LMS. **COVID-19 has made it clear that we have to investigate how we can help teachers and learners in furthering their education when there are pandemics or similar situations. PLEASE complete** this online quantitative questionnaire which will **take between 20 and 25** minutes as calculated during an initial pilot study. I do have permission from the Department of Basic Education in the Eastern Cape to conduct the research (see attached pdf document).

Your opinion is highly valued, and it is vital to obtain your perceptions related to Learning Management Systems. I am a firm believer that data can assist us in our planning and thinking related to the future. You can assist in this regard.

Please share (FORWARD) this invitation and link with your colleagues at school and other schools via email, WhatsApp, etc. please, as all schools might not use the [principal.number@ecschoools.org.za](mailto:principal.number@ecschoools.org.za) email.

Please note: It is easier and faster to complete it on a laptop or a large screen tablet than on a cell phone.

Link to survey: <https://teacherssouthafrica.questionpro.com>

Thank you for your assistance and time.

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## CVs: Prospective Teachers!



This past week another 120 prospective teachers added their names to the existing database. Currently, there are **790** teachers on the lookout for jobs in the Eastern Cape.

**Good news:** An online, real time, database has been created which principals and SGBs (employers) can access when they need the services of a teacher. Please note that the most recent submission appears at the very bottom of the list. The link to this database is <https://bit.ly/CVdata> or click the button below.

**Tip:** To find a teacher for a specific subject, do the following: **Ctrl + F** will open a search window. Enter a keyword, for example **Maths**, and then work through the search results.

If there are other prospective teachers who would like to submit their CVs, they can just click this link and fill out this form: <http://bit.ly/CVinfo>. Their names will be added automatically.

## Retired (but not expired) 😊

Kindly take note that I have retired on 30 June 2020, but have decided to continue with the *Hoor hier* newsletter, as well as the two websites <http://www.eccurriculum.co.za> and <http://www.ecexams.co.za>.

## ECDDoE Curriculum Support: Online Resources

A large number of Curriculum Teaching and Learning Support Material has been developed for Teachers and Learners and is available at <http://www.eccurriculum.co.za>. This is relevant for...

- **ECD: 0 – 5 year old**
- **Grade R (Play, Learn & Grow Together)**
- **Foundation Phase (Lesson Plans & Trackers)**
- **Intermediate Phase (Pace Setters, Lesson Plans & Worksheets)**
- **Senior Phase (Pace Setters, Lesson Plans & Worksheets)**
- **FET Phase (Video lessons, Worksheets, Trackers & Tests)**
- **eLearning (Various resources)**

## Teaching and Examination Resources

Please visit our websites for lots of Teaching and Examination Resources:

- <http://www.eccurriculum.co.za/>
- <http://www.ecexams.co.za/>



## Recovery Plan

All the documents relevant to the Department of Education's Recovery Plan are available at <https://bit.ly/RecoveryPlans2020>.

**If I have seen further,  
it is by standing on the shoulders of giants.**

Sir Isaac Newton

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