

## Security

Security is provided by an armed response company. The premises has onsite parking for the dropping off and collecting of children.

## Illness & Emergencies

A sick room is available for minor ailments and an emergency response is connected to 082991

## Facilities

Classroom equipped for 20-25 children

Kitchen classroom for specific activities

Adequate toilet & ablutions

First Aid room

Administration Office

Adequate Playing Area

Jungle Gym (Purpose Made) and Sand Pit

Swimming Pool—Fenced and Netted

Parking Area

Tricycle Track

Library

Educational Outings / Shows

## Enrolment

Enrolment forms and additional information can be obtained from...

- The Yard - Preparatory Academy
- Online - <http://www.typa.co.za>

## Notes

### Contact The Yard - Preparatory Academy

**Tel: 012-3615337**

**Fax: 086- 55 22 688**

**Email: [admin@typa.co.za](mailto:admin@typa.co.za)**

**Web: [www.typa.co.za](http://www.typa.co.za)**

**Physical Address:**

**93 Hibiscus Street**

**Lynnwood Ridge, 0081**

**(Opposite Lynnwood Ridge Primary School)**

# THE YARD PREPARATORY ACADEMY GRADE R AND GRADE RR



## PROSPECTUS 2012

Quote:  
Children learn what they live...

## Vision

To provide young people with a good foundation to go into the world as holistic and unique personalities

## Mission Statement

To create a safe, caring and enriching environment and where Christian values and discipline in our children and support of our parents are encouraged.

## Values

- Christian beliefs and values for social development
- Passionate about children and their development
- Mutual respect for educators, parents and learners
- Develop self discipline and a positive self image
- We promote individuality and encourage participation in group activities
- Tolerance for diversity and a positive attitude to life
- Honesty and integrity
- Concern for others

## Curriculum

### Grade R and Grade RR

- The curriculum is carefully based on the GDE national curriculum statements
- The physical, intellectual, emotional, social needs and maturity of the learner are addressed
- Age appropriate progression is monitored
- Interaction between educators and parents is encouraged
- Emphasis on perceptual skills (gross and motor skills)
- Learn through play and 3-dimensional activities

### Extra-Mural Activities

(Contracted in services of 3rd party service providers)

- Swimming in term 1 and 4
- Kidisportz
- Kindermusik

## School Terms 2012

Term	Start	End
Term 1	18/01/2012	30/03/2012
Term 2	10/04/2012	22/06/2012
Term 3	16/07/2012	28/09/2012
Term 4	08/10/2012	07/12/2012

## School Time Table

Class	Start	End
Grade R / RR	07h00	13h00
Aftercare	13h30	17h00

## Lynnwood Ridge Primary School

The Gauteng Department of Education has awarded a Grade R site to Lynnwood Ridge Primary School. The venue for the Grade R children is at The Yard - Preparatory Academy.

The Head of Department Foundation Phase, oversees the Grade R classes on a regular basis and trains and monitors the educators and children

The benefit of the introduction of a Grade R as part of the school's Foundation Phase is that many of the new Grade 1 children will have been well prepared for their 'big school' next year.

## Aftercare Facility

- Thinking Skills: Games, puzzles and construction toys.
- Creative Activities and Imaginary Play: Extensive and varied opportunities to engage in creative activities.
- Indoor & Outdoor Play: Structured and informal play using interesting age appropriate apparatus on a rotation system.
- Language & Listening Skills: Stories, listening activities and conversation.
- Supervised Homework: Liaison with the HOD foundation phase and grade leaders is essential
- Homework time allocation: 1 hour
  - The homework hour is fixed
  - A classroom environment is provided (Maximum of 25 children per class)

## Holiday Facilities

The school is closed during all holidays.

## Uniforms

Summer: Blue Jean Shorts, The Yard T-Shirt (No skirts)

Winter: Blue Jean Pants, The Yard T-Shirt (No skirts)

Jacket: The Yard's Dri-mac

Hat: The Yard's Floppy Hat

The Yard's Dri-mac, T-Shirts, and Floppy Hat are compulsory, available from The Yard's office

## Refreshments

## & Nutrition

To be provided by the parents. Suggestions obtainable from the office or [www.typa.co.za](http://www.typa.co.za), select Nutrition