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Dear Kingsmead Community

School Fee Increase for 2027

As we approach the close of another rewarding year at Kingsmead, we extend our heartfelt thanks to our community for the continued support of our school. The sustainability of the school is part of the legacy left by past parents and students and moving forward the Council is cognisant of the need to ensure the longevity of Kingsmead College. With this in mind, and after careful consideration of the needs of our students and the increasing costs associated with delivering high-quality education and fulfilling on our vision and mission, the Council has approved the 2027 budget and fee increase.

In determining the fee increase we have endeavoured to balance the demands that we know many families are facing, together with the necessity to ensure the school remains sustainable. The Kingsmead College Council has made the decision to implement a **6.5%** increase in the school fees for 2027.

The College Council and its Finance Committee, supported by the very able school finance team, has worked hard in evaluating the school budget. We have considered inflation rates, student enrolment numbers and our commitment to maintaining the school's financial viability and sustainability. We remain dedicated to having an open door to discussing our numerous payment options, if needed.

Kingsmead operates, like all organisations in South Africa, within the challenging economic environment and we need to be mindful of ensuring the school's longevity within this. In part this means that we need to take wise decisions as we increase fees, evaluate our offerings within the education sector and focus on ideas for generating income from other sources for the school or similar. It is with this in mind that the College Council was able to arrive at the fee increase for 2027.

We value everyone who is part of our Kingsmead College community, and we look forward to seeing everyone return with Courage to Grow in 2027.

With gratitude and best wishes,

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Chair of Council

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Chair of Finance Committee

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