

Dear Parents/carers,

Herewith the St@rtpagina of September 30th 2021

Calender

Groep 5 Onderhoud crossbaantje
Start IPC thema's
Groep 1-2: Zo spelen wij
Groep 3: Worden wat je wil
Groep 4: Wat mensen doen
Groep 5/6: Wat eten we vandaag?
Groep 7: Zo zien zij de wereld
Groep 8: Mythes en legendes
Groep 1-2 voorstelling 'Loet Moet'
Start kinderboekenweek: 'Worden wat je wil'
Opening om 8.15 uur
Groep 1 t/m 4 op het plein
Groep 5 t/m 8 op het veld
Groep 7: nestkastjes schoonmaken
Week van de welbevindingsgesprekken
Groep 7: uitreiking certificaat oeverzwaluwproject
Afsluiting Kinderboekenweek: boekenmarkt in de school
Groep 5 en 6: Kinderboekenschrijfster Tosca Menten op school.
Mr vergadering
Informatieochtend (Engelstalig) over het zorgsysteem in Nederland





Being to late to school and appointments during school hours

Unfortunately, it happens too often that children are late. We, as a school, are going to check for this more strictly and also hold you, as a parent, accountable for it. This is not to act as a policeman to control but you must understand that:

- A teacher starts the day at 8:30 am
- It can also be annoying for the tardy child when the spotlight is on you upon entry

In addition, you should really schedule appointments with the doctor, dentist, etc. as much as possible outside of school hours.

Dogs at the squares.

Dogs are welcome to drop off the children and/or pick them up in the square in the afternoon. We assume that you know if this is possible with your pet. We ask that dogs be kept on a short leash and closely supervised. In this way we make it safe for everyone.

Children's Book Week

Next Wednesday, **6 October**, the Children's Book Week will start. All children will gather this morning on the square and field. All teachers will be outside and will walk in together with the children. Please ask the children groups 1 to 4 to gather on the square and groups 5 to 8 on the field. (I-St@rt will assemble under the hangar).

To conclude the Kinderboekenweek we will hold a book market in school. We ask all children to bring 1 (or more) books they have read themselves and that they want to give away. These books will be on the book market stalls on Friday 15 October. The teachers will all be going to the book market that day so the children can pick out a new book to take home.

WORDEN WAT JE WIL KINDERBOEKEN WEEK 6 OKT T/M 17 OKT 2021

Shows for groups 1-2 opening Children's Book Week

On Tuesday, October 5, Ruth Bakker will give a performance for all children from group 1-2; **LOET droomt over later**. A funny, musical performance in which Loet, together with all the children and her sweet dog Mango, is looking for the best profession.



Who will be our lice coordinator?

Our school wants to make an important contribution in the prevention and spread of head lice and has therefore formed a lice team consisting of a number of parents of which one parent is general coordinator.

We are looking for a head lice coordinator. Someone who can manage all the lice parents. If you are interested in this position please contact: <u>bernardette.vangemert@salto-eindhoven.nl</u>

Tasks of the lice coordinator

- The lice coordinator is the contact person for everything related to the implementation of the head lice protocol.
- The lice coordinator maintains contact with: the controlling parents: 'the lice team' the school contact person the GGD the pharmacy.
- The coordinator puts together the lice team: at the beginning of the school year, if necessary, a call for help can be placed in the St@rt page.
- The lice team will receive information on how to carry out checks. This information is given by the GGD and organized by the lice coordinator.
- If necessary, the coordinator organizes a new instruction for the lice team; for example, when a number of members step down and "new" parents join as members of the parent working group.
- The coordinator draws up an annual schedule of checkpoints.
- The coordinator notes the additional checks (after 2 to 3 weeks).
- Prior to a check, the coordinator will provide up-to-date lists of names from all groups for the checking lice team.
- The coordinator organizes that the necessary materials are present at the checks: disinfectant lists of names registration form.
- The coordinator arranges with school the reimbursement of this material.
- The coordinator keeps a clear record of. -
- The coordinator arranges consultation with the lice team and evaluation of agreements made (1x per year).
- The coordinator refers parents with resistance to the school contact person.

On the school website you will find the lice protocol.

Feedback study day September 24

Last Friday we prepared the themes for the upcoming IPC projects. We are ready to start and will let the children enthusiastically learn and explore the above mentioned topics. In addition, we had an inspiring afternoon together about multilingualism in education.

Wellbeing interviews during the week of October 11

Soon you will receive the invitation for the wellbeing interviews via Parro. On October 4, parents with multiple children at the Startbaan will receive a push notification on their phone; on October 5, the other parents will receive the push notification. If you then open the agenda item with the meeting planner, you can choose from the available times for each child. Please make sure you have scheduled the call by October 9.

The corona period has made us realize that there are multiple ways to organize conversations, through the use of Teams, among other things. This has also created a flexible view on when conversations take place. From this development we are going to start a pilot by scheduling the wellbeing talks in the afternoon.

Information morning for English-speaking parents about the care system in the Netherlands

Information morning by the GGD in school!

On **Wednesday November 3rd** our partners from the GGD will be giving a free information session in school for all parents!

We would love to invite you to hear their information regarding the health care system in The Netherlands and zooming in on their work in our neighbourhood Meerhoven. As we work very closely with the GGD, we hope to have many parents come and join us. It's very likely that a lot of you will come in contact with the GGD as we very often refer children to them and ask for advice. Also, all children in groups 2 and groups 7 are called in to their offices annually (in the whole country).

Please sign up for this session by e-mailing: <u>Natascha.zijderveld@salto-eindhoven.nl</u>. Space is limited, so first come, first serve.

The information session will be free and take place on November 3rd in our team room, from 8:30-9:30.

Plus Class

We believe it is important to develop the talents of the children to the fullest, including cognitive talents. There are several possibilities for this. In the classroom, the teacher provides differentiation on multiple levels. Especially in the field of world studies, through our method IPC, there are many possibilities to let children work on their own level. For most of the class this will be sufficient. Then there are opportunities to "compact" the existing work and give the students with talent for a particular subject enrichment. This consists of different work than the rest of the class. Next, this enrichment will still not be sufficient for a small proportion of students; they have an educational need for broadening the program. This broadening is done outside the classroom, in the plus class.

This year we had an external expert look at the design of the plus class. It was decided to set up a program of one and a half hours per week, which will focus on mindset and executive skills,

preparing extra work for the classroom, and challenging projects. For group 5/6 this will be "earth and space" and for group 7/8 "making new materials".

Because the structure of the plus class is different from the previous period, a new selection will have to be made as to which students will be in the plus class for the coming period. The starting point here is: for which child are the enrichment possibilities in the classroom insufficient, and is a broadening of the program needed? Our current signaling instruments are outdated, and so we are looking for a new instrument. However, we do not want to wait for that with the start of the plus class, and so for the first period we will make the best possible assessment of which children would benefit most from the plus class program. After the first period, we will then re-evaluate whether the plus-class program is appropriate and which children will benefit most from it.

Schoolfruit

Good news: We have been drawn again and are participating in the EU School Fruit and Vegetable Programme 2021-2022!

We will be supplied with 3 portions of free fruit and vegetables for the whole school for 20 weeks!

Start in the week of November 15 and will be communicated to you again in due course.

Treat Policy

You have just read that we are once again participating in the school fruit program. But we also need your help in being a healthy school. Treating with syrup waffles, chocolate donuts and Mars bars are not part of that. Here is a nice link to examples that can: <u>https://jufmaike.nl/gezonde-traktaties-voor-op-school/</u>

MR meeting

Almost every month there is an MR meeting. You can read the minutes back on our website.

Tosca Menten

On Monday, October 18, groups 5 and 6 will receive a visit from children's book author Tosca Menten. Tosca Menten has written the books 'Dummie the mummy'. This visit is made possible by the voluntary parental contribution.

Montessori College

Please find attached an appeal from Montessori College to secure a VWO department license.

GGD Child monitor

At the end of September, the GGD Brabant-Zuidoost sent out an invitation to complete the Kindmonitor to over 26,000 parents of children aged 0 to 11. The questions in this survey are about the health, lifestyle and living environment of the children. Did you receive an invitation? Participate, your opinion counts!

More information and a short film can be found at <u>www.startvragenlijst.nl/GGDBrabant</u>.



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Newsletter from the library

Please find attached the library newsletter.

Kind regards,

Team St@rtbaan