

TEN REASONS WHY PARENTS SHOULD SERIOUSLY CONSIDER ENROLLING THEIR CHILD AT ESCS AS FROM GRADE 00 – SOONER RATHER THAN LATER!

1. ESCS has a well-defined **Discipling** track from Grade 00 to Grade 12. See website for details or ask at Reception for the discipling brochures. Along with quality academics, this is the very reason for our existence and is the core business of the school. The discipling track is so much more than having a Christian ethos in the school – it is the intentional discipling of a child to form his / her Christ-like character.
2. ESCS has a proven track record of delivering on its other core value, namely **quality academics**. The earliest exposure that pupils can have to the school’s carefully graded, year upon year, advanced, educational programme, the better. Pupils who join the school at Pre-School level generally are better equipped to progress smoothly through the grades as they have a solid foundation to build upon.

This is just the start of an educational experience, which culminates in the University of Cambridge suite of external qualifications [IGCSE and AS / A level examinations]. Cambridge assessments are internationally recognised and provide a “gold card” education.

3. Through Academics, Discipling, Sport, Culture and School Life activities, we join hands with parents to lay a **Christian Biblical world-view foundation** influencing the children’s social, physical, intellectual and creative development.
4. The Pre-Primary **staff are all experienced**, well qualified teachers who love God and passionately desire to instill Biblical truths in each child.

5. The **physical facilities are of the best!**

- Purposefully designed classrooms of 81 square meters each, plus an ensuite office and a storeroom, totalling \pm 90-95 square meters, allows for truly effective tuition of **20 pupils per class**, without feeling cramped. Few schools can match this.
- An easy “drop and go” / parking option will be welcomed by parents.
- A dedicated sick bay is also available on site should the need arise.
- The whole building is well positioned to take advantage of the **technological age** – from every classroom being Wi-Fi enabled to fibre connections– all contribute to a 21st century experience.
- **There is more to come!** Two more classrooms together with the dedicated Pre-School hall with music rooms, therapy rooms, arts & crafts room as well as baking facilities lies ahead in the next few years.

6. The Pre-school is an automatic feeder to the Primary and High schools.

7. The school prides itself on retaining the **“family feeling”**. Each child is not just a number but a unique, God-crafted individual who is loved and cared for by all the staff.

8. The **security** of each child is a number one priority to us. Access-controlled front door [the only way in and out], a teacher will be on duty from 7:00 till the close of school, a fully-fenced Pre-School area, vigilant staff and more, all enhance this aspect.

9. The aim of the school is to produce confident children who know their identity in Christ. The Pre-School years are essential to **form and mould young characters**. It becomes so much more difficult to change bad habits later on in a child’s schooling experience. We therefore desire to make the most of the narrow window of opportunity, found in the early impressionable years, to inculcate a Biblical world-view into children.

10. At the moment **aftercare** runs from 13:00 [when Pre-Primary closes] until 14:25. As from January 2018, “late aftercare”, from 14:30-18:00, will be available at a fee.