



Crawford
International
Fourways

Crawford International Fourways Pre-Primary

Grade 000-0

At Crawford International Fourways we adopt an innovative and inspiring approach to early childhood education which values the child as strong, capable and resilient; rich with wonder and knowledge.

- We provide a specialist development curriculum which develops key twenty first century skills of creativity, communication, collaboration and critical thinking.
- Our child-friendly environment encourages individuality, whilst promoting self-assurance, confidence and independence.
- The expertise, commitment, innovative ideas and methodologies of our teachers encapsulate the dynamics of our educational philosophy.
- We ensure that our teachers are kept abreast of the latest trends in education, ensuring that we remain at the cutting edge of educational trends.

**Learning for life
and loving it.**

Our youth is currently faced with a very different outlook on the future. We understand that for the 21st century learning environment we need to equip our children with both a set of values and an ever increasing knowledge base, including the skills to apply this knowledge and make sense of it in their world.

We do this through play!

Holistic Development:

Our holistic approach to education encourages our students to become fully rounded, unique individuals through a personalised learning journey.

- **Physical:** Challenging outdoor experiences to enhance gross and fine motor development, which is vital for future learning.
- **Social and Emotional:** Our dedicated staff create a safe, nurturing environment, where each student can develop confidence and social skills.
- **Intellectual:** Our students explore the three learning areas of Mathematics, Literacy and Life Skills through our concept-driven units of inquiry.
- **Creative:** We celebrate the arts through dance, drama, art and music.

Our School Day:

There is a good balance of organised activities and free choice activities facilitated by the teacher throughout the school morning both indoors and outdoors.

These activities include:

- adventure playground equipment
- sensopathic experimentation, sand and water play
- fantasy role play
- creative activities include painting and music
- cognitive play (puzzle building, construction toys and educational games)
- books to foster a love of reading





Academics:

- Introduction to International Baccalaureate
- Gross Motor Skills
- Educational Technology (using digital devices)
- Numeracy
- Lego
- Literacy
- Life Skills
- Coding
- Reading Eggs

Sport:

- Ball Skills including:
 - Mini-Soccer
 - Mini-Netball
 - Mini-Hockey
 - Mini-Tennis
- Swimming (LTS)
- Golf (Juniors)*
- Private Soccer*
- Karate*
- Gymnastics*

Cultural:

- Acrobatics*
- Ballet*
- Dance Mouse*
- Creative Activities
- Drama
- Art
- Music
- Pre-Coding

Service*:

- School Readiness Assessments
- Educational Psychologist
- Occupational Therapist
- Play Therapist
- Speech and Language Therapists
- Academic Support
- Eye and Hearing Tests

Facilities:

- Digital Literacy Centre
- Learning Support Centre
- Multimedia Centre
- Playground
- Aftercare/Adventure Club
- Holiday Club*
- Sports Facilities

Other:

- Art and Craft material supplied for all Grades.
- School stationery requirements from Grade 000 to Grade 00
- School photographs
- Digital yearbook

School hours:

Grade 000 – 00: 08:00 – 12:30

Grade 0: 08:00 – 12:45

Morning Holding Class: 07:00 – 07:30

Afternoon Holding Class: 12:30 – 13:15

Age requirements per Grade:

Grade 000: Age 3 – 4**

Grade 00: Age 4 – 5

Grade 0: Age 5 – 6

**Fully potty trained



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