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# **IVENIENTLY**

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elcome to the fifth edition of quaranTimes, your activity newspaper during lockdown!

Our country is still under lockdown and we are in the storm of the corona pandemic. And at the same time, our old lives with our old responsibilities, hobbies and objectives return. It feels more difficult than ever to succeed under such difficult circumstances. It feels as if everyone around tells us that it is impossible to reach our goals - whether at school, at work, or in life in general.

This reminds me of the story of the frog, who decided to reach the top of a tree. All frogs shouted: "It's impossible! It's impossible!"

Still the frog reached the top

#### How?

He reached the top because he was deaf and he thought everyone was encouraging him to reach the top...

LEARNER DEVELOPMENT

This teaches us something for the current situation. Sometimes you should be deaf to negative thoughts and comments if your aim is to reach your objective! Surround yourself with those who encourage and motivate you! Let's be focussed, let's believe in ourselves, and let us try to turn 2020 in to a personal success - against all odds. Take good care

of yourself and those around you!

Your masi-team



# LOCKOOWN POCTY by Masifunde's Drama Seniors

#### **Education**

For some it is a privilege
for others it's a right
The difference between darkness
and a future that is bright

Some will think a burden

Where others see a gift

The key to moving forward

and to give your life a lift

If school is not your calling
look beyond its doors
The world can be a teacher
many adventures are in store

As long as you are learning
your education grows
That will lead to contributions
as you share the things you know

by Azola Nojilana

don't know anyone who wipes away their tears with so much grace and tranquility as I do as young as I am in a world that knows no kids I have acquired so much knowledge and wisdom from my challenges trials and tribulations did not pass by but I told myself to never give up the way I hold yourself with so much assurance is really out of this world the love I spread is nothing compared to the love I have for that woman in the mirror

by Siliziwe Xakaxa















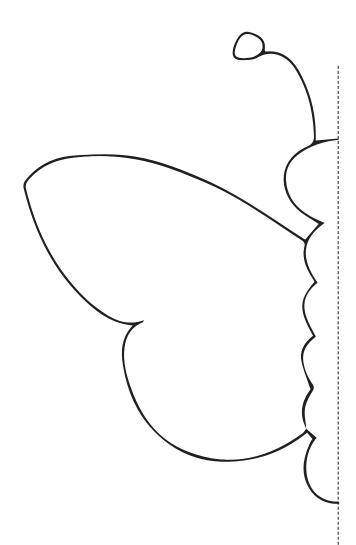
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It is winter season. It is cold outside and the animals are hiding in their warm homes.





Now colour-in this beautiful insect!

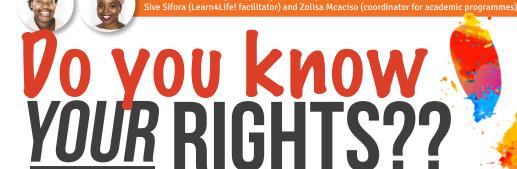




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KIDS SECTION Brought to you by: (left to right)

Let's take a closer look at children's rights.

Human rights are the basic rights that every human being has. Everyone has the same rights but children need their rights to be protected by adults because they are still young. E.g. parents, teachers

#### WITH RIGHTS, COME RESPONSIBILITIES!

you also need to learn to that you have

Responsibilities means you are doing

RIGHTS	RESPONSIBILITIES
Right to a good education	Responsibility to study and respect your teachers
Right to be well fed	Responsibility not to waste food
Right to be taken seriously	Responsibility to listen to other and respect their opinions
Right to be loved and protected	Responsibility to show care and respect to others
Right to a safe and comfortable home	Responsibility to keep it neat and clean
Right to medical assistance	Responsibility to take care of yourself

#### **DO YOU KNOW WHAT CHILD ABUSE IS?** This is when someone does something to hurt you emotionally, physically, verbal and sexually. Let's take a closer at the different types of Abuse.



#### **SEXUAL ABUSE**

is when someone touches you in a way that makes you uncomfortable, like touching your private parts. If a person forces you to show them your private parts, that is also abuse.



#### **EMOTIONAL ABUSE**

is when a person bullies you, that means a person does something you don't like, i.e. calling you names, taking your things without permission etc.



#### **VERBAL ABUSE**

is when a person calls you names or something bad about you. This is also when someone shouts at you all the time or uses bad words when talking to you.



#### **PHYSICAL ABUSE**

when someone hits, beats or throws things at you that cause you to be bruised or hurt, i.e. someone using objects like rocks, pots to beat you that hurt and causes bruises etc.



is when a child is being mistreated, when the child's needs are not being provided for. This is the responsibility of the parents or the guardian of the child.

scars and broken parts of the body

Lack of self-esteem

The child might do badly in their school work

#### EFFECTS OF ABUSE

Child may become abuser

Loneliness, abused children like to isolate themselves from others

#### If you are being abused by someone,

tell someone you can trust like your mom, dad, teacher, social worker or vour facilitator. You can also call child line on 08000 55555 (free of charge) or the police on 10111.





Thuli is a young girl is a young that goes to Walmer West Primary School, she is Grade 4. She has friends: Zizo and Sino. Thuli plays with her friends at break time. She always shares her snack with them. A boy in Grade 6, Thando, is always calling Thuli names like 'ugly', 'fat' and 'elephant'. Thuli doesn't like this and reports to the teacher, the teacher tells the boy to stop this behaviour. The next day the boy does the same thing and even kicks Thuli for telling the teacher. This goes on and Thuli tells her mother who comes to the school and talks to the teacher. The boy apologizes to Thuli after the meeting with the teacher and Thuli's mom.

#### Answer the following questions

- Who is bullying Thuli?
- Who is responsible to take care of Thuli at school?
- 3. Who is supposed to protect Thuli's rights?
- What type of abuse is bullying? 4.



#### **SAFE & UNSAFE TOUCHES**

SAFE TOUCHES: When people touch you where you don't feel uncomfortable, for example a handshake from your neighbour, a hug from your mother etc.

**UNSAFE TOUCHES:** People are not allowed to touch you in a way that makes you feel uncomfortable. You always have the right to say no to being

**Answer the following questions** Q 1: Where are people allowed to touch you? (Please note that answers might not be the same to everyone. You are allowed to feel uncomfortable being touched by a parent, too).

Friends:

Parents:

Class teacher and facilitator:

Aunts and uncles:

Cousins:

Neighbours:

Q 2: What could you do if someone touches you and it makes you feel uncomfortable?





# CULTURAL IDENTITY

What is Heritage, Identity and Culture?

People learn and are influenced by the place and the people around them. In a country like South Africa, many people have learned from stories told to them. These stories carry information and ideas about life and living and shared customs, traditions and memories passed on from parents to children.







A person's heritage is made up of the practices and traditions that are passed on from parents to children. Heritage is also about what has been passed on from the family, community and place where people have been raised. For example: a person may have grown up in a family of medical professionals or in a proudly Xhosa family where the old customs are still followed. This is part of their heritage. People also have a national heritage. A person who was born in South Africa has a South African heritage. This also means they have an African heritage because they were born on this continent.

A person's identity is made up of their own character combined with their family and social roots. Identity, like culture, is ever changing. For example a woman can be a teacher, mother, wife and driver to her children. She can also be a famous politician fighting for justice or a farmer growing crops for food. She may also be involved in looking after her community or supporting the extended family. To herself she may be all of these and much more. At the same time her being a woman of a particular race or being rich or poor influences her identity.

Culture refers to the way of life of a specific group of people. It can be seen in ways of behaving, beliefs, values, customs followed, dress style, personal decoration like makeup and jewellery, relationships with others and special symbols and codes. Culture is passed on from one generation (parents) to the next (children). Culture is not static but always changing as each generation contributes its experience of the world and discards things that are no longer useful to them.

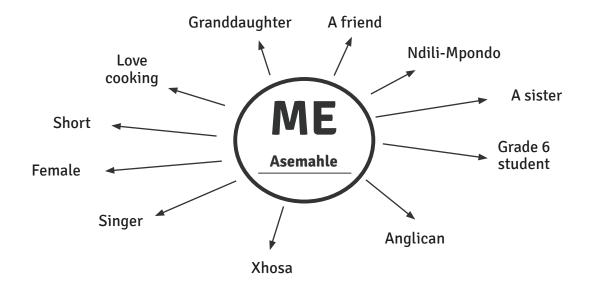
Culture has been called "the way of life for an entire society." As such, it includes codes of manners, dress, language, religion, rituals, and norms of behaviour such as law and morality,

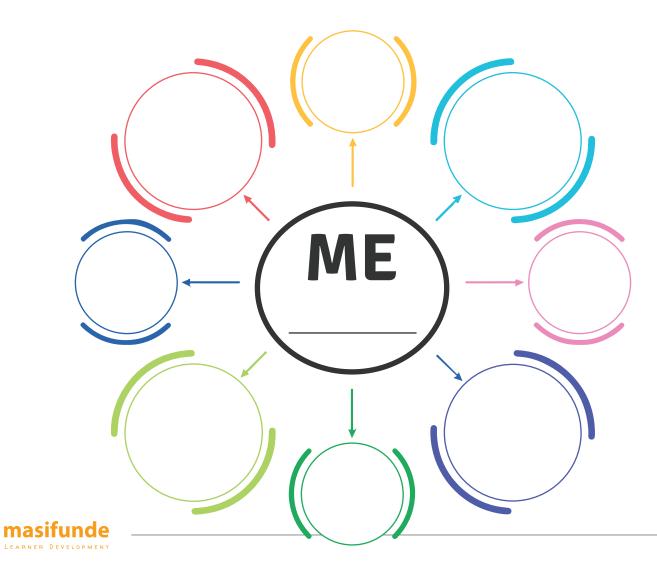


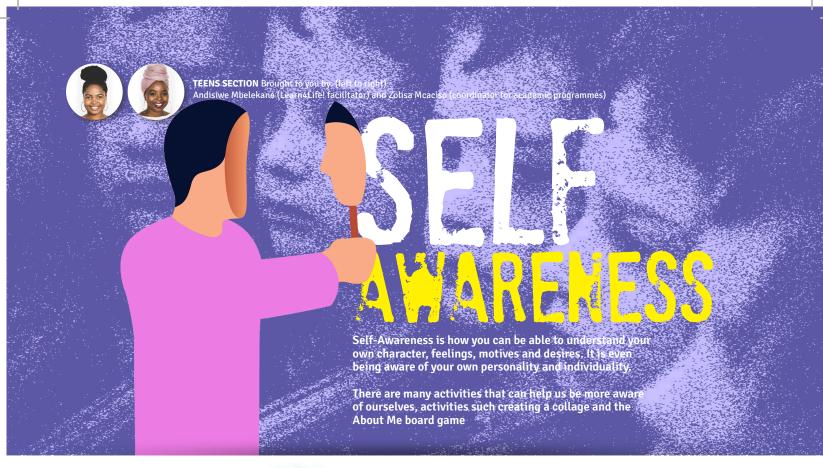
### (THIS IS MY) IDENTITY A P

Use a bubble map, a table, flow chart or a custom chart to create your own identity map.

Here's an example:



















WHAT IS A COLLAGE?

A collage is a collection or combination of different materials such pieces of papers, photographs, paintings, drawings or fabrics. You can use a collage to create a piece of art or to tell a story in a creative way.

#### Let's create a words and pictures collage that you can share by presenting it to someone at home.

What you will need: Magazines, Scissors, Glue, White A4 or A3 paper, Colourful markers or paint. How to do it? Follow the below steps

STEP 1

On your plain A4 or A3 paper write the words "I AM" bold in the middle of the page so much that they can be centre of attention.

STEP 3

In your magazines, look for words and pictures that can best describe the list you came up with in step 2 and neatly cut them.

Paste the words and/or pictures on

the white paper around the "I AM"

words you wrote. You can be creative

in the way you place them.

Your collage can only have words that describe you

STEP 2

Brainstorm a list of your personal characteristics, qualities and favourite things. Here is a "Thinking Sheet" to help you

can think of - Name your favourite:
Season / Fruit / Cold drink
Hot drink / Time of day
Dessert or sweet / Place to spend a day

STEP 4

Your collage can have both words and pictures





### ABOUT ME BOARD GAME





#### Understanding

## STEREOTYPES ON GENDER ROLES

in relationships

#### GENDER

Gender refers to the socially constructed characteristics of women and men\* – such as norms, roles and relationships of and between groups of women and men. It varies from society to society and can be changed. It is not bound to the sex you are born with, that means you can be born male (sex), but identify as a girl (gender) etc.

#### We can further explain Gender as follows:

- It is an identity that is learned, that changes over time and changes from one culture or society to another.
- It is both a social construct (meaning something made up by people) and a personal identity. In social terms gender refers to socially created roles, personality traits, attitudes, behaviours and values attributed and acceptable for men and women as well as relative power and influence of each.
- This means that gender is relational (occurs in relation to something else) and refers not simply to women or men but to the relationship between them.
- For example, a woman's gender not only means that she is considered and expected to have feminine attributes such as being soft spoken or gentle, but that having these characteristics society also expects her to be less dominant that men.

#### **GENDER ROLES**

Gender roles are defined as the social and cultural traits that different societies assign to males and females. Such gender roles are the patterns of behaviour, rights and obligations defined by a society as appropriate for each sex.

#### **STEREOTYPE**

Stereotype is a widespread, generalized, exaggerated or oversimplified belief about an entire group of people (including ethnic, national, cultural, racial, religious, gender minorities or sexual minorities) without acknowledging individual characteristics and differences. Gender stereotypes are simplistic generalizations about the gender attributes, differences, and roles of individuals and/or groups. Stereotypes can be positive or negative, but they rarely communicate accurate information about others. When people automatically apply gender assumptions to others regardless of evidence to the contrary, they are perpetuating gender stereotyping.

#### RELATIONSHIPS

Relationships refer to close connections between people, formed by emotional bonds and interactions. These bonds often grow from and are strengthened by sometimes mutual experiences or personal likes.



- The man is the provider.
- The woman is supposed to cook and clean the home.
- The man speaks and the
- A man shouldn't cry and show his emotions.
- The woman is supposed to be the comforter.
- A man cannot sexually abuse his partner.
- A woman must wear dresses and make-up.
- A woman must ask to do/attend something from partner.

#### **Breaking the Stereotypes on Gender Roles in Relationships**

Traditionally in a relationship, the male is the provider and holds the power. The women are more submissive nurturers. Within developed countries, gender roles are breaking down, which should be the case in this day and age as the world is evolving with time. However, within developing countries it is more difficult to break down gender roles, due to lower standards, societal challenges and less access to education. This means that women who are unable to receive an education need to find a husband in order to be looked after. This need to be looked after shows weakness within females, and manifests a male's inherent need to dominate. Thus, this creates a mind-set which paints the repression of women as acceptable. Consequently, when women step out of their prescribed gender role, they are challenging the male role of power. The male then feels an innate need to push the female back into her gender role through any way deemed acceptable. What must be examined is why acts of violence towards women can be deemed acceptable. In modern relationships both men and women have an equal status. Expectations of females and males in relationships apply to any relationship, no matter if hetero- or homosexual or any other form.





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**Community Trust** 

### ACTIVITY

1.	a relationship can have a bad effect on both the partners? If so, what could they be?	role stereotypes in
2.	Do you think gender roles stereotypes in our youthful relationships can successfully be non-existen one address such with their partner?	t? If so, how can
3.	What can we as the Youth do to break the stereotypes of gender roles in our society at large?	
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### TOWNSHIP

(KENTERISM)

South African writer Gibson Mthuthuzeli Kente single-handedly made the 'township musical', a form of popular theater in black South African culture during the repressive apartheid era, into a dominant means of expression and exuberance. He died of acquired immune-deficiency syndrome (AIDS) in 2004 after a career that spanned nearly 50 years, and his impact on South African culture was impressive. "He wrote and performed plays which reflected township life", noted a Guardian tribute by Liz McGregor, "and trained and inspired hundreds of black actors and singers at a time when black creativity was viewed as a threat and suppressed by the apartheid state. Using the limited resources available in townships, he created musicals and plays that reflected the fears, hopes, joys and tribulations of black urban communities."

Kente founded a theater business in the early 1960s and asked his friends to submit scripts. Few that met his requirements were forthcoming, so he began writing his own plays. The first of these was Manana, the Jazz Prophet, which premiered in 1963. His next was Sikalo, which was a great success and even played to white audiences in the city of Witwatersrand in 1965 and 1966. Its story features a young man who tries to avoid the gangs in his township, but winds up in jail anyway. These and subsequent township musicals had several common features: much of the action took place in the quasi-legal shebeens, or taverns, where black South Africans could drink. Such establishments were usually run by a formidable woman, and populated by tsotsis, or thugs, dancing girls, and ordinary workers. There was usually a pompous police officer to provide comic relief, as well as dissolute priests and a Zulu boy who delivered his lines in broken English. Song and dance were also key elements of the township musical, and Kente wrote his own scores, which were heavy on jazz and African gospel.



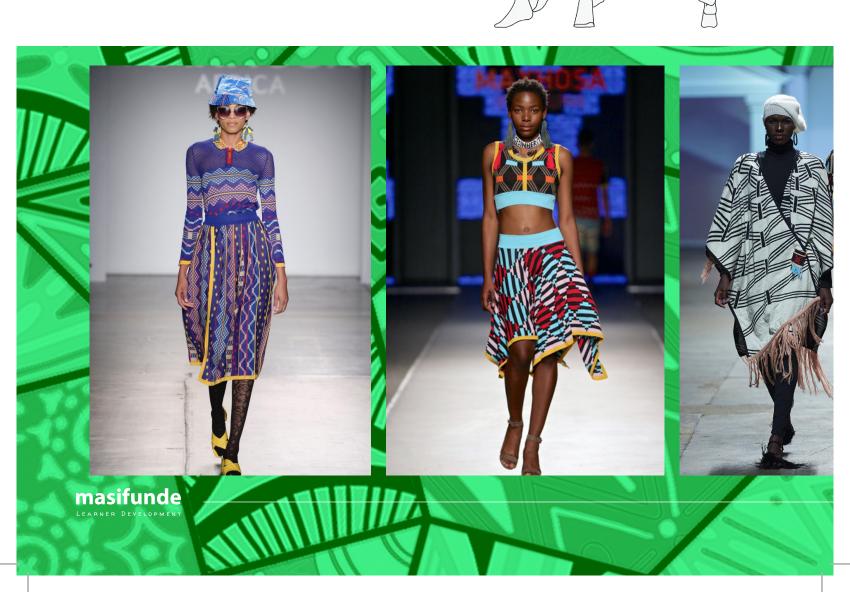
#### Theatre Lingo Word of the Week:

REHEARSAL (noun) - Repeated practicing of the play, movement, dance and music for a period of time before the official



# CREDINAGINE A Fashion Design Project

Your practical project is to design woman's outfit that reflects the diverse cultures from South Africa. Fashion designers begin by drawing shapes of figures which they then use as a kind of template around which the begin to design their clothes. Here is an example of a template that designers use:



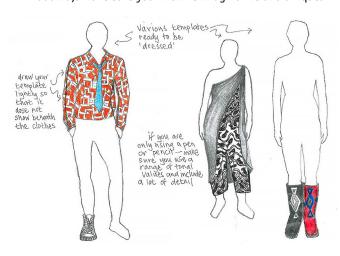
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On a separate sheet of paper, start developing your ideas, researching traditional African clothing and textiles and collecting interesting colour combinations and pieces of fashion from magazines that interest you. It can look like this.



When you have drawn a couple of sketches of designs that you are happy with, begin to "dress" your template.

You can take inspiration from the images below. These are examples by PE-born designer Laduma Ngoxolo (MaXhosa by Laduma). Make sure your work is imaginative and unique.







Music helps develop rhythmic intelligence and notice rhythm in a language, which are important skills in learning how to read and developing fluency as readers

There has been a long-standing history connection between poetry and music:

- Much poetry was performed with music.
- The roman word for poem is "carmen", meaning song.
- Other terms that are used in poetry come from music, such as crescendo, climax and coda
- The earliest poetry exists in a form of hymns.
- Poetry has cadences, rhythm and rhyme like music has.
- There are also few RnB/Soul singers who use poetry in their music, such as Lauryn Hill, Jill Scott and Angie Stone just to mention a few.

Also rap music and hip hop has its origins in poetry: it uses the same principles (cadences, rhythm and rhyme), but also free style. Free style is where you give a word have to try come up with something using that word and any other words that rhymes with to create a piece or song.

**Now it's your turn:** Recite a poem accompanied by music! You can write your own poem, use one you've learned of at school, free style (improvise) or use the ones you can find in this or previous editions of QuaranTimes.

Take note of the following:

Show emotion





### PRESENTATION SKILLS

Presentation skills are one of the most important skills you should possess if you want to succeed in life whether in school, workplace, or your business. One way or the other you will be required to make a presentation or speech in your lifetime. So, the earlier you start working on your presentation skills the better. These skills will not only help you get your ideas across and give you confidence, but they are also a great assert for personal growth and career development.

A presentation is a process of presenting a topic, idea, or a product to an audience. A presentation can be a school experiment, demonstration, lecture, or speech meant to inform or persuade.

### Importance of Effective Presentation Skills:

- Helps improve confidence to speak in front of a crowd.
- Helps you earn good marks at school, university, or college
- It helps improve language skills, especially English-speaking skills.
- It helps at the time of a job interview.

Before we go any further with presentation skills and how you prepare for presentations, we want to think of 5 qualities you need to make good presentations. Please fill in the following worksheet.

#### **Worksheet 1**

List five qualities that you feel are needed to give a good presentation.



# COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Being able to communicate well is important if you want to provide an excellent presentation. Without being able to verbalize your ideas and opinions there is very little chance of having a successful presentation. You have between thirty seconds and two minutes to capture your participants' attention. It is important to capture your audience right from the beginning. Selecting a good opener to your presentation is an important way to take command of an audience. You can that by using one of the following:

► A reference to a current or well-known news story

#### ► A personal experience

#### ► A historical event

Understanding your body language and other physical cues is also very important when you are presenting material in front of an audience. Your non-verbal communication skills are just as important as your verbal skills. Combined they make up the complete communication package that you use when you are presenting your material.

# IT IS NOT WHAT YOU SAY, IT IS HOW YOU SAY IT

We are all born with a tone of voice. While most people are not gifted with a radio announcer's voice, we can learn to improve our tone of voice. The idea is to have your voice sound upbeat, warm, under control, and clear. Here are some tips to help you begin the process.

- Make sure you are breathing from the diaphragm.
- Stand up tall when you are doing a presentation; posture affects breathing, which affects tone.
- Smile, it warms up the tone of your voice.
- Record your voice and analyze the playback.
- Get feedback from a friend or family member about the tone of your voice.

Okay by now you should know what presentations are and how to present your topic or ideaeffectively. Let us now focus your attention on how to put a presentation together. Time to practise doing presentations with the people close to you. Now think of a topic you are passionate about; it can be anything from your schoolwork or something personal like your career plans. Your task is to create a 10-minute presentation for your family.

Use the following to help you create your presentation.

- Every presentation has a purpose, it can be to inform, entertain, or persuade. So the first you do is determine the purpose of your presentation.
- The next thing is to know your audience.
   Who is the audience? What do they need to know with regards to this topic? Your presentation must fit the needs and interest of your audience.
- Do research. You need to collect as much information on the topic as possible.
   Remember you must be well informed about the topic you are presenting.
- Decide on a which presentation form you are going to use. Will it be PowerPoint presentation, a poster, experiment, or a speech?
- Create a structure for your presentation.
   Once you have collected all the information you need it is time to start putting together your presentation.
   Use the following structure for your presentation.
  - ► Your Introduction and Objectives
  - ► Introduce the main themes/topics
  - ► Development of the main themes/topics
  - **▶** Conclusion
  - Question and Answer Round.

- Use visual aids like pictures, videos, or graphs to make your presentation more interesting. Remember you want to capture the attention of your audience throughout your presentation.
- Practise. Practise. Practise! Once you finish putting it together the next step is to rehearse your presentation. Make sure you do this many times as possible and in front of an audience (people close to you) so that they can give you feedback. Practise doing your presentation within a prescribed time limit. In this case you have 10 minutes.

Well done! You are now good and ready to do a presentation for your family members. All the best!



- Practise: it is important to rehearse your presentation.
- Watch how other people do presentations.
- Arrive early to yourself enough time to prepare.
- Use positive visualisation to prepare yourself mentally.
- Take deep breaths
- Get a good night rest a day before your presentation.

#### Delivering Good Presentation Tips:

- Presentations should be entertaining as much as they are informative.
- Establish and maintain eye contact with the audience.
- Presentations should be short lived and focused on the topic.
- You should be well informed on the topic you are presenting.





- Find the right place to write, you shouldn't be distracted.
  Find a journal or an old note book and decorate it the way you want.
- Close your eyes and reflect.
- Dive in and start writing.

Remember: Journal entries are usually 50-100 words, you can write about anything you want and they are usually kept private.

With the space below, write down some of the good experiences you have had during lockdown and what you are hoping to achieve when lockdown is over!

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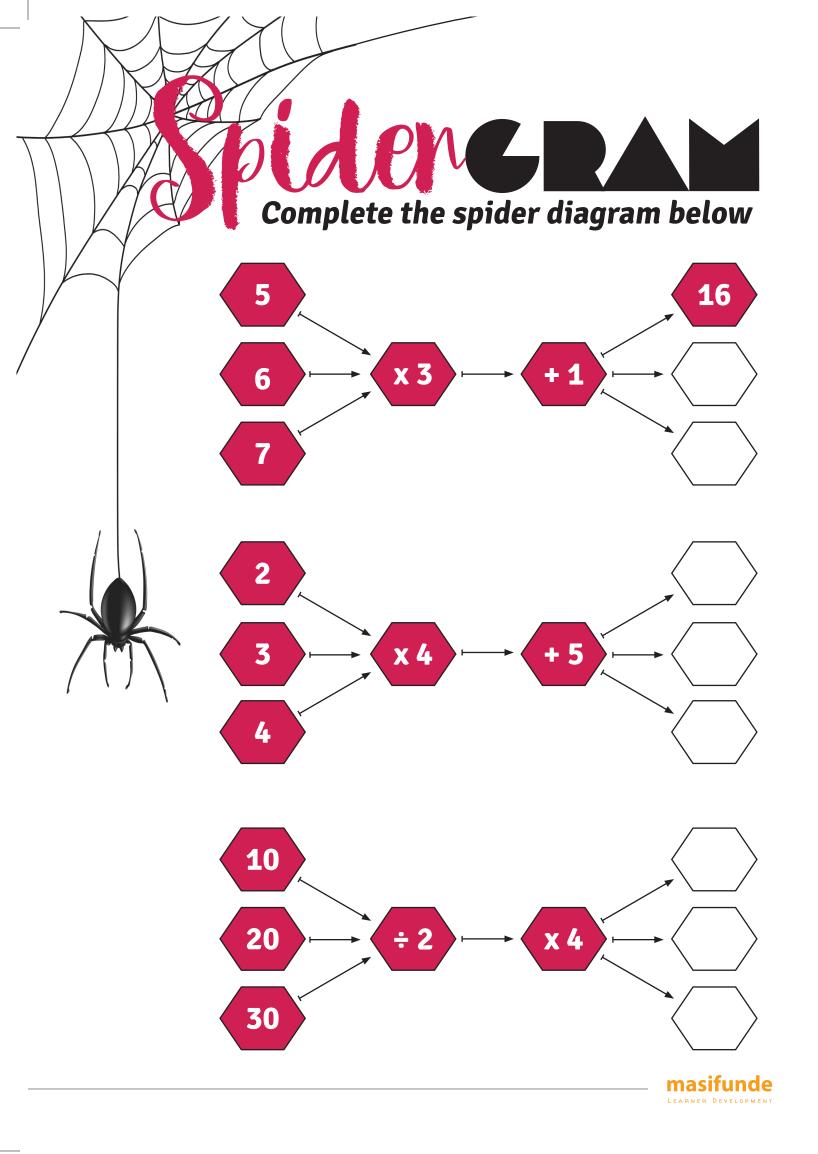
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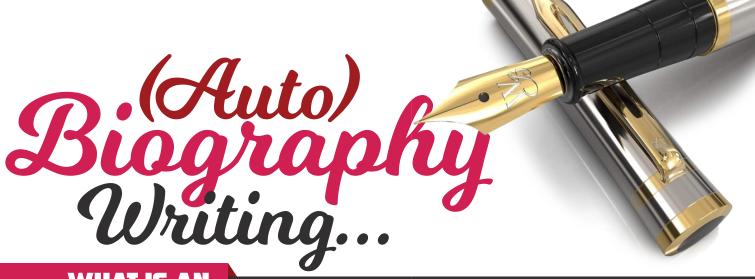
### TEST YOUR BRAIN

Riddles are fun, educational and they also have a way to bring a family and friends together. Riddles also improve creativity and thinking ability. Read the riddles below and try to come up with the answers. The answers of these Riddles will be published on the next issue.

#### **R**PDDL**E**S

Notes/Working area	1. What has to be broken before you can use it?
	2. I'm tall when I'm young, and I'm short when I'm old. What am I?
	3. What month in the year has 28 days?
	4. What goes up but never comes down?
	5. What gets bigger when more is taken away?
	6. What has one eye, but can't see?
	— MΔTHS RΦDDLΞS
	7. I am an odd number. Take away a letter and I become even.  What number am I?
	8. Sis' Ncesh has four daughters and each daughter has a brother.  How many children does Sis'Ncesh have?
	9. Two fathers and two sons are in a car, yet there are only three people in the car. How?
	10. The day before yesterday I was 21, and next year I will be 24.  When is my birthday?





**WHAT IS AN**Autobiography?

A biography is a story about a person written by themselves.

**WHAT IS A Biography?** 

A biography is a story about a person written by someone else.

Write an autobiography about yourself and your background using the template below.

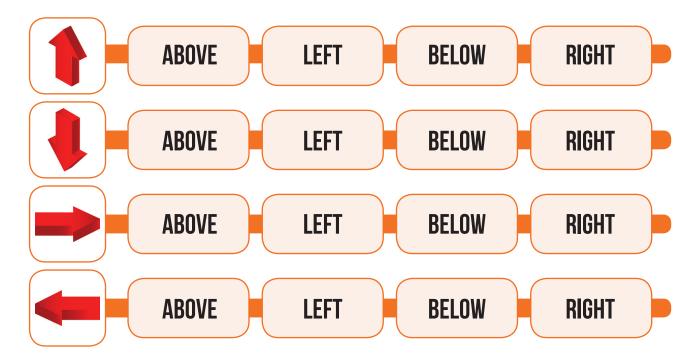
ALL ABOUT	ME	
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Our traditional foods are		
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Draw a picture of our tradition	al clothes, homes, dance or food here.	
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# MINDTHEGAPI

#### Fill in the missing numbers to the sums

#### Colour the correct word that matches the arrow.







1. Identify the name of what's in the picture on the left.

2. Colour-in or connect the correct sound for each word.

3. Write the word on the line provided.









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Practicing balance is very important at an early stage of a child's development. Freeze is an exciting and fun way which to help small children to practice balance.

Step 1 Choose your favourite song. You can play it with a cellphone, speaker, laptop or even sing.



**Step 2** Prepare the dance floor- remove everything that could be a hazard!



**Step 3** Play or sing the favourite song. Let them dance!



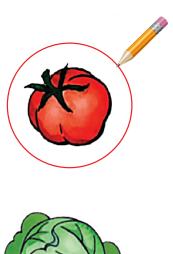
Pause the music – every time you pause the music or stop singing, the little one should also pause and stand very still – freeze – you shouldn't move at all.



**Step 5** Repeat step 3 and 4 as much you want and enjoy!























#### Now practise these numbers -----



Practise the numbers.









### Arts Exhibition 2020

### - Lockdown Edition -



Celebrating the Arts during lockdown is not an easy thing to do, but nevertheless we wanted to give a little bit of colour and hope to Walmer Township with our lockdown T-Shirts!

The T-Shirts were designed by our Visual Arts Seniors during lockdown, while the Drama Seniors added their own spice to each of them.







#### WhatsApp support (now available in isiXhosa): Say "Hi" to 0600 123 456

#### **CALL FOR ASSISTANCE**

**Emergency Number:** 0800 029 999 **NMBM Call Centre:** 0800 20 50 50

**GBV Command Centre:** 0800 428 428 or \*120\*7867# (free)

**Childline:** 0800 055 555

South African Police Service: 08600 10111



### IF YOU ARE DIAGNOSED WITH COVID-19, OR IF YOU HAVE SYMPTOMS BUT CANNOT GET TESTED, WHAT SHOULD YOU DO?

Stay at home for 14 days Stay calm

Ensure you have family members on hand who can help you to get shopping and things you may need Keep connected to people you care ◀ about by phone and video calls

- Go to work
- Use public transport
- Go to public places
- Go shopping
- Visit anyone
- Attend religious gatherings
- Have visitors in your home
- Leave home unless you need medical care

### WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

You have tested positive for the virus or you have symptoms and likely have Covid-19

You need to avoid contact with other people for: - 14 Days after your test if you have no symptoms

- 14 days after your symptoms started if you have mild disease 14 days from the last day you needed oxygen if you were treated in hospital with severe disease

You do not need to re-test to confirm you are negative to de-isolate

- You have been in close contact with someone with the virus and you don't have symproms and haven't tested positive
- You need to avoid contact with other people for 14 days after your exposure to the person with Covid-19
- ▶ If you do not develop symptoms you can de-isolate ater 14 days
- If you develop symptoms you are considered to also have Covid-19 and then you need to isolate for 14 days from the start of your symptoms



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