

2023 SACEE PUZZLE PARADE AND LANGUAGE CHALLENGE REPORT

It was promising to see an increase in the number of schools who entered this year's SACEE National Puzzle Parade and Language Challenge, which seems to indicate that schools are normalizing. We are confident that these numbers will continue to increase next year.

	2020	2021	2022
No. of Participants	9 913	14 041	20 284
Grade 1 – 3 Puzzle Parades	18 schools	27 schools	35 schools
Grade 4 – 7 Language Challenge	20 schools	31 Schools	41 schools
Grade 8 – 11 Language Challenge	11 schools	9 schools	12 schools

Below please find the 2022 results with a comparison to the 2021 results.

GRADE	2022 NO. OF LEARNERS	2021 NO. OF LEARNERS	2022 NATIONAL AVERAGE	2021 NATIONAL AVER- AGE	2022 HIGHEST SCORE	2021 HIGHEST SCORE
1	1927	1616	64.72	67.35	8 x 100%	22 x 100%
2	2099	1604	67.77	71.39	21 x 100%	25 x 100%
3	2213	1625	68.10	69.43	13 x 100%	11 x 100%
4	2410	1831	56.76	53.65	96%	98%
5	2456	1800	64.85	62.97	99%	98%
6	2577	1914	62.04	54.45	96%	95%
7	2400	1733	68.12	63.11	99%	96%
8	1250	549	71.95	66.60	100%	100%
9	1167	374	76.29	68.87	100%	96%
10	916	570	74.37	65.36	99%	97%
11	869	425	77.35	67.40	100%	97%
TOTAL	20 284	14 041				

Special mention should be made of the following schools and learners:

- Nizamiye Primary School had 9 learners achieve 100% in Grade 2
- Montrose Primary had 7 learners achieve 100% in Grade 2
- Irene Primary had 4 learners achieve 100% in Grade 3
- 3 Learners achieved 100%

- Grade 8: Grace Coetzer (Our Lady of Fatima Dominican Convent School)
- Grade 9: Layla Khandoo (Clarendon High School for Girls)
- Grade 11: Lunabile Veto (Wynberg Girls' High School)

These learners and schools should all be commended and recognized for their excellent results.

We would like to thank all principals and teachers for their continued support - without you the event would not be a success. We trust that you will find the results informative and useful in benchmarking your school's English Language proficiency against national norms and averages, and, for those schools which have participated in the past, plotting and measuring your progress against previous years.

We encourage all schools to recognize their top performing learners, particularly those who achieved outstanding results. Attached with the report, please find a template for a certificate that can be used to award your top scorers.

Please note that only the overall top three learners (including tied places) in Grades 4 - 11 are awarded a cash prize. We ask all schools with prize winners to complete page 4 and send us their banking details by return email so that we can transfer the prize winner's cash prize into your school account. We would appreciate it if you could award the prize winners their relevant amounts.

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Puzzle Parade Results - 2022

GRADE	MARK	NAME	SCHOOL	PRIZE
1	100%	8 Learners scored 100%		N/A
2	100%	21 Learners scored 100%		N/A
3	100%	9 Learners scored 100%		N/A

Language Challenge Results - 2022

GRADE	MARK	NAME	SCHOOL	PRIZE
4	96	Zoe Goodenough	De La Salle Holy Cross	R250
4	93	Tanish Patel	Unicorn Preparatory	R200
4	92	Ukhololuminathi Mzileni	Hudson Park Primary	R100
4	92	Christopher Beukes-King	Unicorn Preparatory	R100
4	92	Natasha Phipson	De La Salle Holy Cross	R100
4	92	Kennedy Leballo	Grey College	R100
5	99	Karabo Mankupane	Curro Klerksdorp	R250
5	98	Joseph Allardice	Herzlia Highlands	R200
5	97	Caitlin Smith	Mtunzini Primary	R100
5	97	Jason Gotz	De La Salle Holy Cross	R100
6	96	Miles Smith	De La Salle Holy Cross	R250
6	96	Samantha Boyd	Thomas More	R250
6	95	Tebello Mosebi	Hudson Park Primary	R200
6	95	Bryce McLean	SACS Junior	R200
6	95	Tarif Alam	Grey College	R200
7	99	David Uchendu	CBC St Johns	R250
7	98	Alex Pietersen	Milnerton Primary	R200
7	97	Jabir Bin Mashud	Star College Bridgetown	R100
7	97	Sophie Jewaskiewitz	St Mary's DSG Kloof	R100
8	100	Grace Coetzer	Our Lady of Fatima	R250
8	98	Anganathi Dalasile	Stirling High	R200
8	98	Mutinta Machila	Stirling High	R200
8	98	Tsebo Mpetsane	Our Lady of Fatima	R200
8	97	Ali (Chenyi) Lin	Stirling High	R100
8	97	Mia Duk	Wynberg Girls High	R100
8	97	Jessica De Witt	Our Lady of Fatima	R100
9	100	Layla Khandoo	Clarendon High	R250
9	98	Emma Booyens	Clarendon High	R200
9	98	Tabish Zaheer Mukhtar	Star College Bridgetown	R200
9	97	Ana Potter	Wynberg Girls High	R100
9	97	Amara Odugwu	Clarendon High	R100
10	99	Sarah Brodie	Stirling High	R250
10	95	Hannah Hill	Wynberg Girls High	R200
10	95	Kendre Hetherrington	Wynberg Girls High	R200
10	95	Niave Hutton	Wynberg Girls High	R200
10	95	Demi Knott	Clarendon High	R200
11	100	Lunabile Veto	Wynberg Girls High	R250
11	99	Noah Ciganek	Merrifield	R200
11	98	Kezia Dantu	Wynberg Girls High	R100
11	98	Megan Stringer	Our Lady of Fatima	R100