

TO: THE PRINCIPAL (MA'AM MHISHI)  
 CC: T.I.C OF PREFECTS (MR KACHE)  
 FROM: THE PREFECTS BODY  
 TITLE: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PREFECTS  
 BODY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR 2024

The prefects body is an integral part of the school community, and plays a vital role in maintaining discipline, promoting good conduct, and fostering a positive learning environment. This report provides an overview of the activities undertaken by the prefects body throughout the year.

The new body of prefects was elected in the first term by the staff members based on a variety of criteria which included ,raw leadership qualities, academic merit as well as notable achievements in any extra curricular activities as well as other matrices. Announced also was the hierarchy of the body which included:

<p>Thandolwenkosi Chikadaya -: Headboy          Patience Dzimunwe -: Headgirl          Shalom Charumbuka -: Vice Headgirl          Courage Nhauriro -: Senior Prefect          Adiel Ndlovu -: Senior Prefect          Chipso Makamure -: Sports Captain</p>	<p><u>Junior Prefects</u>          Bradley Nyanhira          Blessmore Chavunduka          Zoleka Munyeza          Jo-Anne Munyawiri          Kenneth Mafukidze          Tafadzwa Chihwato          Gilchrist Hanyani          Arishkegal Quirape</p>
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## Activities

The prefects body was actively involved in a variety of activities throughout the year, including:

1. **Discipline:** Prefects monitored student behavior during lessons, breaks and lunchtime, and took appropriate action to address any disciplinary issues. They also assisted teachers in maintaining order in the classrooms.
2. **Community Service:** Prefects participated in a number of community service initiatives, such as cleaning up the school grounds. However most noticeable was our visit to the Harare Children's Home on the 8<sup>th</sup> of November 2024 this was our gift to our community and through the support of our students as well as their kind parents were able to raise enough donations to get something for each of the 90 children currently at the orphanage.
3. **Student Support:** Prefects provided support and guidance to students, particularly new students, and helped to create a welcoming and inclusive environment. In addition to this we also held numerous fun days and other events throughout the year

which were aimed to make the students more motivated as well as refresh them from the day to day monotony of school. One we can look past however was the Career Day event we hosted on the 27<sup>th</sup> of September which was aimed to support each of the students in selecting a suitable career path in a new world governed by Artificial Intelligence.

**4. Leadership Development:** The school organized a training workshop aimed at polishing our leadership qualities, trust in one another as well as teaching us the fundamental basis of what being a prefect is and it was a massive success, each one of us came out of that session with a completely different mindset and we hope next year we are able to partake in something more exciting as this experience.

## Achievements

The prefects body achieved a number of significant accomplishments throughout the year, including:

- \* **Improved school discipline:** The prefects body played a key role in maintaining discipline in the school, resulting in a more positive and focused learning environment.
- \* **Increased community engagement:** The prefects body's participation in community service initiatives helped to strengthen the school's ties with the local community.
- \* **Enhanced student support:** The prefects body provided valuable support and guidance to students, helping them to succeed both academically and socially.
- \* **Developed leadership skills:** The prefects body's participation in leadership training and activities helped them to develop their leadership skills, which will benefit them in their future studies and careers.
- \* **Business startups:** We started several businesses to help raise funds for the orphanage mentioned above, the businesses included selling burgers, hot dogs and ice cream business. They have been a success and we look forward to continuing with these projects next year.

## Challenges

The prefects body faced a number of challenges throughout the year, including:

\* **Balancing academic and responsibilities of being prefects:** Prefects often had to balance their academic studies with their duties, which could be challenging at times.

\* **Lack of experience:** Also being fairly new and inexperienced made it difficult to lead and manage projects effectively. Which we could not have overcome without the help and support of our teachers who were with us every step of the way.

\* **Dealing with difficult students:** Prefects sometimes had to deal with difficult or disruptive students, which could be stressful and time-consuming. Also some of the students were often resistant to change, even if the change is for the better. This made it difficult for prefects to implement new initiatives.

## **Recommendations**

The following recommendations are made to further improve the effectiveness of the prefects body:

- \* Provide additional training and support: Prefects should receive ongoing training and support to help them develop their leadership skills and effectively carry out their duties.
- \* Recognize and reward prefects' contributions: Prefects should be recognized and rewarded for their hard work and dedication, through initiatives such as awards, certificates, or public acknowledgements.

The prefects body played a vital role in the school community throughout the year, and made a significant contribution to the school's success. By continuing to provide training and support, recognize and reward prefects' contributions, and encourage feedback and suggestions, the school can ensure that the prefects body remains an effective and valuable part of the school community.

It was truly an honor to be able to serve as prefects and we hope to continue to work with the admin and staff members to ensure coordination and harmony within the school.

We hope you will find this report helpful and informative.

Thank you

