



Dear Parents,

I hope this message finds you well.

I, Miss Clowes, will be available for private remedial lessons on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. I have completed my postgraduate specialisation in Learning Support (Remedial) through the University of Stellenbosch, and I am very excited to be able to practise remedial teaching privately after school while still passionately pursuing classroom teaching.

Availability & Practical Details

- **Days:** Wednesdays and Thursdays
- **Times:** 13:40 - 16:00 on Wednesday
13:40 - 14:45 on Thursday
14:30 - 15:30 on Tuesday
- **Length:** Sessions are 30 - 40 minutes, depending on the child's needs
- **Location:** Lessons will take place on the Three Peaks school campus in the Grade 1 classroom.
- **Cost:** R250 per session
- **Frequency:** Weekly sessions are recommended initially. We can then communicate should other arrangements be necessary

What Is Remedial Teaching?

Remedial lessons are designed to support children who may be finding certain aspects of learning challenging. These lessons focus on understanding *why* a child is struggling and strengthening the foundational skills needed for confident progress at school.

Through careful assessment and observation, I identify gaps in areas such as reading, language, or mathematics. Lessons are then tailored to the individual child, using clear explanations and supportive activities that address underlying weaknesses, whilst also supporting learners with school work.

Remedial teaching differs from tutoring in that it focuses on building essential skills that support learning across all subjects. As these foundations grow stronger, children are better able to meet classroom expectations independently.



Progress is monitored over time and collaboration with classroom teachers or occupational therapists may occur.

Expectations

- Consistent attendance is important for meaningful progress
- Parents will receive regular feedback on their child's development
- Remedial support is a gradual process, with steady improvement over time rather than quick fixes.

The aim is to support each child with patience, understanding, and personalised care, helping them grow in both ability and confidence.

Should you wish to enrol your child or require further information, please feel free to contact me via email at joanne.clowes@threepeaks.org.za.

Warm regards,
Miss Clowes