



## Learning Center Unschoolers & Homeschoolers

*Nature Is Our Teacher: Radical Self-Responsibility,  
Self-Reliance, Resilience & unlearning/deschooling all levels.  
Additional options: registered online curricula.*

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### FEES, REGISTRATION AND INDEMNITY FORM:

*\*Please complete and return to us by email, WhatsApp or hand hard copy to us by latest 2<sup>nd</sup> attendance day*

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth and ID nr (if available):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Special interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Learning sensitivities/medical conditions (please be honest about all concerns AND SUPPLY MEDICATION IF APPLICABLE):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Medical Aid Scheme name & Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Doctor Name and Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: (mother) \_\_\_\_\_

ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Tel #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Tel #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: (father) \_\_\_\_\_

ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact name and number: \_\_\_\_\_

## **PLEASE READ INFORMATION BELOW WITH TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

1. I would like to sign up for Animalia Learning Center.
2. DONATIONS/COMPENSATION: Applicable to 4 days per week, Mondays to Thursdays, 9am to 2.30pm. (Gates open at 8.30am daily and close at 3pm if no extramurals or aftercare.)
3. Friday attendance (9am to 12pm) is optional AND NOT ALWAYS HAPPENING. It is a volunteer programme engaging our learners and community members in experiential hands on sustainability projects ongoing at the centre.
4. Details for different packages and days per week to follow. Siblings discount is available and amounts are adjustable according to parents' budgets.
5. Try-out days: 2 - 3 days.
  - R330 per day = R990 for the trial period.
  - If your child is happy to stay following the trial period, these days are included in the monthly invoice as per the package selected.
6. Ad Hoc / Casual visit days
  - a) without parent / carer supervision:
    - R330 per child per day
  - b) With parent assisting with facilitating
    - R50 per child per day

I (parent) select one of the following packages (please circle)

**DONATIONS / COMPENSATION:**

**A) Package 1:**

- 4 days per month
- R325 per day
- R1 300 per month x 12 months per year including school holidays.

**B) Package 2:**

- 8 days per month
- R312.50 per day
- R2 500 per month x 12 months per year including school holidays.

**C) Package 3:**

- 12 days per month
- R300 per day
- R3 600 per month x 12 months per year including school holidays.

**D) Package 4:**

- Full time
- R262.50 per day
- R4 200 per month x 12 months per year including school holidays.

**E) Package 5:**

- Full time quarterly
  - R258 per day
- R12 400 per quarter (3 months) x 4 per year including school holidays.

**F) Package 6:**

\* Full Time annually

\* R250 per day

\* R48 000 per year (12 months) including school holidays

**G) OTHER: I declare that I do not have the means to afford the donations as suggested above. I can offer R\_\_\_\_\_ daily/monthly/quarterly for Package \_\_\_\_\_ (select from Package 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6). \* PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS OPTION IS A LAST RESORT AND TEMPORARY ARRANGEMENT THAT WILL BE AGREED UPON BY ALL PARTIES CONCERNED BEFORE APPLIED.**

*Holiday Programme weekly on Thursdays is included in monthly donations.*

**H) Aftercare Mon to Thurs donation p/day (not applicable if child does extramurals)  
3-4pm R50**

### 3-5pm R150

- c) I understand that this means my child has access to the premises at 6 Gowans Road, Assagay, and that I indemnify Animalia Learning Center, its workers, facilitators, caregivers and all other staff against any accidents that may arise from the use of the resources and grounds of the Center. I further agree to the condition that, while every precaution will be taken for the safety and welfare of my child and for the care of his or her possessions, I will hold blameless and indemnify all persons, Animalia Learning Center and all other organisations associated with the activity, should any prejudice, loss, damage, illness or injury occur to my child during the above activity. This includes an indemnity against recovery of costs resulting from damage, loss and/or medical conditions or hospitalisation, unless such loss is caused by the negligence, wilfulness or deliberate act of the Center or one or more of its employees. I furthermore appoint the Center staff supervising the activity, to act in loco parentis in respect of my child should the need therefore arise.
- d) Donations are settled in advance of every month. A written period of 1 calendar month is required on termination of my child's attendance. This is given notice of in advance as applies to all months.
- e) School calendar works on 10 weeks school per term, 2-3 weeks holidays, 4 terms per year. Holiday programme weekly on Thursdays is included in monthly donations.
- f) I would like to be added to the parent's WhatsApp group: YES/NO – *please circle choice*
- g) Animalia Learning Center operating hours: Monday – Thursday: Gate opens 8.30 for 9am, day ends at 2.30pm. Fridays 8.30am to 12.30pm. Aftercare from 3pm if required. Extramurals as per need. Fridays, evening and weekend outings are included in monthly donations and not charged extra for except transport and/or admission amounts if applicable.
- h) I understand that the resources on offer may include (but are not limited to): access to high speed fibre for online educational and research purposes, Educational toys and equipment e.g. Lego; literacy; numeracy; sports equipment, outdoor playground; books and other reading materials; kitchen, DIY hand tools and power tools; garden tools; science equipment.
- i) All stationery, art & craft and related materials, as well as workbooks, teas & coffees and sugars etc are to be supplied by each child for their personal use and as required by facilitators for specific activities should the child choose to do the activity. We do have supplies on hand which our in-house Alternative Economy model addresses – enq. for details.
- j) The daily program includes indoor and outdoor independent learning, facilitated learning, games, learning activities (online and offline), developmental programmes that cover the social sciences, numeracy, language and life skills development. See website for details.
- k) I understand that classes offered by external people at Animalia Learning Center premises are donated privately. Animalia Learning Center acts herein as an introductory intermediary only.

- l) I understand that courses, clubs and classes on offer will change from time to time and that I will be notified of such changes timeously.
- m) I understand that should my child deliberately or maliciously break or damage any materials or property that I will be held liable for the repair or replacement of such.
- n) I understand that in the event of behavioural concerns arising I may be requested to be present while my child is at the center.
- o) I understand that the rules set up by the children within their democratic meetings will not be overturned by adults as long as they do not over rule acceptable or dangerous behaviour.
- p) I give permission for my child to go on Adult-led exploratory walks/bicycle rides around the secure neighbourhood to the parks and secure river and swimming pool as and when offered. YES/NO
- q) In case of an emergency I give permission for the administration of first aid including natural remedies, Panado, and other indicated over the counter medicines. YES/NO
- r) In the event that my child is allowed to participate in any swimming activities held during the summer terms I acknowledge that the rules of indemnity herein apply.
- s) The center is not responsible for any child's education as such as it remains the parent's responsibility to monitor their progress. The center staff act as facilitators only. Should your child require extra tutoring for example to bridge gaps in certain learning areas, this can be arranged at an additional arrangement at the center. Enquire for more details.
- t) The center provides free and unlimited access to internet for digital learning purposes. However it is for the child to provide and bring their own digital devices, such as a laptop.
- u) Please remember that you need to provide food and snacks for your child, change of clothes, gumboots, as well as one box of tissues per child per term. Water is freely available. We do regularly forage, harvest and prepare food from our food forest gardens, as yet not a set arrangement although in future this might be more regular – Animalia will keep parents and learners updated re developments here.
- v) Animalia reserves the right to register or deregister learners at their discretion. Selection is based on an amicable cooperative group dynamic amongst the learners.

**w) Donation / Compensation Details:**

Donations are to be made monthly in advance for attendance to Animalia Learning Centre.

Reminders of relevant donation amounts due by respective parents are sent out on the 25th of each month in advance of the next month. Settlements are due by latest the 28th of the same month (3 days after 25th). Reminder notices are via email only unless otherwise required by parents.

**CASH donations preferred.**

**OR 2<sup>nd</sup> option:**

**Bank Details:**

**Account Holder:** Nico Van Rensburg

**Bank Name:** TymeBank

**Branch Code:** 678910

**Account Number:** 51112827069

**Account Type:** Current Account

**Reference: Name/s of child/ren**

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Signature of parent/caregiver: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_