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MEC MAJUBA TO MEET WITH PRINCIPALS AND CHAIRPERSON OF SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES OF SPECIAL SCHOOLS

The MEC for Education, Mr Bonakele Majuba will on Thursday, 22 February 2024 convene a meeting with Principals and Chairperson of School Governing Bodies of Special Schools at Platorand Special School at Emakhazeni Local Municipality at 09H00.

The Department has 18 Special Schools catering for learners who require mild and intensive care and support. These schools offer Academic Stream, Technical Vocational Stream and Technical Occupational Stream and Differentiated CAPS. The intention of the Meeting is to take stock of the way these schools started the 2024 academic year, achievements, challenges and remedial measures to address impediments.

The meeting will also discuss other day to day administration and governance issues. From this meeting, the MEC will make a turn at Khayalami Secondary School at Emakhazeni to participate in the School Democracy Education Programme which encourages learners who are 17 and 18 years older to register to vote in the upcoming National and Provincial Elections.

The media is invited to cover both sessions.

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