

## **MEDIA** ADVISORY

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## Sandown High School to twin with Alexandra High School

Gauteng Premier, Mr David Makhura and Gauteng Education MEC, Mr Panyaza Lesufi, will on Wednesday 14 October 2015, officially launch the twinning of Sandown High School and Alexandra High School.

This would mean that from the 14<sup>th</sup> October 2015, learners and educators from the two schools will be able to share resources, skills and expertise amongst each other. The programme is located within the legislative framework. Section 17 of the South African Schools Act, provides for the governance of two or more schools to be vested in a single governing body.

The programme will expose learners to peers from diverse socio-economic backgrounds; improve learner competitiveness as well as access to high-quality education.

## **Details of the launch are as follows:**

Date: 14 October 2015

Time: 7h00

Venue: Sandown High School

1 North Rd Sandown Sandton

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