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Dear Dr. Benjamin,

Re: Basic Concepts Extension Project (2025-2028) in Mpumalanga, Ehlanzeni District

The management teams and Foundation Phase teachers at Kwena Combined School have been thoroughly briefed about the proposed Basic Concepts Extension Project (BCEP).

We wish to express our support for implementing the BCEP in our schools and commit to actively supporting its implementation across all Foundation Phase classes, including Grade R.

We are aware of the positive outcomes from previous trials of the project in our district, particularly in enhancing literacy and learning. Therefore, we are eager to assess the impact of the BCEP, especially on literacy and reading comprehension levels among learners transitioning to the Intermediate Phase.



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Additionally, we understand that the project includes a practical coaching and mentoring component, which will involve the project team and education department officials working directly with educators in their classrooms during regular class time.

Our teachers will be allowed to attend the in-service training sessions, provided that the schools receive sufficient advance notice of the training dates and suitable arrangements are made for their learners during their absence.

We are grateful for the opportunity to participate in this project and appreciate your interest in starting it in our schools. We are particularly excited about the potential of the BCEP to enhance the quality of teaching and learning within our school community.

Best regards,

[Signature & Name in full] Principal (Kwena Combined School)

