



**Parenting Course**

Every year we invite parents to an eight-week training on better parenting. The training is aimed at improving the skills and abilities of parents to help them build a strong relationship with their children. The primary goal is to provide support and information in ways that help parents become more capable and enhance their abilities to support their children's development.

Among the topics this year are:

Availability; addictions; communication; social media; decision-making; punishments and rewards, etc. We have invited experts in these areas of discussion and parents from other schools, to facilitate the training.

We are in the fifth week of training and, so far, we are getting positive response from the parents.

Please pray that God may use these parents to nurture and support their children to achieve their full potential and that we may find more ways of supporting and engaging with these parents in issues to do with parenting.

**Standard 8**

The beginning of this year we added a last class to complete our school, the Standard 8 class. This is the final class of primary education before children transition into secondary school.

It is the first time since we started the Fountains of Hope School that our children will be doing a national examination. It is therefore a big deal for us. Please pray with us for strength and wisdom as teachers, and children get ready for the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education exams.