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DEPUTY MINISTER DR NOBUHLE NKABANE TO PARTICIPATE AT BACK-TO-SCHOOL OUTREACH CAMPAIGN AT GINYIQHINGA SECONDARY SCHOOL IN RIETVLEI, AT UMZIMKHULU IN KWA-ZULU NATAL

The Deputy Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy, Dr Nobuhle Nkabane will embark on a Back-to-School Outreach Campaign in Rietvlei, Ginyiqhinga Senior Secondary School, uMzimkhulu Local Municipality at KwaZulu Natal on 04 February 2022.

The Campaign is aimed at encouraging learners, educators, and support staff to contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals of access to education and the elimination of poverty and hunger by alleviating the financial burden. The outreach campaign also aims to inspire learners in rural communities and informal settlements across the country to value and pursue education opportunities availed by government. The interactions with the broader schooling communities also sets out to ensure that learners from disadvantaged backgrounds have an equal chance at education.

The initiative is part the DMRE's contribution towards nation building and the recognition that no learner should be left behind. The intervention aims to promote career development initiatives that will translate into empowerment of young people in schools.

The Deputy Minister is expected to share learning material/stationary with the learners which will include Mathematical sets and Scientific Calculators.

Members of the media are invited to cover the event which is scheduled as follows:

Date: Friday, 4 February 2022

Time: 08h00

Venue: Ginyiqhinga Senior Secondary School, uMzimkhulu, KwaZulu Natal

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