

## Media Advisory

To: All Media News Editors

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## OHLANGE HIGH SCHOOL TO GET A FACELIFT

The MEC for Education in KwaZulu-Natal, Ms Mbali Frazer is going to preside over the handover ceremony of the contractor, responsible to upgrade Ohlange High School in Inanda, under the Pinetown District.

Ohlange High School has a rich academic and political history. It was founded by the first President of the ANC, John Langalibalele Dube; and it is the school in which the first President of the democratic South Africa, Dr Nelson Mandela casted his first vote.

It has also produced many eminent South Africans, many of whom have remained attached to the school as part of the school's convocation program.

"We owe it to the founding fathers and mothers of our democracy to ensure that Ohlange High School is upgraded and lives up to its rich history. This is part of our infrastructure programme that is aimed at ensuring that all our learners, regardless of their background, receive their education in world class learning institutions," said MEC Mbali Frazer.

The details of the official opening are as follows:

Date: Tuesday, 17 October 2023 Venue: Ohlange High School

Time: 09H00

The media is invited to be part of this historic event and broadcast the contractor hand-over ceremony.

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