

# HELDERBERG

## PRIMARY SCHOOL



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### To Whom it May Concern

We wish to place on record our experience with a product, CERATECH Thermal Barrier Coatings for roofs.

Our school is situated on the slopes of the Helderberg Mountain in Somerset West. Despite our proximity to the sea, external ambient temperatures during the summer months can sometimes easily exceed 40 degrees Celcius. Even when in the lower 30 degrees, the temperature inside the classrooms far exceeds comfortable levels. Our learners on these days become listless and struggle to focus.

The cost of installing and running sufficient air-conditioning to reduce the internal ambient temperatures to acceptable comfort levels was simply out of reach of our budget. Fortunately we were introduced to CERATECH Thermal Barrier Coatings for roofs. The manufacturers convinced us that by simply re-painting our roofs with their product, we would enjoy a comfortable environment regardless of the external temperature.

Despite our initial scepticism, we proceeded with the work, which was completed in 2006. We are pleased to report that thus far we have enjoyed four summers where the classroom temperatures are comfortable and teaching can proceed without interruption.

Yours sincerely

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