THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS THIRD TERM 2019/2020 ACADEMIC SESSION MONDAY, 17 AUGUST 2020

APPRECIATION

We thank the Almighty for His Grace and protection over us even in the wake of the global outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic.

E-TEACHING

The e-teaching which commenced on Wednesday, 6 May 2020 has been a huge success and has received commendations from staff, parents, students and other stakeholders. The scheme of work for the third term has been successfully covered through the e-teaching platform. Management appreciates the cooperation of staff, students and all stakeholders in making the e-teaching successful.

CONCLUSION OF 2ND TERM EXAMINATION

The 2nd term examination which was suspended due to the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic has now been concluded through e-examination. The results of the 2nd term examination will be released by Friday, 14 August 2020

3RD TERM E-EXAMINATION

In view of the prolonged closure of the school against JS1, 2, SS1 and 2 students, the 3rd term examination will be conducted on-line. The e-platform has been test-run twice with the students and it was successfully used to conclude the 2nd term examination. An improved fashion of the e-platform will be used to conduct the 3rd term examination. All students are enjoined to note the following instructions for the e-examination.

The e-examination/test will commence as indicated on the time-table and students are to take note of the following:

- i. E-examination will be conducted using a handset/ laptop/a desk-top per student.
- ii. The possession of a 'gmail account' will be of tremendous assistance.
- iii. Update your browser.
- iv. Ensure that the battery of your device/system is fully charged before the commencement of the examination.
- v. Load enough data to last $1^{1}/_{2}$ hours per subject.
- vi. A personalized examination code has been forwarded to each parent's G.S.M number. Parents are to make the code available to the students.
- vii. If you have not received your personalized code, kindly contact your class teacher. The list of class teachers and their G.S.M numbers is attached.
- viii. You must ensure that you fill all the required details on the goggle forms/e-examination platform. If you encounter any challenge during the examination, quickly contact your class teacher.
- ix. Check your responses before submission of your answer and ensure that you submit before the end of the time allocated.
- x. Once you are done, click on submit.

All complaints should be channeled to the Principal.

3RD TERM EXAMINATION TIME-TABLE

The 3rd term examination time-table is herewith attached for the attention of all students. Students are to prepare adequately for the e-examination. Management wishes all students success in the 3rd term examination.

THE SCHOOL PROMOTION CRITERIA

Parents/Guardians are advised to continuously charge their children/wards to strive towards meeting up with the School promotion criteria so as to earn promotion to the next class. **New students are particularly advised to take note** of the promotion criteria:

- **SS** Arts students: 5 credits including English Language, Mathematics and any three of the following subjects: Lit-in-Eng; Government; History; IRS/CRS; Visual Art/Music/French; Yoruba; Igbo; Hausa; Biology; Geography and Economics.
- **SS Commercial students**: 5 credits including English Language, Mathematics, Economics **and** any two of the following subjects: Financial Account; Commerce; Government; Geography; Biology and Visual Art.

- **SS Science students**: 5 credits including English Language, Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics **and** any of the following subjects: Biology; Geography; Economics; Further Maths; Technical Drawing; Agricultural Science: Food and Nutrition and Visual Art.
- JS students: 7 credits including English Language and Mathematics.

The minimum **credit pass is 50%** and the school has a standard policy on this. Parents/Guardians are advised to take note of these requirements and encourage their children/wards to study to achieve academic excellence.

PAYMENT OF SCHOOL FEES FOR THIRD TERM (2019/2020)

Parents/Guardians are to note the following:

- a. School fees for the third term 2019/20 session are as follows:
 - JS1, JS2, SS1 and SS2: Staff: ₩56,000.00 Non-Staff: ₩76,000.00 [Account Number 2005514731 at First Bank]
- b. All duplicate bank tellers showing appropriate cash lodgement are to be forwarded to the School for the issuance of receipts. **Scanned copies or photocopies are not acceptable.**
- c. Parents/Guardians interested in **online payment** can do so. For such payments, ensure that the narration of payment includes the name and class of your child/ward and the purpose of the lodgement (e.g. James Akintunde, JSS 2A; School fees). The online generated transaction report/cyber receipt should be saved and sent as an attachment to *isiaccountscps@yahoo.com*. The payment will be acknowledged by the issuance of receipt, which concerned parents can pick up from the Accounts department of the School.

ADMISSION INTO JS1 (2020/2021)

The Management conducted the 2020 entrance examination for Ibadan centre between 7 and 9 July, 2020 and Lagos centre entrance examination was conducted on Wednesday, 12 August 2020. The cutoff point for admission is 50%. Admission into JS1 (2020/2021) has commenced. Qualified candidates are to process their admission within the specified period in their letters of admission. Management congratulates the set of newly admitted JS1 students.

SCHOOL UNIFORM MATERIALS AND CARDIGAN

Parents are hereby notified that the school uniform materials and cardigans are now available in the store. Parents are to contact the store officer for more information.

LIST OF BOOKS FOR 2020/2021 SESSION

The preparation of list of books for the 2020/2021 session is in progress and will be released on the school website soonest. Parents are enjoined to check the school's website from September 2020.

EXTERNAL EXAMINATIONS

(a) 2020 BASIC EDUCATION CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION (BECE)

The JS3 students have been in school as directed by the Federal Government of Nigeria (FGN) to prepare for the 2020 BECE. The preparation has been very encouraging and the students are fully ready to sit the 2020 BECE. The BECE will commence on Monday, 24 August 2020. Students are enjoined to collect the examination time-table from their Form Supervisor. The time-table will be given to each student on Monday, 17th August, 2020.

(b) WEST AFRICAN SENIOR SECONDARY CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION - WASSCE

Also, the SS3 students have been in school as directed by the FGN to prepare for the 2020 WASSCE. The preparation has been successfully concluded and our students are fully ready to sit the WASSCE Examination. Parents and guardians are enjoined to provide enabling environment for their wards to record outstanding performance. Each student has received a copy of the examination time-table. Students are advised to note the date of their examination on the WAEC time-table and attend. Management wishes all JS3 and SS3 student success in their examinations.

Thank you and God bless

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