

**THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN
NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS
FIRST TERM 202/23 ACADEMIC SESSION
16TH DECEMBER, 2022**

Appreciation

Today, Friday, 16th December, 2022, marks the end of the First Term (2022/23 session). We thank the Almighty for His grace and protection over us throughout the term. We also appreciate the cooperation of our parents/guardians and we pray God continue to bless them.

End-of-Term Package

The package given to each student includes:

- i. End-of-Term Report Sheet;
- ii. Marked Examination Scripts; and
- iii. Newsletter to Parents/Guardians.

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.

JSS1 Students

Parents/Guardians of this category of students, particularly day students, are advised to create time for their children/wards and ensure their notebooks are thoroughly checked each day when they return from school. The students also need to be guided in doing their assignments, and turning in same on time. The JSS1 students, not too long ago, were admitted into the secondary school and still need a lot of supervision to excel in their academics. This task should not be left to the School alone. Therefore, the home needs to be alive to this duty/responsibility, to complement the effort of the School in the developmental progress of the students.

UTME Coaching

UTME Coaching will commence on 16th January, 2023. Parents/Guardians are advised to encourage their children/wards to join immediately and be punctual as the preparation period is short. Subjects available include Mathematics, English Language, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Government, Economics, CRS and Literature-in-English. **The coaching fee is ₦5,000.00 per subject.** This is to be **paid into ISI First Bank IGR account 2017816821**. Classes run from Monday to Friday between 4PM and 6PM. For further enquiries, contact Mr Olanihun on 08030738405.

Early Morning and Afternoon Classes for SS1, SS2 and SS3 Classes

Extension classes will continue upon resumption for the second term. Parents/Guardians and SS1 students are particularly enjoined to take note that these extension classes are a part of regular classes. Students who fail to attend may be at a disadvantage, since topics treated in these classes will not be repeated, except during revision classes. Hence, parents/guardians should please support this arrangement and ensure their children/wards attend these classes. Parents and students are enjoined not to relent because outstanding success is our collective target.

School Lesson

The school remains committed to seeing that all students perform well in their academics. Therefore, the school lesson will continue on the 16th January, 2023 for JSS1 to JSS3 students only. Subjects available include Mathematics, English Language, Basic Science, Basic Technology and Social Studies. The lesson fee is **₦15,000 only**. This is to be **paid into ISI First Bank IGR account 2017816821**. For further enquiries, contact Mr Olanihun on 08030738405. Classes run from Monday to Thursday between 3PM and 5PM.

Payment of School Fees

Parents/Guardians are to note the following:

- a. School fees for the second term (2022/23 session) are as follows:

JS1, JS2, SS1 and SS2: Staff: ₦70,000.00 Non-Staff: ₦90,000.00

These are to be paid into **ISI First Bank Account No. 2005514731**.

- b. Parents/Guardians of JSS3 students are reminded to complete payment for first, second and third terms on or before resumption. The details are as follows:

JSS3: Staff: ₦222,300.00; Non-staff: ₦282,300.00

SSS3: Staff: ₦231,800.00; Non-staff: ₦291,800.00

These are to be paid into **First Bank Account No. 2005514731**. You are also reminded of the ₦3,000.00 annual PTA levy which is to be paid into **First Bank Account 2005497814**.

- c. Boarding Form fees: **₦500.00** to be paid into First Bank Account No: **2017816821**
- d. Boarding Fee: **₦188,000.00** to be paid into **First Bank account 2002142106 OR Zenith Bank Boarding House account 1214084745**.
- e. Boarding Supervision Fee: **₦2,500.00** to be paid into **First Bank Account No. 2017593645**.

- f. Boarders Lesson Fee: **JSS (₦10,200.00); SSS (₦12,700.00)** to be paid into **First Bank Account No. 2017593645**.
- g. ICT Fee: **₦8,000.00** to be paid into **First Bank Account No. 2017816821**. This fee is optional and is meant to be paid by parents who want their children to be part of the extra tuition (tutorials) in programmes like Microsoft Word, Adobe, Dreamweaver, CorelDraw and so on.
- h. **Important Information on Payments:**
 - i. All duplicate **bank tellers** showing appropriate cash lodgement are to be brought to the School for the issuance of receipts. **Scanned copies or photocopies are not acceptable.**
 - ii. Printed teller slips are to be photocopied and both original and photocopy must be brought to the School for the issuance of receipts.
 - iii. Parents/Guardians interested in **online payment** can do so by using their bank mobile app or internet banking platform. For such payments, please ensure that the narration of payment includes the name and class of your child/ward and the purpose of the lodgement (e.g. Agaba Christy, JSS 2A; School fees; Adamu Saul, JSS 2B, Boarding Fees).
 - iv. Kindly note that we do not accept payments by USSD codes.

Note: All parents of students in JSS1 should note that the PTA levy was reviewed to ₦3,000.00 for the session at the in July, 2022. We appreciate those who have paid and encourage other parents to pay the outstanding ₦1,000.00. Thank you.

Information for SS3 Students and their Parents

2023 WASSCE capturing for our SS3 students is scheduled to hold between 19th and 21st December, 2022 for students in Ibadan and between 10th and 12th January, 2023 for boarder students who do not reside in Ibadan. All students must be neatly dressed in their uniform. Any student who misses the capturing exercise will automatically miss the forthcoming WASSCE.

Clubs and Society

The school has adopted a Project Execution Guide Book that would help students in executing various projects that may be needed to be done, arising from whatever they are taught during club activities. This will help in making clubs more effective and since each student belongs to a club or society in the school. It is therefore mandatory for each student to have a copy each of the book which costs three thousand naira (N3000) only. This is to be **paid into ISI First Bank IGR account 2017816821**. The book, "Workteck", is available at the school bookshop. For inquiries, contact the VP (junior school) on 08023268709.

2023/2024 Entrance Examination

This is to inform prospective candidates (**WHO MUST BE 10 YEARS OLD BY 31 DECEMBER, 2023**) seeking admission to JSS1 in The International School, University of Ibadan, Ibadan that the sale of entrance examination form would commence on Monday, 19 December, 2022.

Method of Application

Admission forms are obtainable online at the school admissions portal (www.admissions.isi.ui.edu.ng) as follows:

- a. Select the appropriate button (O-Level Admission) to proceed to the payment page;
- b. Make a payment of non-refundable application fee of N10,000.00 with a service charge of N500;
- c. Enter the student's details and click pay;
- d. Proceed to the online payment provider (PAYSTACK);
- e. Select the payment channel you want (Credit/Debit Cards or cash at bank) and follow with other steps to complete your payment;
- f. After the payment click (CLICK HERE TO PROCEED TO APPLICATION FORM);
- g. Log in with your e-mail address as username and password provided on the PAYMENT STATUS PAGE; and
- h. Complete the application form on-line and print two copies of the submitted application forms;
- i. Parents should keep a copy and the second copy should be brought to the examination centre by the candidate as entry ticket into the examination hall.

Requirements

- Candidates must provide a functional e-mail;
- Candidates must not be less than 10 years by 31 December, 2023.

Application fee: N10,000.00 with a service charge of N500

Examination date:

- **ABUJA:** Saturday 22 April, 2023
- **LAGOS:** Saturday 22 April, 2023
- **IBADAN:** Saturday 22 April, 2023

Application closing date: Friday 21 April. 2023

Examination venues:

- **ABUJA:** ChamCity CBT Centre, Suite BO2, Statement House, Plot 1002, First Avenue by Federal High Court, Central Business District Abuja (Opposite Adamawa House).
- **LAGOS:** Speedwriting House, 16, Ajanaku Street, Off Salvation Bus Stop, Awuse Estate, Opebi, Ikeja, Lagos.
- **IBADAN:** University of Ibadan Distance Learning CBT Centre, Ajibode, Sasa Road, Off U.I., Ojoo, Ibadan.

Time: 9AM

For more details please contact: 08038542670; 08023268709; 08033951775

NOTE:

- Hardcopies of past questions are also available in the school for interested candidates at the rate of ₦2000:00 only.

Candidates with double registration shall be disqualified.

Student's Dress Code

Few of our students still come to school in uniforms and house wears they have outgrown. We have been sending such students home (day students) while boarders are not allowed in classes until parents/guardians make replacements. Girls' **gowns should not be tight-fitting** and should cover their knees while boys' shorts should be in the range of the knee cap. Senior boys are **not permitted** to come to school in jeans or tightly-sewn trousers otherwise known as 'pencil'. The recommended colour of shoes is black; **no other colour is allowed**. The sole of shoes should be black as well. **Only white or black pairs of socks are allowed. Ankle socks are not allowed**. Shoes should be flat and not high-heeled. Boots are not allowed. Shoes and socks that do not conform to the school rules and regulations will be confiscated. Boys' haircut should be **very low and even and girls on afro must have their haircut even**. Other styles of haircut apart from this are not allowed in the School.

Electronic Gadgets in School

In spite of repeated warnings to our students to desist from bringing electronic gadgets such as phones, tablets, laptop computers and so on to school, a handful of our students still bring them. This is a reminder to parents that the School will not return any seized gadget. The seized items will be donated during charity programme to the less privileged.

Cambridge 'A' Level Programme

The Cambridge 'A' Level programme is on course. Admission is available for candidates with a minimum of five combinable 'O' Level credits (including English Language and Mathematics) and a minimum of C6 in each of the candidate's combinable subjects. For more details, contact F.O. Oluwatope on 08069280164 or 08055060216.

International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)

The IGCSE classes will continue in January, 2023. Interested students in SSS2 should plan to register for the forthcoming May/June diet. Deadline for registration is 27 January, 2023. Parents who desire to avail their wards of this opportunity are to call Mr. E.T. Ayodele on 08055471527 or Dr Ariyo on 08059134762 for further enquiries.

Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)

Registration for SAT has commenced and classes are ongoing. Interested students should plan to register for the forthcoming March diet. Deadline for registration is 27 January, 2023. Interested parents are to contact Mr. K.O. Ishola on 08023113822 or Mr. E.T. Ayodele on 08055471527.

Donations

1. The Chairperson, ISI Board of Governors, Professor Aderonke Baiyeroju, donated a trophy which was presented at the Inter-House sports competition to:
 - a. Overall Best Athlete

b. Best House in March-past

2. An ex-ISI student, Mr Femi Fabowale, donated N20,000.00 to the school in November.

ISI appreciates these donations and encourages all stakeholders to be actively involved in ensuring the smooth running of the school.

Honour/Award

1. An ISI student, **Adeshina James (SS3E)**, represented ISI in the 2022 Amb. Aduke Alakija Memorial Art and Essay Competition. Among the over 1,000 entries, Adeshina James was the overall winner in the senior category. As a reward, he was given a certificate and a token of N150,000.00.
2. Two ISI students, **Babatunde Aisha** and **Lai-Folorunsho Eniola (JSS3)** participated in a Spelling Bee organised by CLU organisation held at the Faculty of The Social Sciences, University of Ibadan. Our students took the 4th position among over 25 schools.

ISI celebrates these students and encourages every student to be fastidious with their studies.

Seminar/Workshop

ISI was invited to a Symposium: Contemporary Adolescent Challenges in the Face of Information Technology. ISI was represented by two junior students and three senior school students accompanied by Mrs Damilola-Oluyemi. One of the participants is expected to share lessons learnt at the symposium with the school. This will be done on the assembly in January, 2023.

Important Dates

Vacation	-	Friday, 16th December, 2022
Resumption for 2 nd term	-	Tuesday, 10th January, 2023
Boarders resume	-	Sunday, 8th and Monday, 9th January, 2023
Day students resume	-	Tuesday, 10th January, 2023
Charity Walk	-	Saturday, 4th February, 2023
Mid-Term break	-	Friday, 17th and Monday, 20th February, 2023.

Conclusion

The principal and the school management wish to reassure all parents/guardians that we are fully committed to the realisation of the mission and vision of ISI. We wish our esteemed parents/guardians and students a prosperous 2023.

Thank you and God bless.

Signed

Akintunde, Y.

Principal