

**THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN
NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS
SECOND TERM 2023/24 ACADEMIC SESSION
28TH MARCH, 2024**

Introduction

We thank the Almighty for the grace to conclude this second term successfully. We also appreciate our parents/guardians for their continuous support and pray God continue to bless them. Note that students will collect their results and marked scripts of their subjects when they resume for the third term on Tuesday, 30th April, 2024.

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 be studious.

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 for teachers 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.

Holiday Extension Classes for JSS3 Students

All JSS3 students are expected to resume for extension classes on Monday, 15th April, 2024 till Friday, 28th April, 2024. Hostel facilities are available during this period. Any day student who desires to be in the hostel during this period is free to do so. However, a letter must be written to the principal to that effect. Such students will be contacted and given payment link upon the principal's approval.

For students in the boarding house, note that requisite boarding fee which would cover the extension period till **31st May, 2024** (when these students would be through with their NECO BECE) is **N109,500.00**. Payment should be made through our online payment portal. Supervision fee is N2,500.00 only.

Note: Every student must present the receipt of payment before he/she is admitted into the dormitory.

UTME Information for SSS3 Students and their Parents/Guardians

1. JAMB UTME is scheduled to hold between Friday, 19th April and Monday, 29th April, 2024. Hostel facilities will be available for interested SS3 students during this period. The boarding fee, which would cover from Tuesday, 16th April, 2024 till 15th July, 2024 is **₦215,000.00**. Payment should be made through our online payment portal. Boarders are expected to resume to the hostel on Tuesday, 16th April, 2024.
2. Students who would write NECO SSCE and would use the hostel facilities would be required to pay additional hostel fee. This will be calculated once 2024 NECO SSCE timetable is released and communicated to parents of students in this category.
3. There won't be extension classes for SS3 students due to UTME schedule. However, revision classes will commence immediately school resumes.

Information on 2024 WASSCE to SSS3 Students and their Parents/Guardians

2024 WASSCE timetable will be given to students as soon as WAEC releases it. All SS3 students are to note that they are required to **put on a pair of black or brown sandals for their external examinations. Socks are not to be worn. Also, slippers, flip-flops and 'crops' are not allowed. Females are not allowed to add any form of attachment to their hair.**

Payment of School Fees

Parents/Guardians are to note the following:

- a. School fees for the third term (2023/24 session) are as follows:
JS1, JS2, SS1 and SS2: Staff: ₦67,500.00 Non-Staff: ₦87,500.00
- b. Boarding Fee: **₦215,000.00**
- c. ICT Fee: **₦8,000.00**. 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.
- d. Day students lesson fee: **₦15,000.00**
Note: Payments in a – d (above) must be made through our online payment portal.
- 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**.

Important Information on Third Term Payment of Fees

We appreciate our esteemed parents for your support in ensuring that we migrated successfully to the new payment portal. We also appreciate your feedback and we are committed to serving you better. Kindly note the following:

1. JS1, JS2, SS1 and SS2 fees must be paid through **isi.ui.edu.ng**. The steps for these payments are stated herein:
 - a. Log on to the ISI site (isi.ui.edu.ng) and click on payment.
 - b. Enter your username (i.e., your child's admission number) and enter the default password (1234). You would be required to change your default password immediately (students' admission number had been forwarded to parents' Whatsapp platforms).
 - c. Log in again and you will be directed to the dashboard.
 - d. Click on the payment you intend to make (e.g. school fee or boarding fee)

- e. Click on submit. You will be redirected to REMITA where you will select your option of payment.
- f. Provide necessary details, submit, confirm if payment is successful and generate receipt.

NOTE: If your payment option in (e) is bank branch, you will be given RRR (Remita Retrieval Reference) which will be used to make payment at the bank. After payment, go back to your dashboard, click on confirm payment, enter the RRR and click on submit. Confirm the payment and generate your receipt.

All parents are encouraged to adhere to this new mode of payment. For further enquiries, contact 08038092058 or 08038542670 between 8AM and 3PM (Monday to Friday).

2023/24 Entrance Examination Admission

The International School, University of Ibadan entrance admission forms into JSS1 (for 2023/24 academic session) are available for eligible candidates. The examination date at the three venues (Lagos, Abuja and Ibadan) is **Saturday, 4th May, 2024**. More information on the admission and method of application are on the school admissions portal (www.admissions.isi.ui.edu.ng). Deadline for application is Friday, 3rd May, 2024. For enquiries, contact 08033951775 or 08038542670.

Early Morning and Afternoon Classes for Senior School Students

Extension classes for senior school students will continue next term. We appeal to parents/guardians to support this arrangement by ensuring their children/wards attend these classes as they are a part of regular classes and topics treated will not be repeated, except during revision classes. Parents and students are enjoined not to relent because outstanding success is our collective target.

Information on ISI School Lesson

The school remains committed to seeing that all students perform well in their academics. Therefore, the school lesson will continue on the 6th May, 2024 for JSS1 to JSS3 students. Subjects available include Mathematics, English Language, Basic Science, Basic Technology and Social Studies. The lesson fee is **₦15,000 only**. Classes run from Monday to Thursday between 3PM and 5PM. For further enquiries, contact Mr Olanihun on 08030738405.

Student's Dress Code

As a matter of necessity, parents should note that 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 and 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

Parents/Guardians are reminded that students are not allowed to use electronic gadgets such as phones, tablets, and laptop computers in the school. Any electronic gadget seized will not be returned and the seized item 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 Mr. K. O. Ishola on 08023113822 or visit admissions.isi.ui.edu.ng

International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)

The IGCSE classes will continue after the mid-term break. Interested students should take note of this. 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 and classes for SAT are on-going. Interested parents are to contact Mr. K.O. Ishola on 08023113822 or Mr. E.T. Ayodele on 08055471527.

Donations

- i. The four Yolo brothers (Jimi, Akin, Ayo and Seyi) who graduated from ISI in 1977, 1979, 1980 and 1985 respectively presented 14 basketball jerseys, 10 Basketballs and 2 Basketball nets to the school.
- ii. Three ISI parents (Mr and Mrs Ahmed Zubair; Mrs Emem Ishie and Mrs Patience Ndidiamaka Ezech) donated sets of Jerseys to our Basketball team.

Competitions

- A few of students participated in the African Olympiad Competition and performed exceptionally. The awardees in the competition include Lawal Abdullah (Silver medal), Akinwaare Tumininu (Bronze medal), Olatunji Oluwatobilola (Gold medal), Sunday Adeseke (Gold medal), Omotoso Excel (Silver medal), Sunday Ademoyewa (Bronze medal), Afolabi Aanuoluwapo (Bronze medal) and Olagunju Praise (Bronze medal). All our medalists were given certificates and the gold medalists were given N100,000.00 each.
- In the Waheed Gbolahan Inter-Secondary Schools competition organised by JCI on the theme: *Entrepreneurship and Innovation towards Sustainable Development Goals*, ISI, represented by Ojo Joshua (SS3E) and Ajayi Toluwanimi (SS3E) participated and won the 1st runner-up position. The school was given a plaque while the students were given N70,000.00 cash award.

Important Dates

Vacation	-	Thursday, 28th March, 2024
Extension for JS3 Students	-	Monday, 15th April, 2024 – Friday, 26th April, 2024
UTME for SS3 Students	-	Friday, 19th April, 2024 – Monday, 29th April, 2024
Resumption for Third Term	-	Tuesday, 30th April, 2024
Boarders Resume	-	Sunday, 28th April and Monday, 29th April, 2024
Day Students Resume	-	Tuesday, 30th April, 2024
Entrance Examination	-	Saturday, 4th May, 2024

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.

Thank you and God bless.

Signed
Y. Akintunde
Principal