

SPECIAL APPRECIATION

Dear Esteemed Parents/Guardians,

On behalf of the College Management, Staff, and Students, we sincerely appreciate the Almighty for His guidance and support, which has been vital to our success this term. We also extend our deep gratitude to our esteemed parents and guardians for their continued support, cooperation, and commitment. As we reflect on the term's journey, we are pleased to present a recap of the significant events that defined it.

A GLIMPSE INTO SECOND TERM'S ACTIVITIES

TC GENIUS GRADING PROGRAMME

As part of its continuous efforts to acknowledge and promote academic excellence amongst the student populace, the College management recognized and appreciated five (5) students, who distinguished themselves during the periodic academic grading exercise this term. The celebrated TC geniuses were:

Olufemi-Ojo Afopefoluwa of JS1,

Odunsi Ireoluwa of JS2,

Olufemi-Ojo Amooreoluwa of JS3,

Ayodele Roheemot of SS1,

Somide Darasimi of SS2, whom all emerged as the **overall best student performers** across their respective classes.



Additionally, the **overall best student performers** in various departments (Science, Humanities & Business) at the senior category (SS1 & 2) were also acknowledged and celebrated.

However, the College Management no doubt, proudly celebrates their accomplishments as it further pledges her unalloyed commitment to nurturing academic excellence amongst the student populace.

PROMOTING GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP THROUGH CULTURAL EDUCATION: A UNESCO INITIATIVE

On Wednesday, 29th January, 2025, the IACIU, a Category II institute of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) led by the Director of the Institute, Professor Emeritus Peter Okebukola organized a workshop tagged: *"Promoting Global Citizenship through Cultural Education advocated that cultural education"* held at the Dayo Dedeke Music Studio.

Okebukola, during the workshop, advocated that cultural education is significant in promoting cross-cultural understanding, empathy and global citizenship.

He also noted that the workshop is aimed at empowering young minds with the knowledge, skills and attitude necessary to navigate an increasingly complex and interconnected world.



The Director highlighted & reiterated one of the core responsibilities of IACIU which is propagating, promoting and protecting the diversity of cultural expressions, as enshrined in the UNESCO 2005 Convention, which states that cultures are equal and no particular culture should be super-imposed on the other.

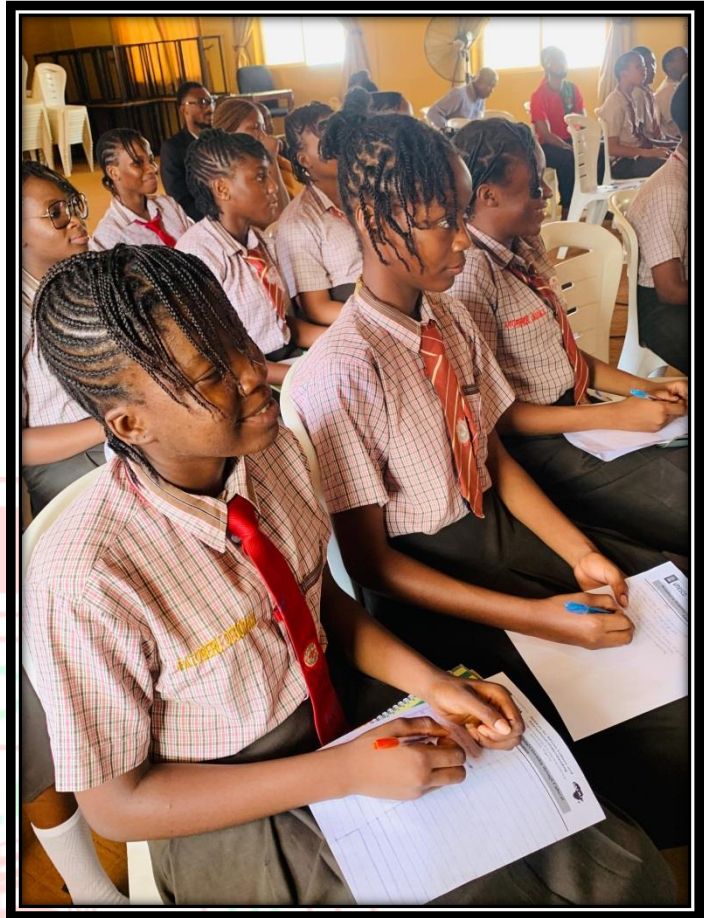
The facilitators interacted with the audience, providing insights and answering questions on the topic. The participants were also encouraged to

share their own experiences and perspectives on cultural diversity and global citizenship.

At the end of the workshop, participants commended IACIU for organizing the event, praising the institute's efforts to promote cultural education and global citizenship.

The workshop was adjudged to be a resounding success, with participants expressing gratitude for the opportunity to engage with the topic and called for more initiatives of this nature to further promote the urgent need to protect the diversity of cultural expressions and Africa's rich and diverse cultural heritage through cultural education.

Convener of the event, who is also the Senior Programme Advisor at the institute, Ambassador Adebola Labiran, assured the participants that the institute was committed to promoting cultural education and fostering global citizenship through its programmes and activities.



Adebola informed the audience that recommendations that will emerge from the event will be packaged and forwarded to the relevant government authorities and cultural organizations across the country to enable cultural stakeholders come up with actionable and workable policies that will eventually develop global citizenry.

At the end of the event, the college management was issued an

award of appreciation while the student participants were issued certificates of participation.

SS3 ORIENTATION/SENSITIZATION SEMINAR: BEYOND BORDERS '25

On Saturday, 1st February, 2025, the SS3 Orientation/Sensitization Seminar, Beyond Borders '25, was held at the Oba Adedapo Tejuoso Auditorium. The program which was aimed at educating terminal class students on the necessary procedures for a seamless transition into higher education, both locally and internationally had in attendance various university representatives, Public Relations Officer, Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (Jamb), parents & staff



members of the college.

The event, anchored by the Admissions Officer, began with an opening prayer led by the Chapel Prefect, followed by the recognition of university representatives in attendance. The Student



Affairs Officer then delivered a welcome address, setting the stage for insightful presentations by representatives from various universities, including Thomas Adewunmi University, Aletheia University, Chrisland University, Redeemer's University, FUNAAB, Dominican University, Southwestern University, Broad Concept International in collaboration with Study Line Consultancy and the representative from the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB).

Following the presentations, the Director addressed parents on essential steps to support their ward's transition to higher education, emphasizing the importance of academic diligence in preparation for upcoming external and terminal examinations.



The seminar concluded with a vote of thanks from the General Head of Academics, and a closing prayer by the PTA Treasurer.

Beyond Borders '25 proved to be an enlightening and impactful session, equipping students and parents with valuable insights for the next phase of academic pursuit.

TREE PLANTING EXERCISE AT THE COLLEGE COURTESY NIGERIAN SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS (NSE), ABEOKUTA BRANCH



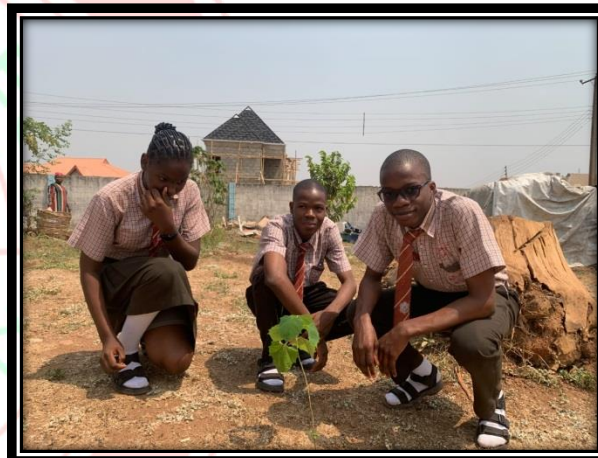
As part of the activities lined up for the 2025 Engineering Week of the Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE), Abeokuta Branch, the College on Tuesday, 4th February 2025, welcomed representatives from the Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE), Abeokuta, for a special Tree Planting Exercise.

The college was selected as a beneficiary of this

initiative in recognition of its outstanding performance in the recently concluded "Engineering & You" Quiz Competition. This exercise was aimed at promoting environmental sustainability and educating students on the importance of a greener and healthier ecosystem.

During the event, NSE representatives engaged students in discussions on the benefits of tree planting, emphasizing its role in combating climate change, reducing carbon footprints, and enhancing biodiversity.

Gmelina arborea trees were planted across strategic locations within the school premises, symbolizing a commitment to environmental responsibility and sustainable development.

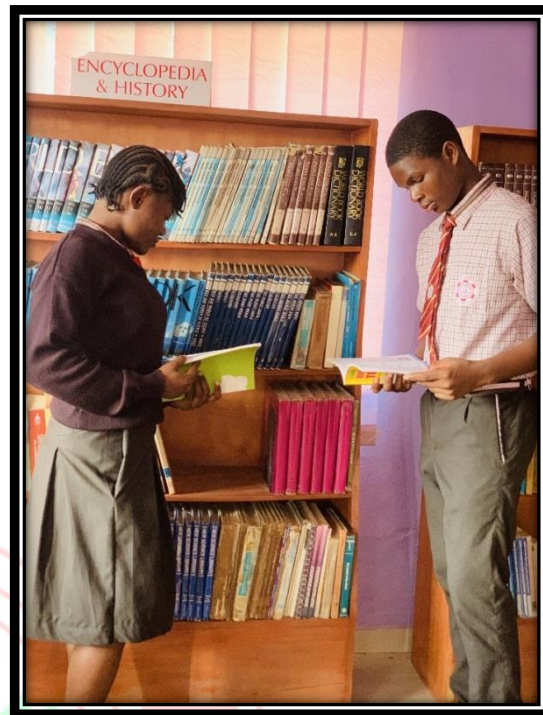


The college management expressed gratitude to the NSE for the gesture, affirming that the initiative aligns with the institution's vision of fostering environmental consciousness among students. The event concluded with a pledge by the students to nurture the newly planted trees and advocate for more green initiatives within the school community.

The tree planting exercise stands as a reminder of the collective effort needed to protect and preserve the environment for future generations.

NURTURING MATHEMATICS GENIUS VIA MATHEMATICS CLINIC & MATHEMATICS ALERT

Over the past two years, the college management by way of policy has been bridging the gap in STEM education through the Mathematics Clinic, an initiative similar to an intervention class, but which places emphasis on the knowledge and application of Mathematics. The responses of the learners to the initiative has been encouraging and tutors in the Department of Mathematics and Computer Studies of the college have been extolled to raise the bar by grouping students according to their different areas of challenge in Mathematics related topics and concepts to help them improve on the subject.



COMPETITIONS ATTENDED

- ✓ Nigerian Society of Engineers in conjunction with Ogun state Television STEM/Quiz Competition:
 - The college emerged 1st Position represented by Alao Toluwani , Julius Shalom, Balogun Farhan, Olubode Hadazah, Lawal Fathiu
- ✓ Annual WAEC day Celebration,
 - Debate: The College emerged 3rd represented by Fatoberu Deborah and Onyima Richmond
- ✓ Alaba Lawson Literary and Debate Day:
 - Debate: 1st position represented by Fatoberu Deborah and Dada Omotolani
 - Quiz Competition: 2nd Position represented by Alao Toluwani and Julius Shalom
 - Poem Recitation: 1st position represented by Abijo Nifemi, Dada Omotolani, Bayewu Gladness and Babawale Joshua
- ✓ The First Word Empowerment Network CHESS Competition:
 - The college emerged 2nd Position represented by Adebayo Kolapo, Dan Ologe Eriayo, Balogun Damilola, Ganiu Muktar and Obafemi Iwaloye.
- ✓ Funaab International Secondary School Inter-House Sport Competition
 - Emerged 1st Position at the Male Category
 - Merged 3rd Positon at the Female Category.
 - Represented by Adejumo Ahmad, Mosobalaje Roqeeb, Ukatu Christantus, Adeyyanju Emmanuel, Lasisi Daniel, Ayorinde Jessica, Martins Elizabeth, Oluomo Mopelola, Ganiu Rofiat & Adebowale Samiat

UPCOMING EVENTS AND PROGRAMMES

RESUMPTION FOR THIRD TERM 2024/2025 ACADEMIC SESSION

All boarding students shall resume for the Third term 2024/2025 Academic session on **Sunday 27th April, 2025**, between 10:00am and 4:00pm while normal classes for all category of students will commence on **Monday 28th April, 2025**.

THIRD TERM (2024/2025 ACADEMIC SESSION) EXPECTATIONS

PAYMENT OF FEES

All parents/guardians should kindly note that payments can be made through the Point of Sale (POS) machines at the account office of the college for those who wish to come to the college premises with their credit cards and do necessary payments through the machine. For the benefit of parents/guardians who cannot come physically to the college premises, Internet Bank Transfer into the school accounts can be explored.



Meanwhile, Parents/Guardians are enjoined to pay the School fees of their ward(s) on or before the resumption dates for second term (**Sunday 27th April and Monday 28th April, 2025 for boarders and day students respectively**). Kindly check the school fees breakdown in the school bill as attached and pay accordingly to the designated bank. N:B:- Parents/Guardians are to please take note that they are expected to use the **NAME & CLASS** of their ward(s) as narration for all forms of payment, as evidence of payment should be forwarded to the **Accounts Department** via WhatsApp through **09034016867** for confirmation and financial clearance.

Please note: Financial clearance issuance is premised on the confirmation of full payment.

UPCOMING 2025 CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

We are excited to inform you about our upcoming Children's Day Celebration, a cherished tradition in the institution. This year's event promises to be even more exciting, with a variety of thrilling activities lined up for the students.

Some of the highlights of the day include:

- A special appearance by a renowned comedian/actor
- Engaging and fun-filled games
- An exciting movie time-out

- A sumptuous three-course meal
- And many more surprises!

Kindly find below the details of the event:

EVENT DETAILS:

Date: TUESDAY, 27TH MAY, 2025

Participation Fee: ₦25,500 per student

Account Name: BROAD CONCEPT INTL

Bank Name: MONIEPOINT

Account Number: 5978176978

Deadline for Payment: TUESDAY, 20TH MAY, 2025

To ensure a well-planned and enjoyable event, we encourage interested parents/guardians to effect payments on or before the deadline to facilitate seamless planning. Parents/ Guardians are to please take note that they are expected to use the **FULL NAME & CLASS** of their ward(s) as narration for the payment while evidence of payment is forwarded to the **Accounts Department** via WhatsApp through **09034016867** for confirmation and financial clearance.

We sincerely appreciate your continuous support and cooperation, and we look forward to celebrating this special day with your children.

IMPORTANT NOTIFICATIONS

1. DISCONTINUATION OF THE ALTERNATIVE BANK POCKET PAL ACCOUNT INITIATIVE/ INTRODUCTION OF A NEW POCKET MONEY STRUCTURE

Recall that in September 2024, the college management introduced the Alternative Bank Pocket Pal Account initiative to enhance the efficiency of pocket money operations within the institution, particularly for boarding students. The initiative was designed to provide a seamless system for students to access their funds and enable parents to track their ward(s)' spending amongst other crucial reasons.

However, since its inception, the college has encountered persistent challenges that contradict the intended benefits of the initiative. These challenges include excessive ATM Card processing charges, exorbitant POS transaction fees at the Tuck Shop, delays in card production, and other operational inefficiencies. Despite several engagements with the bank to resolve these issues, they have remained unresolved, leading to disruptions in the smooth operation of the initiative.

In view of these challenges and after a thorough review, the college management has decided to discontinue the Alternative Bank Pocket Pal Account initiative with immediate effect. As an alternative, the college has introduced a new structure where students will use branded paper money and pocket money cards for all purchases at the Tuck Shop. Under this new system,

each student from JS1 to SS3 will receive a maximum amount of ₦3,000 per week, which will be issued by the account department of the college.

Henceforth, parents are to take note that all subsequent pocket money payments for their ward(s) should not be effected into the Alternative Bank account or the college's UBA account but should be made exclusively to the **GTBank account** details provided below.

Bank: GTBank

Account Name: Taidob Educational Services

Account Number: 0032827027

Parents and guardians who wish to collect their ward's ATM card for personal or alternative use should kindly visit the accounts department, as the account remains valid like any other commercial bank account. For any enquiries regarding the alternative bank account or ATM cards, please contact *Mrs. Williams* via 08036499857.

The College Management sincerely apologize for any inconveniences this transition may cause and appreciates your continued support and understanding as we strive to improve our financial management system in the interest of our parents and students.

2. RESULTS CHECKING

All parents/guardians are to note that the academic result of their ward(s) can be accessed via the College website. Kindly follow the procedures below:

- Log on to www.taidobcollege.org
- Click on Menu.
- Locate and click on portal Icon.
- Input Email address and Password.
- Click on View Result.

3. SCHOOL UNIFORM

Parents/guardians are to ensure the replacement of worn out uniforms of their wards as some students have been observed to be using either torn or non-customized school cardigan, sportswear, trousers/skirt and stockings. At TAIDOB, appearance matters a lot, it commands respect and dignity. Parents/guardians are therefore advised to make their wards wear only the approved and appropriate uniform. Non-compliance by any student will be frowned at by the school authority during the upcoming term.

4. DEPOSIT OF ITEMS AT THE SECURITY CHECK POINT BY PARENTS

Parents/guardians are to note that only essential items (e.g. table/sachet water and educational materials such as textbooks, calculator etc.) will be accepted by the college's

security men at the security check point and must be deposited between 9:00am and 5:00pm with such items being properly tagged in the child's name for easy identification. Please note that while cooked food will not be accepted at all, provisions and other edible items would not be accepted from parents by the college's security men for use of boarding students on an intermittent basis. We therefore enjoin parents/guardians to provide the items needed by their wards in reasonable and sufficient quantities either at the beginning of the term, during visiting days or during the half term break.

5. SECURITY CLEARANCE CARD

Unless the Lord watches over a city, the watchman stays awake in vain. The security situation in Nigeria continues to be a significant concern for its citizens. As such, parents and guardians are encouraged to provide proper orientation, enlightenment, and guidance to their wards on the importance of being security-conscious.

To ensure the safety of everyone, the college management has implemented several measures, including the mandatory use of the Security Exit Card by all parents and guardians (boarding and day students) when visiting the college. This applies during visiting days, resumption days, or any other official events requiring their presence for picking up or returning their wards.

We kindly urge all parents to adhere to the security guidelines outlined by the college's security committee. Your cooperation is vital in maintaining a secure environment for everyone.

6. ARBITRARY REQUEST FOR PERMISSION BY PARENTS AFTER EXAMINATION

We wish to inform our Parents that the College Management will no longer accept arbitrary request for Permission by parents to release their wards after School Examinations. This is because students will still be engaged with series of Academic activities even after their Examinations. We expect that parents cooperate with the School Management in this regard.

7. BROAD CONCEPT INTERNATIONAL AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP HUB

The college is still committed to producing entrepreneurs of international standard who will constantly add value to the community wherever they find themselves.

In view of this, Parents/guardians are to take note that:

- All TAIDOB students must be part of the entrepreneurship programme at the BROAD CONCEPT HUB.
- All students must write the entrepreneurship exams and have the result reflect in their General Report Card.
- All Students must possess the Entrepreneurship Training Manual, Kit & Training wear.

However, for a hitch free training programme in the next academic term, parents and guardians are to take note that:

TOOL KIT

The relevance of having a tool kit to the effective realization of the goal of training cannot be overemphasized. It has been observed that a few students are yet to procure their training kits and this has affected the rate at which they learn as practice they say makes perfection. It is only when a trainee has personal material with which he/she can practice whatever he/she has been taught that learning becomes permanent. We therefore implore all parents to procure the required kits for their wards.

TERMLY TRAINING FEE IN ROBOTICS & ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND CATERING & CONFECTIONERIES

Students undergoing training in Robotics & Artificial Intelligence and Catering & Confectioneries are by policy of the institute expected to pay a subsidized termly training fee of N20, 000 and N6, 000 respectively. This is owing to humongous amount required for setting up and getting professional trainers in the field. It is our interest that any student who subscribes to this programme does not miss out at any point on the account of default to meet the financial commitment. To this end, parents are implored to make payment for their wards' training fee in earnest as only those with evidence of payment will be allowed into the unit.

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES OFFERED AT BROAD CONCEPT

Parents/guardians who are interested in taking advantage of the following foreign education/international programmes offered at Broad Concept Hub are to avail themselves of this opportunity. The programmes are listed below:

- International English Language Testing System (IELTS)
- Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)

INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS PROGRAMMES

Parents and guardians interested in having their wards study abroad can take advantage of the International Admissions Programme offered by Broad Concept Hub. In partnership with Study Line, this initiative simplifies the process of studying overseas, with access to various scholarship opportunities. For more enquiries, please visit the Administrative Office of the Hub or contact us at **09135822618**.

8. ILLICIT ACTS ON SOCIAL MEDIA

It has been observed that students are engaging in illicit affairs via the social media platforms on the mobile phones made available to them by their parents. In order to curb this, the Management is advising parents to withdraw access to all forms of communication gadgets at home. Any student found on any of the social media platforms e.g. Instagram, Tik-Tok, Messenger, Facebook, X, WhatsApp etc. will be seriously dealt with. Parents are advised to ensure strict compliance in respect to this.

9. BED SPREAD

The usage of customized bedspread is compulsory for all boarding students. The College has made provision for this and parents are enjoined to purchase for their children, as no students will be allowed to use non-customized bed spreads henceforth.

10. WILLFUL DAMAGE OF ASSET

The management has observed with concern the willful damage of school assets by some students. Henceforth, any student found responsible for such damages will be surcharged, and the payment must be made into the school's account before the term's vacation.

Please note that students who fail to comply will have their report cards withheld. We appreciate your cooperation in maintaining the integrity of our school environment.

11. WITHDRAWAL OF WARD FROM THE COLLEGE

In as much as we cannot dictate to any parent on his/her choice to withdraw his/her ward from the College, we strongly frown at arbitrary withdrawal of students from the College as it adversely affects our plans and programs against a new term or session.

In view of this, parents/guardians wishing to withdraw their children/wards from the College must forward a term's notice (three months) in writing to the Management. A penal fee of N15,000.00 per student is to be paid in lieu of notice in the event of default. Parent/guardians whose wards are in their terminal classes (JS3 and SS3) should note that this information also applies to them.

12. CHANGE OF WARDS FROM DAY TO BOARDING AND VICE-VERSA

This is to remind all Parents/Guardians that students registered as day or boarding students are not allowed to change their status until the end of the session. This is to allow for effective planning and implementation.

However, any Parent/guardian, who in the course of the session, has to change his/her ward(s') status especially from Boarding to Day will still have to continue to pay his/her ward's School fees as a boarder till the end of the session. Please be informed.

13. BARBING IN THE HOSTEL

Consequently, the College Management has approved for every parent to come with clipper on visiting days for his or her child/children to have their haircut.

Note: All students should barb a uniformly low cut hairstyle as other forms of hairstyle will not be allowed by the College Management.

14. PHONE AND WHATSAPP NUMBERS

Parents who are not receiving text messages or WhatsApp broadcasts of the College are advised to forward their correct phone and WhatsApp numbers to the Student Affairs Office line via **081 33959245** and ensure that they save the line on their phone for the receipt of our regular WhatsApp broadcast.

15. DECENTRALISATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE WORKING HOURS

i. For administrative convenience, parents/guardians should kindly take note that the administrative structure of the college has been decentralized; all matters related to the under listed units/departments should be directed to the appropriate quarters/channel using the telephone lines as follows:

07077865345	Human Resource Office
08105533560	Admissions Office
09034016867	Account office
08066022735	Exams & Records Office
08133959245	Student Affairs Office
09063353512	Academics Matters
Email	enquiries@taidobcollege.org

Parents are advised not to cooperate with the administrative heads and staff assigned by the college management to attend to the peculiarities of the issues they have at hand from the above department and take guidance adequately from them upon physical visitation to the college.

ii **Call Centre Hot Lines**

Parents/guardians can reach their children/wards through our accredited call centre numbers during the break time (12:00pm-12:30pm for junior school and 1:05pm - 1:40pm for senior school) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and on 1st, 2nd and 3rd Saturdays (within the hours of 4:30pm to 5:55pm) of the month on any of the following lines:

08164819236, 08165603120, 08120011481, 08101523612, 08104983854

Finally, it feels great working with every parent/guardian and other stakeholders that have made the outgoing term a wonderful and fruitful one for us as an organization. I, on behalf of the College Management wish all our loving parents and guardians a wonderful time.

Thank you.

Fajinmolu O. (Mr.)
Human Resource Manager
For: College Management

**THE ACADEMIC CALANDER /TERM DATES FOR THIRD TERM
(2024/ 2025 ACADEMIC SESSION)**

ACTIVITIES		TERM DATES	DURATION
Beginning of First Half of Third Term			
01.	Resumption Date for boarding students	Sunday 27th, April 2025 : 11:00am - 4:00pm.	
02.	Resumption Date for Day Students	Monday 28th, April 2025.	1st Week
03.	Workers' Day	Thursday 1st May, 2025	2nd Week
04.	First Periodic Test for the Term	Monday 12th - Friday 16th May, 2025	3rd Week
05.	First Visiting day Programme for Boarding	Saturday 24th May, 2025.	4th Week

	Students		
06.	Children's Day Celebration	Tuesday 27th May, 2025	5th Week
07.	First Mathematics Alert Examination	Friday, 30th May, 2025.	5th Week
08.	Second Periodic Test for the Term	Monday 2nd - Friday 6th June, 2025	6th Week
09.	Eid-El-Kabir Holiday	Monday & Tuesday 9th & 10th June, 2025	7th Week
10.	Democracy Day	Thursday 12th June, 2025	7th Week
Beginning of Second Half of Third Term			
11.	Mid- Term Resumption Date for boarding students	Sunday 15th, June 2025: 11:00am - 4:00pm.	8th Week
12.	Resumption Date (Day Students)	Monday 16th, June 2025	
13.	Second Batch Entrance Examination	Saturday 21st June, 2025	
14.	Basic Education Certificate Examination (BECE) Begins	Monday 23rd June, 2025	
15.	Third Periodic Test for the Term	Monday 23rd June 2025 - Friday 27th June, 2025	9th Week
16.			10th Week

	The P.T.A meeting for the term	Saturday, 5th July, 2025: 10am - 1:00pm	
17.	Second Visiting day Programme for Boarding Students	Saturday, 5th July, 2025: 1pm - 4:00pm	10th Week
18.	Third Term Examination	Monday, 7th July, 2025 - Tuesday, 15th July, 2025	10th & 11th Week
19.	Third Term Vacation	Thursday 24th July, 2024	13th Week

