



MERCYLAND INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

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FIRST HALF OF THIRD TERM 2013/2014 SESSION

NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Gradually, we are coming to the end of yet another academic year in the school and we are thankful to God for all His goodness. We are also grateful to you, our dear Parent/Guardian for your continuous support. Our sincere prayer is that you will not labour in vain. May the Lord grant you long and healthy life to enjoy the good fruits of your labour.

Academics : This half term was quite a busy one for us. We had effective teaching and learning process in all classes. SS3 students took part in writing 2014 May/June WASSCE. We are strongly believing God for a good outcome. Our students also wrote CBT of UTME (JAMB) during the period. The result shows that 77.8% scored 200 and above in the examination while only 0.1% got less than 160. To God be the glory. Presently, our candidates (ss3) are taking part in the ongoing NECO SSCE.

2014 Children's day: This year's children's day (May 27) was well celebrated in the school. Though the tone of celebration was not as high as it would have been (because of the Chibok girls who are still held hostage), our children still had fun, displaying their talents and skills in various ways. Miss Ogundipe Funmi in SS1 emerged as Miss Mercyland 2014 while Akande Abdulahi won the Macho man contest. Our cultural troupe thrilled the audience (parents, guardians, students e.t.c.) with Ibibio songs and dance steps.

Discipline: We have continued to maintain a high moral tone in the school, thanks to the efforts of the teachers, students and our parents. Our students come to school each day neatly, properly dressed and punctually too. This is quite impressive and we want it to continue.

Mid-Term Break Excursion : The proposed excursion to Osun and Ekiti states has been put on hold after careful observation of the political and security atmosphere in the states in particular and the nation at large. We do not want to take chances concerning the security and well being of our students. We quite appreciate all parents who have shown interest for their children's participation. Meanwhile, the school has decided to organise a trip to Dubai this summer to compensate for the cancelled trip to Ekiti and Osun. However, the cost per child is Two Hundred and Eighty thousand naira (₦280, 000). For further enquiries, call 08035666867 or 08033287610

Entrance Examination : Our entrance examination for the second batch of candidates seeking admission into the school will hold on Saturday 21st June, 2014. From 10am. In the meantime, admission forms can be obtained in the school for ₦5,000.00.

Graduation Ceremony: Our graduation/valedictory service will hold on Thursday 24th July, 2014. Each ss3 student is to pay a sum of ₦35,000 while JSS3 students will pay ₦25,000 each. The dress code is

white suit, white tie and purple shirt for SSS3. While black suit with blue shirt and red tie is for JSS3 students. Any student who is not appropriately dressed will not join the academic procession of the day.

20th Anniversary: The 20th anniversary celebration of the school kicked off with the launching and wearing of specially branded t-shirts of the school by the staff on 27th May during the children's day. As arrangement for the activities is fine tuned, we will keep you informed.

Vacation Date: The school will close for the session on Friday, 25th July, 2014.

Summer school: Our summer school (holiday classes) will open on Monday, 4th August, 2014. Registration fee is ₦20, 000 per student. Hostel accommodation is available for ₦30,000. The lesson is compulsory for all ss2 students in the school.

2014 Nov./Dec. G.C.E. Examination: registration forms for Nov/Dec GCE examination is now on sale. Each candidate who wishes to register for the exam through the school is to pay a sum of ₦20, 000 which covers registration form, data capturing and logistics during the exam period. To avoid late registration and extra charges, the amount must reach the principal not later than 28th June, 2014.

School Fees: We appeal to parents who are yet to completely pay their children's fee for the term to kindly do so before we resume from this mid term break as debtors will not be allowed into classes from Tuesday, 17th June 2014 when the school reopens from this mid-term break. Thank you for your understanding.

IMPORTANT DATES/EVENTS:

Open – Day	--	Wednesday 11th June, 2014
Mid – Term Break	--	Friday and Monday 13th & 16th June, 2014
Resumption for Hostel Pupils	--	Monday 16th June, 2014
Resumption for Day Pupils	--	Tuesday 17th June, 2014
2014 Graduation Ceremony	--	Thursday 24th July, 2014.

Conclusion: Here is wishing all of us a happy mid term break.

Remain blessed.

Yours faithfully,

Pastor Eze M. I
Principal

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Admin. Officer (Personnel)