

CITA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



THANKSGIVING TERM 2023

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SESSION

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Welcome to CITA SCHOOL CALENDAR 2023/2024 THANKSGIVING TERM

Resumption from Summer Holiday

Monday 11th September, 2023

Instruction Period before Mid-term Break

Monday 11th September - Friday 27th October, 2023

Midterm Break

Friday 27th October – Monday 30th October, 2023

Thanksgiving Term Holiday

Monday 18th December, 2023 – Friday 5th
January, 2024

Closing

Friday 15th December, 2023

BUILDING ON A SURE FOUNDATION
(CITA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL THANKSGIVING TERM REPORT 2023)

From the HOD Primary

Welcome to a new academic session. It is great to have you all back as we are set to achieve our goals and targets through collaborative works with everyone (teachers, pupils and parents). All hands will be on deck, to be successful with our set-objectives.

School Attendance

It is of paramount importance that all pupils are always present and punctual in all the school's activities, as all academic and extra-curricular activities are geared towards building great and sound minds, for easy adaptation in any part of the world. Continuous absenteeism from school, weakens the child's academic performance and limits his/her possible progress on the set class targets. The class teacher should be informed about a pupil who would be absent from school by the parents beforehand.

Lessons commence at 8:00am prompt. Hence, the pupils should be seated at 7:50am, as this helps the pupils to be relaxed and ready for the day's work. Closing/pick-up time is 3:00pm for all classes.

Health

Any pupil who shows any sign of an ailment, no matter how mild and non-contagious, will not be allowed into the classroom. Overtime, we have observed that some very mild issues at some point, become emergencies that have the school's personnel scampering to the hospital. Thus, pupils who show any sign of an ailment should be kept at home, until it is appropriate for resumption.

Extra-Curricular Activities

In a bid to build the total child, there are extra-curricular activities in the school as a part of the strategies to improve learning and these activities are fun oriented and skill acquisition based. The clubs are: ballet, taekwondo, robotics (for Pry 4 & 5), the musical instruments (drum, violin, keyboard, guitar, and saxophone/trumpet) and media (sound engineering, photography and video coverage – for Pry 4 & 5).

Homework/Research/Projects

The E-school is one of the many means through which homework, research and projects will be occasionally sent. Parents, please alert the class teacher of any challenges faced during login. To this effect, the new parents are encouraged to pick up their login details for themselves and their children from the class teacher, while the old parents should ensure that their pages are still up and running.

Welcome back!

Okoro Ewomazino

FROM THE HOD NURSERY

Welcome back! We are excited to have you all back with us and to welcome the new pupils into the CITA family. It promises to be an astounding session.

Here are a few matters we would like you to pay attention to in order to help us achieve the goals for this session.

Attendance/drop off &pick up procedure

Daily drop off of pupils runs from 7:00a.m. to 7:45 a.m. Instructions begin at 8:00 am prompt. Admission into the school premises stops at 9:00 a.m. Closing time is 12:30 p.m.; pick-up commences immediately.

Kindly endeavour to call in case of any delay and other unforeseen events that may lead to arrival after 9:00 am. Please ensure that all your child's materials (bags, books, lunch bags, etc.) are given on drop-off.

Weekly confirmation booklets must be filled out and delegated person(s) introduced in person to the class teachers and security personnel at the gate. It is also important to inform us in advance if there are changes.

For appointments and Emergencies, parents are advised to keep their wards at home when they are booked for an appointment or ill. Extracting pupils within instruction periods is highly distracting; when possible appointments should be scheduled during breaks and holidays.

Personal grooming/dressing

Pupils are expected to be daily dressed in clean and appropriate uniforms. Female pupils are to plait or weave their hair with minimal use of extensions. No beads and coloured hair extensions, please. Boys are to have neatly done haircuts. Fingernails are to be trimmed and kept clean at all times.

Extracurricular activities

Activities for nursery pupils include:

- Musical instruments (drum, recorder, xylophone, piano, ukulele)
- Ballet dance classes

Further inquiry can be made at the Admin office.

Homework, e-learning, projects & explore activities.

Pupils are required to complete and submit their homework exercises both in hard copy and on the e-Learning platform, IXL and the Scholastic Learning Zone.

New parents are encouraged to pick up the login details for themselves and their children from the class teachers while old parents should ensure that their pages are still up and running.

Furthermore, pupils are to participate fully in class projects, group projects and explore activities. This forms part of their assessment.

We look forward to partnering with you once again.

Warm regards,

Ijeoma Igwe

FROM THE PROPRIETOR

Welcome back pupils, parents and teachers.

Please be informed that due to the economic situation in the country, there would be an increment in the following items;

- **Lunch; 1,000** per plate. Note that all payment should be made via transfer or POS at the Admin office.
- **CIPP**; due to a recent increase in charges from the British council (CIPP), fees will now be **175,000.00**. This will now be optional. However, if the minimum number of students required by the center is not met, we will have to decline.
- **School Fees**; please note that that there will be a slight increment in school fees from January 2024 (Easter term). Fees will now be **280,000.00** for toddler to primary five (5) and pre-toddler will be **285,000.00**, the special needs fee remains the same for now.

Thank you for your constant support.

