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LENT TERM 2018/2019 SESSION END OF TERM NEWS LETTER

On the first day of resumption only about 60 percent of our pupils were in school, we encourage parents to ensure that pupils come into school as the gates open for the beginning of a new term as it is in the culture in Beacon Light School, learning begins immediately.

We give God all the thanks that our pupils came back hale and hearty. So, as the term comes to a close there are a few things we would like to inform and remind you of:

Excursions

The following places were visited this term:

1. **Whispering Palms** by year one and two.
2. **Slave Trade Centre** by year three and four.
3. **Shodex Gardens** by Nursery one and two.

Pupils were not only educationally informed but entertained and we are sure you had your ears full.

Finally, primary five and six would leave on their field trip on Monday 15th of April @ 7:00am from the school premises. Pupils who do not get here on time will be left behind.

Nigeria Week

Thank you for your support it was a fantastic display of our culture, heritage and food from every class as we visited the four geo-political regions in Nigeria. We learnt about when the states were created, present leaders, former leaders, eminent personalities and their economic prowess, their capital and slogans. It was an event full week. It was possible because you were there for your children and us.

Medical

Auditory screenings were done this term; auditory screening is done for early detection and to assure parents of their children's hearing.

Pupils were given talks by the medical team from Medifield on how to take care of their ears. The result of the test is in the envelopes coming home.

Needy Day

Thank you for being a part of needy day. You are awesome givers and God will surely bless your seeds sown.

School Clubs

- It is mandatory that every child belongs to a club.
 - If you are changing clubs please fill in the slip and return to school at resumption.
 - i. Pupils in football club can only practice if properly kitted in jerseys and soccer turfs. Practice days are Fridays.
 - ii. Ballet pupils should always come in leotards and form fitting tops for training days which is Friday.
- Payments for clubs should be made into the account below:
Acct Name: Beacon Light Educational Resources.
Account No: 1771775734.

Dress Sense

Most of our primary parents have got this right. This is to inform our Nursery Parents that these rules are also for the toddlers.

1. Keep off the use of beads.
2. Do not braid children's hair.
3. Use of coloured attachments is discouraged, if the truth be told the coloured weaves look awful 99% of the time and the child looks out of place.
4. Your child's hair looks good without extension.

At the beginning of the term there is a grace period of a week for the removal of unacceptable hair-do.

Meals

Concerning meals for the children, we wish to encourage you to cut down on snacks and sweet drinks, exchange them for fruits. Some fruits are quite filling like banana, pear and the likes. We would begin with two fruit days in a week, Tuesdays and Thursdays and we look forward to your enthusiastic response.

Late Pickups

Most parents have been doing well with pick up time, however there are a few who still leave their wards/children in school way after 4 'O clock, do keep in mind that teachers on duty are mandated to stay until 4:00pm giving every parent a grace period of 30minutes in case of an emergency, after 4:00pm the safety of your child becomes your responsibility.

Home Work

This is work sent home; it is classified as homework because adult supervision is required. We need you to keep an eye on your children's work and help when necessary.

1. We should ensure that all homework given are duly completed not some except there are difficulties encountered in that case it should be written on the record book so that the teacher can attend to it.
2. That book taken home are returned in perfect condition, not soiled, torn or scribbled on.
3. Finally, that only outlined area, as written in the record book are attempted.

All complaints and enquiry, should be sent on whatsapp to this number **09070937100**.

Security

Parents are encouraged to take seriously the measures put in place for the security of our pupils and their children.

- i. Pick up cards should be presented to the security personnel or the receptionist before any child is released.
- ii. The school will release children to only those whose names and pictures are on the pickup card. Lost cards are replaced at a fee in admin office. Call 09070937100, if you have issues.

Transport

- Registration to be on the bus starts one week before resumption at school, call 09085997208.
- Grace period for payments is 2 weeks after resumption.
- Pupils who are sick or not properly dressed would not be picked up.
- When the rains begin the bus may be unable to ply water logged routes to avoid sinking or being stuck. When this occurs a general bus stop will be created.

Primary Four: Leap Exam

Primary four pupils should be prepared for the leap Exams which would take them either to Primary five or Primary six. The date for the exam would be Saturday 6th July, 2019 (this exam is only for those who are interested).

National Common Entrance Exam

Common Entrance Exam into Federal Schools have been postponed to 27th of April, pupils who registered for the exam should be in school for 7:00am. The bus will leave at 7:10am prompt.

Entrance Lesson

Entrance lessons for this term would end on the 11th of April. When school closes on the 10th, Primary five and six would be expected in school from 9:00am - 12noon. If your child is taking the National Common Entrance Examination, they should also take advantage of this period.

Entrance Form into Beacon Light High School

The entrance form for Beacon Light School is out please see Mrs Dike or call this number - **08033172722**.

Graduating Pupils

Next term year six 6 and Nursery two would be graduating below are their dress code.

- Nursery 2 Girls - Royal Blue Dress.
- Nursery 2 Boys - Royal Blue Suit, White Shirt and Yellow Tie with Black Shoes.
- Year 6 - Black Suit with Blue Inner Wear; a Shirt or Camisole.

School Fees

We wish to inform our parents that there is a slight increase in the tuition fees.

Congratulations

We want to congratulate every parent and staff on the safe delivery of their babies, we pray that they will bring peace and joy and be your pride indeed. Amen.

Easter Felicitation

Have a happy Easter Celebration and may the gift of his life rest on our homes and light up our lives.



John 1:4; in him was life and the life was the light of men.

Resumption Day

School would re-open for Trinity Term on Monday the 29th of April 2019.