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DAY & BOARDING

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FROM : THE OFFICE OF THE MANAGING DIRECTOR
TO : ALL PARENTS, GUARDIANS & STAFF
DATE : JANUARY 2021
SUBJECT : SCHOOL RESUMES IN-PERSON ACADEMIC WORK

*"³But You, LORD, are a shield around me, my glory the One who lifts my head high.
⁸From the LORD comes deliverance. May Your blessing be on Your people. Selah."
Psalm 3: 3, 8 NIV*

What can we do but sing praise to our God who has sustained us through these difficult times! These have been unusual times but the LORD who has been a Shield around us has kept us.

We are grateful to all parents who committed and had their children participate in our online programmes. We were also able to write our exams virtually.

While we have concerns about how quickly our children who have not been engaged in any academic learning will adjust, we hope that they will settle down quickly so we can proceed with teaching and learning.

JUNIOR HIGH ACADEMIC CALENDAR

According to the Ministry of Education and the Ghana Education Service, Junior High School will be running a two-semester schedule this academic year.

Their dates for the first semester are as follows:

- Re-opening: January 18th, 2021
- Mid-semester break: March 15th – 19th, 2021
- Easter break: April 1st – 5th, 2021
- Vacation: June 12th – July 5th, 2021

PRE-SCHOOL & BASIC 1-6 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

According to the Ministry of Education and the Ghana Education Service, Pre-School and Basic 1-6 will be running their usual 3-term schedule this academic year.

Their dates for the first term are as follows:

- Re-opening: January 18th, 2021
- Easter break: April 1st – 5th, 2021
- Vacation: April 17th – May 3rd, 2021

BLESSED LADY GROUP OF COMPANIES

Location: Dansoman & McCarthy Hills Campuses

SCHOOL FEES, PAYMENT SCHEDULES AND STRUCTURE

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Since JHS will be running a semester schedule rather than a termly one, their fee structure has also significantly changed. For the five and a half month period they will be in school (instead of the usual 3 months), their figures have been calculated to reflect the length of time they will be in school.

JHS DAY SCHOOL FEES

For a semester, they will pay a full term's fees (tuition) plus half a term's fees.

As discussed in the last PTA meeting with parents, the fee payment structure for JHS Day is as follows:

- 40% of amount on reopening (18th Jan.)
- Remaining 60% to be split into 4 instalments (15% of the fees)

Due dates:

- ✓ 2nd Instalment (15%) – 2nd February
- ✓ 3rd Instalment (15%) – 2nd March
- ✓ 4th Instalment (15%) – 6th April
- ✓ 5th Instalment (15%) – 4th May

$$\begin{array}{r r r r r} \text{JUNIOR HIGH 1:} & 1 & + & 0.5 & \\ & \mathbf{1700} & + & \mathbf{850} & = \mathbf{GH\text{\textasciitilde} 2550} \end{array}$$

- 40% on reopening = **1020**
- $15\% \times 4 = \mathbf{382.50} \times 4 = 1530$

$$\begin{array}{r r r r r} \text{JUNIOR HIGH 2:} & 1 & + & 0.5 & \\ & \mathbf{1900} & + & \mathbf{950} & = \mathbf{GH\text{\textasciitilde} 2850} \end{array}$$

- 40% on reopening = **1140**
- $15\% \times 4 = \mathbf{427.5} \times 4 = 1710$

$$\begin{array}{r r r r r} \text{JUNIOR HIGH 3:} & 1 & + & 0.5 & \\ & \mathbf{2020} & + & \mathbf{1010} & = \mathbf{GH\text{\textasciitilde} 3030} \end{array}$$

- 40% on reopening = **1212**
- $15\% \times 4 = \mathbf{454.5} \times 4 = 1818$

JHS BOARDING SCHOOL FEES

For boarders, their tuition fee is the same as Day students' and is as explained above.

Their payment plan is as follows:

- 50% on reopening – 18th January
- 30% on return from mid-term – 19th March
- 20% due on 4th May

JUNIOR HIGH 1:

TUITION: 2550
 FEEDING: 140 x 10 = 1400
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 400

TOTAL: GH¢ 4,850

50% on reopening = 2,425

30% @ mid-term = 1,455

20% on 4th May = 970**JUNIOR HIGH 2:**

TUITION: 2850
 FEEDING: 140 x 10 = 1400
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 400

TOTAL: GH¢ 5,150

50% on reopening = 2,575

30% @ mid-term = 1,545

20% on 4th May = 1,030**JUNIOR HIGH 3:**

TUITION: 3030
 FEEDING: 140 x 10 = 1400
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 400

TOTAL: GH¢ 5,330

50% on reopening = 2,665

30% @ mid-term = 1,599

20% on 4th May = 1,066PRE-SCHOOL & BASIC 1-6

They will run their usual 3-term academic year. Their fee structure and payment plan remains the same as usual: 50% at re-opening and the remaining 50% to be split into 2 instalments of the remaining 50% of the fees.

DAY SCHOOL FEES**UPPER PRIMARY**

BASIC 6 - GH¢1500
 BASIC 5 - GH¢1400
 BASIC 4 - GH¢1350

LOWER PRIMARY

BASIC 3 - GH¢1300
 BASIC 2 - GH¢1300
 BASIC 1 - GH¢1300

PRE-SCHOOL

KG 1 & 2 - GH¢1250
 NURS. 1 & 2 - GH¢1200
 CRECHE - GH¢1200

BOARDING SCHOOL FEES**UPPER PRIMARY****BASIC 6: GH¢ 2,950**

TUITION: 1500
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 270

BASIC 5: GH¢ 2,850

TUITION: 1400
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 270

BASIC 4: GH¢ 2,800

TUITION: 1350
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 270

LOWER PRIMARY & PRE-SCHOOL**BASIC 1 - 3: 2,700**

TUITION: 1300
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 220

KG 1 & 2: 2,550

TUITION: 1250
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 120

NURSERY 1 & 2: 2,500

TUITION: 1200
 FEEDING: 85 x 8 = 680
 BOARDING: 500
 EVENING SCHOOL: 120

MODES OF PAYMENT

1. Payment should be made via Mobile Money to the number **0244312115**.
The name on the account is **VIDA EFFIE ACQUAH**.
2. **BLESSED SCHOOLS COMPLEX**
EBANKESE BRANCH
REPUBLIC BANK – ACCOUNT NO.: 0020667511012

FEEDING FEE

The bill for feeding fee will be attached to this document. Please note that for lunch only, the fee is GH¢ 5.00 a day and for breakfast and lunch, the fee is GH¢ 7.00 a day. This is payable weekly, monthly or termly.

PARENTS' ROLE AND COMMITMENT

Again, our gratitude goes out to parents who supported their children to be part of the online programme. We are also most grateful to parents who came to our aid at the end of the year with very generous donations when we called on you for support. We really appreciate every one of you.

We have lost a lot of time due to the challenges of the previous year and we ask that parents and guardians take an active role in the supervision of their children's work to ensure that their academic work is at the optimum.

Also very important is the need for parents to follow the fee payment schedule diligently this academic year. We need your support in this regard to run the school.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS AND SAFETY MEASURES

Day students are expected to be properly masked every day. On arrival at the school every morning, they will be expected to wash their hands at the gate and go through a temperature check as well. Please provide your ward with hand sanitizer.

Parents are encouraged to give their children who are coming into the boarding house enough nose masks as well as a bottle of hand sanitizer. The nose masks must be marked clearly with the names of the students. Parents should kindly educate their children on the need to remain masked and observe all the safety protocols at all times.

The school will provide enough Veronica buckets and set-up hand washing stations at various vantage points for students and staff.

Parents who are able to support the school with gifts of Thermometer guns, Veronica buckets and Sanitizer or Soap dispensers are welcome to do so. These would be greatly appreciated.

OTHER INFORMATION TO TAKE NOTE OF:

SCHOOL HOURS & EVENING SCHOOL

We are still waiting for government to indicate how many hours the children will be in school to determine whether Evening School can take place so we will hold on with Evening School except for boarders.

SICK/RECOVERY BAY

The School has put in place a contract with the Royal Medical Agency Clinic at Sakaman which has been our school clinic for many years.

This will come at a cost of GH¢ 25.00 per term. Any child who falls sick will be taken care of for free under the contract and serious cases will be referred to the doctor. Management of the school has decided to bear the cost for this term and will begin billing students from next term.

Each student/pupil will pay GH¢ 25.00 a term under the contract [Proposal attached, please].

Parents with further questions or concerns may reach out to any of the following Management Personnel:

0244 312115 – Rev. Mrs. Vida Acquah

0269 896760 – Rev. Dadson (Staff Rep.)

0549 191556 – Samuel K. Hayford

0249 607502 – Dedo Nyako

We are trusting God for a successful academic year. He who has kept us all these years will continue to do so!

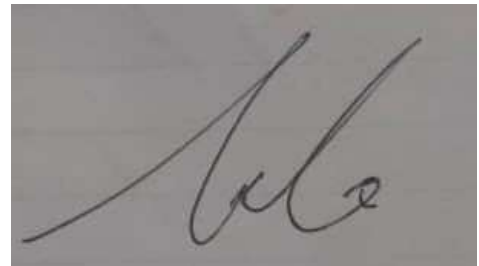
*¹O God our Help in ages past, our Hope for years to come;
Our shelter from the stormy blast and our eternal home.*

*²Under the shadow of Thy throne, Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone and our defence is sure.*

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VIDA E. ACQUAH (REV. MRS.)
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ROLAND K. ABOAGYE
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PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH SICK BAY AT BLESSED SCHOOL

Royal Medical Agency (RMA) Clinic situated at Dansoman/ Sakaman proposes to establish a Sick Bay at Blessed School, Dansoman to take care of the health needs of pupils/ students at Blessed School, Dansoman. This has become necessary especially in the wake of the Covid 19 pandemic

Hitherto, RMA Clinic has provided health services to the school for more than 3 three years, much to the relief of parents and staff alike.

Fiind below details of the arrangement:

REQUIREMENT: Any average-sized room with adequate ventilation.

MATERIALS/EQUIPMENT: To be supplied by RMA Clinic (School can support)

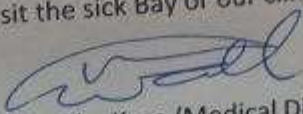
PERSONNEL: To be provided and paid and paid by RMA Clinic.

CHARGES: To be borne/paid by pupils / school to RMA clinic

- 3 scenarios

CATEGORY	AMOUNT PER TERM (GHC)	
	MORE THAN 500 PUPILS	LESS THAN 500 PUPILS
CATEGORY A - ALL STUDENTS/ PUPILS PAY	18	25
CATEGORY B - ONLY REGISTERED PUPILS PAY	30	35
CATEGORY C - PAYMENT WHEN SICK	70 PER VISIT	70 PER VISIT

NB. Category A and B also get free treatment when they are referred by our school nurse to our clinic for further treatment during school hours. Category C pays cash any time they visit the sick Bay or our clinic


DR Kwaku Kese (Medical Director)