

OLEA ACADEMY END OF TERM 2 2024 NEWSLETTER

Dear parents /guardians,

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

We have come to the end of Term 2 2024!

It's been a great and busy term, where our children have challenged themselves greatly academically and physically.

We know that this holiday will give them a well deserved rest, as they head into the final academic term for the year 2024.

TERM 2 BRIEF;

Swimming pool update.

We thank you for contributing towards the swimming pool project and we have so far collected 53, 900,000/- towards the building of the swimming pool. We hope to start building works at the end of November by God's grace.

Sports day

The sports day this term was an exhibition of great talent, resilience, focus and team work as the children put in all effort to win in each game. Congratulations to team green (Caleb House) who were the overall winners.

Project work presentation

We are greatly thankful to the parents who support their children as they work on their project work. We had wonderful exhibitions of research, creativity, and deep understanding of projects, whose presentations boosted the confidence and vocabulary of the children. Please encourage your child to work on any given project work so that they can grow their confidence, research and presentation skills.

Parent Teacher Conferences [PTC]

This term's PTCs gave the parents an opportunity to understand their children's academic, social and physical wellbeing while at school. This has led to a great improvement in the discipline of the children as well as the effort that the children put into their learning. We encourage each parent to attend the PTCS with their child as it avails you and the teacher the opportunity to understand your child's needs, strengths and weaknesses, hold the children and the school accountable as well as agree on the way forward concerning each individual child.

Overall, Learner performance

This term, we have witnessed great improvement in the academic progress and skills development of each individual child. We have sent home holiday projects to engage them this holiday, which they will present on returning to school for term 3.

PLE registration

This year, we have registered 15 candidates to sit for the Primary Leaving Exams. We are engaging them as they prepare to excel. Please keep them in prayer.

YEAR 1

This year, the Olea International Christian School, which is the Kindergarten section, added another class, the Cambridge year one class. The International section runs on the national school calendar.

2025 ENROLLMENT

Enrolment is open for the National section; Primary one to Primary 7 as well as the Cambridge International section for kindergarten, year 1 and year 2 for the academic year 2025.

Please enrol your children and encourage a friend to enrol their child.

TERM 3 PROGRAM

ACTIVITY	SUGGESTED DATE	TIME
Beginning of term 3 2023	11th September 2024	6:30am
Independence Holiday	9th October 2024	
Science Fair / PTC	12th October 2024	8.00am – 1.00 pm
Mid-term Exams	21st – 24th October	All day
Thanks Giving Service and P 7 Dedication service	26th October 2024	9.00am – 11.00am
PTC		
PLE exams (No classes for Kinder to P6)	4th – 6th November 2024 (<i>Tentative date</i>	e to be confirmed)
Kindergarten to P6 return to school	7th November 2024	
End of term exams	22nd - 28th November 2024	
End of Term 3 KG3, KG4, P1 to P6	29th November 2024	
Pre-Primary Graduation	30th November 2024	2.00am – 5.00pm
Beginning of term 1 2024	29th January 2025	

Term 3 begins on 11th September and ends on 29th November 2024.

Thanks giving and Primary 7 dedication

Olea Academy will hold a thanks giving service in Honor of the faithfulness of God towards the Olea family. This year's service will be <u>held on 26th October 2024</u>, from 9.00am to 11:30 am and the <u>Primary Seven candidates will be dedicated during this service</u>, in preparation for their final primary leaving Exams. You are invited to join us as we give thanks to God. Invite a friend.

Pre-primary Graduation is on the 30th of November 2024 from 9.00am to 11.00am.

> SCIENCE & ART FAIR

In term 3, the children will host their parents and the community to a Science and art Fair on the 12th of October 2024, from 8.00am to 12.00pm **pr**ompt. This will give them an opportunity to showcase their scientific knowledge, creativity as well as develop their critical thinking, problem solving, and teamwork skills.

The science fair will inspire the children to pursue careers in fields of science, engineering, technology and mathematics.

Each primary child is required to contribute 50,000/- towards the science and art fair to facilitate the purchase of items to be used.

TERM 3 2024 SCHOOL FEES (inclusive of science fair facilitation)

CLASS	SCHOOL FEES
Kindergarten	1,250,000
Pre-Primary Graduation fees	150,000
Year 1	2,100,000
Primary 1 to P5	1, 370,000
Primary 6 and 7	1,470,000
Admission fees (New Entrants)	150,000

All fees' payments are to be made in the bank, using each child's school pay code through mobile money or directly to DFCU bank.

<u>No cash fees payments should be made at school</u>. School fees should be paid before the beginning of Term 3 on 11th September 2024.

AIRTEL MONEY	MTN MOBILE MONEY
Dial *185*6*2*1# enter child's code.	Dial *165*4*3*2*1# enter child's code.
EFT (Include bank charge)	Acc. name; OLEA EDUCATION
Depositor: Child's name	SERVICES LIMITED
	Acc. number; 01073554951395

UNIFORM CHARGES

BOYS		GIRLS	
Sweater	35,000	Sweater	35,000
Socks a pair	10,000	Socks	10,000
Primary - Shirt and short	70,000	Primary - Dress	70,000
Kindergarten - Shirt and	55,000	Kindergarten - Dress	55,000
short			
Kindergarten sports kit	50,000	Kindergarten sports kit	50,000
Sports kit P1-P4	50,000	Sports Kit P1-P4	55,000
Sports kit P5-P7	60,000	Sports kit P5-P7	60,000

School van services

All parents interested in using the school van to pick and drop off children are encouraged to clear shuttle fees payments before the beginning of the term. A kilometre is charged at 3500/Details of the shuttle service providers for the different routes are at the front desk.

Thank you for entrusting us with your child's learning.

ISSUES ARISING:

This term, there have been a number of issues of concern that have been noted. For the wellbeing of all students at school, the issues outlined below should be considered as we prepare to return for term 3.

Hairstyles and general body Hygiene.

All girls at Olea with long hair should have it neatly plaited in dark colours and be held neatly in one puff with a hairband.

Hair accessories like beads, (plastic and metallic) are not allowed and should not be put in the hair.

No fancy or brightly coloured hairstyles should be worn by boys of girls during the school term as they disrupt learning and some like beads are a health hazard.

Packing snacks.

Children should only pack refreshments like juice, milk and water to school, in clean water and juice bottles. No snacks should be packed to school.

The administration should be notified of any children with special feeding arrangements and food allergies and an agreement reached with the parent concerning the feeding of the child. Reusable bottles should be <u>regularly cleaned</u> and <u>replaced when old</u>. Bottles with straws should be avoided at all costs as the straws are hard to clean and are a source of infection over time.

Monitor what the children are watching and listening to.

To avoid deterioration in discipline, we advise that children while at home are monitored closely to ensure that they are not exposed to any content that will defile their innocence. Do keep away phones and scrutinise what the children are watching on television or their tabs. Not all cartoons are innocent.

Rather we encourage that children are engaged in housework in a fun way, given brain building activities like scrabble, chess, watch valuable documentaries or stories and having conversations with them as a way of keeping them engaged.

Also, protect the children from any abusive environments and any course language to avoid having children copy and speak the same language when they return to school.

School Uniform and general presentation

Our school uniform is worn as below.

Monday, Wednesday, Friday	Grey and white Uniform with plain red socks and red
	school sweater.
Tuesdays, Thursday	Sports wear (Stripped navy Blue shorts, navy blue
	socks and sports shirt) and red school sweater.

Non-Olea school uniform items, necklaces, bangles, head bands and non stud / dangling earrings are prohibited. Only studs are accepted as earrings.

Pick Up hours

<u>Kindergarten pick time is 1:30pm</u>, unless an official request is made to have the child picked at a later time. <u>Primary1 to 6 pick up time is between 5.00pm and 6.00pm prompt.</u>

Concerns, Feedback and Inquiries

All concerns, feedback and official inquiries should be made through the official school number. For calls, messages and WhatsApp the official number to use is **0775979776 or 0701124003.**

We wish you a restful Term 2 Holiday.

Yours in Service,

Olea Academy Team.

For further inquiries, Call or WhatsApp 0775979776 or 0701124003