



REDEEMER'S INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY, 23RD FEBRUARY, 2024: 2023/2024 SESSION - MID REDEMPTION TERM EDITION



A big shout out to Ogechi Avajah, who excels in academics and in sports, for her laudable achievement at the 2024 TUMA (The Ultimate Mathematics Ambassador) competition. She emerged as the 4th best from over 1400 participants drawn from many schools.



The school's representatives to the 2024 TUMA competition. Three of them finished in the top 100. From left to right: Demilade Lijofi, Ogechi Avajah, Arianna Okewih, Tioluwanimi Iyinolakan and Samuel Iyalla.



OUR VISION

To positively impact the lives of our pupils through a well-rounded academic curriculum integrated in Biblical worldview that trains them in the way of the Lord.

OUR MISSION

- To teach and develop children academically and intellectually.
- To provide a safe and conducive environment where children can learn and feel protected, healthy and safe; developing well both physically and emotionally.
- To provide and equip children with facilities and robust activities that help them develop required social skills for refined global citizenship.
- To raise children in the understanding of the word of God thereby nurturing them to be disciplined, God-fearing children through an enriched Biblically integrated curriculum.

2023/2024 SCHOOL MONITORS

HEAD BOY

Iyinolakan Tioluwanimi

DEPUTY HEAD BOY

Adekanye Jesutimilehin

HEAD GIRL

Avajah Ogechi

DEPUTY HEAD GIRL

Ogbeide Uyioghosa

TIME KEEPER

Alakija Oluwatobi

ASSISTANT TIME KEEPER

Ogunmola Tioluwanimi

ASSEMBLY MONITOR

Ejiofor-Idoko Ifunanya

HEALTH MONITOR

Godwin-Clark Ejiroghene

LIBRARY MONITOR

Awotunde Imisioluwa

GAMES & LABOUR MONITOR

Okewih Arianna

FROM THE DESK OF THE HEAD OF SCHOOL



We bless the name of the Lord for bringing us into Year 2024 with no one missing, and nothing broken. We are especially grateful for the new additions to our community – parents and pupils alike. To our

new parents, thank you for trusting our brand to take care of your child/children. To our existing parents, thank you for upholding the relationship.

It's another half term done and dusted and we trust that our pupils will spend time resting, unwinding and going over all they have learnt in this first half term in readiness for the work ahead when we return on the 4th of March, 2024. We appeal to you all to stay safe and safeguard your children/wards this period. Do all you can to protect your mental health. Seize every opportunity to show love and care. Do not hesitate to ask for help when you need it. We continue to pray, work and trust God to perfect everything that concerns our dear country. Happy half term holidays. May the Lord guide and guard us all during this half term break.



The pupils created Olympic-like frenzy on Heat Day. The performances were precursor to the amazing performances witnessed on the day of the finals.

REDEMPTION TERM-2ND HALF TERM DIARY

END OF TERM: THURS, 28TH MARCH, 2024

*Mid-Term Break (Wk 8)

Monday, 26th February - Friday 1st March 2024

*Submission of S/Studies Project(Wk9)/Continuous Ass Test 2

Monday, 4th - Friday 8th March, 2024

*Continuous Assessment Test 2 cont./Submission of IT Project/Revision (WK 10)

Monday, 11th- Fri., 15th March, 2024

*Art Exhibition @ TerraKulture

Monday, 11th –Fri., 15th March, 2024.

*Heats for Redeemer's Day Track Events

Wednesday, 13th March, 2024

*8th Regional Redeemer's Day 2024

Friday 15th & Sat., 16th March, 2024

*Science Exhibition @ the Incubator

Friday, 15th March, 2024

*Examination Week (Week 11)

Monday, 18th- Fri., 22nd March, 2024

*Correction of Exams Scripts/Rehearsal(WK 12)

Monday, 25th March, 2024

* Easter Class Party

Tuesday, 26th March, 2024

* Parents' Fragrance Meeting

Wednesday, 27th March 2024

* Easter Concert by Lower Primary

Thursday, 28th March, 2024

*School Office & Office Close

Thursday, 28th March, 2024

*School Office Opens

Thursday, 18th April, 2024.

* Overcomer's Term Begins

Monday, 22nd April, 2024

THIS DIARY IS SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT AS MAY BE REQUIRED IN THE COURSE OF THE TERM.

SCHOOL BUZZ: 1ST HALF TERM IN PICTURES



Excursion provides ample opportunity for learning outside the classroom and social interaction among other benefits. Our Class 3 pupils went on excursion to Haggai Mortgage Bank; the experience was an impactful one.



In our Nursery section, we teach colours to help pupils to sort, organise, categorise and compare objects. Sincere appreciation to our Nursery parents for supporting the school on our colour days.



We employ the concepts of playtime and games as motivation and to sharpen the motor skills of our pupils. Trust us, it is also easier to get pupils' attention at such times.



Pictures from our 31st anniversary celebration.



To mark our 31st anniversary, our Class 6 pupils went on community cleaning social responsibility drive. Our First Aider was with them, taking peoples' BP reading and being on standby for any emergency. In our own little way, we gave back to the community.

OTHER NEWS

INSPECTIONS: In the 1 st half of the term, we have had 2 high level visitations from Office of Education Quality Assurance (OEQA) and Christ the Redeemer School Management (CRSM). We are pleased to inform you that both inspections were successful.	REFERRAL INCENTIVE: Did you know our referral incentive is still on? Refer a family that registers and get a whopping 30%, yes, 30% of your child's tuition fee. Hurry now!
SCHOOL BUS: We wish to remind users of this service that it is strictly a pre-paid one. Pupils whose parents have not paid or not completed payment before resumption for the 2 nd half-term will not be allowed on the bus from Monday, 4th March, 2024 .	SCHOOL HALL/SPACES: Please be reminded that all spaces, excluding our classroom area are available for commercial uses. Interested in using any part, be assured same would be made available at prices that would not leave you out of pocket.
ALUMNI: We constantly keep tab on our alumni doing exploits in their secondary school, higher institution or career. This we do to ensure our current pupils are motivated to be as good if not better. Kindly provide us with details of any of our alumni doing well in his/her present endeavour.	SCHOOL FEES DEMAND: We appreciate all parents who have made payment for their children's school fees. To those who made payment pledges, we advise full redemption of these pledges before Monday, 4th MARCH, 2024 . No school fees payment defaulter will be allowed into the school premises from the above date. Please take note.
ART & CRAFT CLUB - for the second half, the project to be embarked on by pupils in this club requires that every child brings 6 boxes of matches containing match sticks. Whatever is remaining after the project will be returned back to the pupils.	APPRECIATION: The leadership of the school is very grateful for all the supports, cooperation and understanding extended to the school by the parents. The various feedbacks on some of our policies and processes are deeply appreciated. As a leadership that prides itself as running an open door policy, be assured that we a school with a listening ear. No suggestion geared towards improving the quality of our deliverables and relationship with our stakeholders will ever be discarded.

SIGHTS FROM OUR SPORTS FESTIVAL



Diamonds are forever; so are some memories. For parents who were around for the sports festival, please re-live some of the amazing memories. For those who were not around to see the hammer and tongs approach of the pupils to their performances, these pictures are all worth more than a thousand words each.

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

We would like to bring to your notice the grievance procedure in the school. Please avoid any open confrontation with your child's teacher, classmates or other parents. Anything related to your child's work or performance should first be discussed with your child's class teacher. If you are not satisfied, please see the Lead Teacher in your child's section. If you are still not satisfied, see the Deputy Head of School and where still not satisfied, you can see the Head of School. Where the issue is finance related, please see the School Bursar, Mrs Adejoke Babalola. You can also write your complaint in the Complaints Book with the Bursar. The School's Senior Leadership Team comprises of:

PRECIOUS TAIWO-08033544052

LEAD TEACHER-NURSERY

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DOROTHY JAJA-08023965077

LEAD TEACHER-LOWER PRIMARY

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BABAJIDE OGUNDIPE-08055424089

LEAD TEACHER-UPPER PRIMARY

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ADEJOKE BABALOLA-08098057912

SCHOOL BURSAR

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OLAYEMI AZEEZ-08023288594

DEPUTY HEAD OF SCHOOL

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ANNE BESSONG-08079805581

HEAD OF SCHOOL

PLEASE BE REMINDED THAT:

- * Only light foods are allowed as breakfast/lunch for pupils in the school. Parents/Guardians should please take note that solid foods are not allowed at all.
- * Birthday parties are celebrated in RIS with only cake and packet/plastic drinks. Party packs, snacks outside what has been specified above are not permitted for staff and pupils
- * Pupils are allowed to bring cooked food to school, so parents are implored to have their food in food warmer that could keep the food warmed till break time.
- * Nursery pupils are not allowed to put beads in the hair, only ribbons are allowed.
- * All pupils are to come in through the Decontamination Booth at the front gate in the morning.
- * Late pick-up (From 4:31pm) attracts a penalty of N500.00 per family.
- * Braids or use of attachment is not allowed. Girls should have their hair neatly plaited and boys' hair cropped.
- * Vehicles are not allowed in the school compound. All children are dropped at the entrance of the walkway. The very little Nursery pupils are escorted to their classes by RIS Staff at the gate.
- * Parents are not allowed in the classroom blocks from 7:45am -2:10 pm for Primary and 1:00 pm for Nursery.
- *PLEASE CHECK THE PUPILS' HANDBOOK FOR A COMPREHENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF RULES GUIDING PUPILS IN RIS.**

SIGNED

ANNE BESSONG

HEAD OF SCHOOL