

13th December, 2019

END OF TERM UPDATE NO. 82

Dear Parents,

We give God praise for bringing us to the end of the term successfully. On behalf of the Proprietor, Governing Board, Management, Staff and Students of The Bells Schools I hereby express my profound gratitude to you for your unflinching support for the school. Your contributions to the growth and development of the school are highly appreciated. It is my prayer that the good Lord will reward you greatly.

The yuletide season is here once again and I pray that God will keep you and all yours safe as you go in and out during the season. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. We are optimistic that the New Year will usher in good tidings, strength, vigour and commitment to further help unlock the great potentials in our students.

IGCSE

The October/November Cambridge Examinations commenced on 15th September 2019 and were concluded on 14th November 2019. The students were well prepared and they wrote the examination with confidence. We hope for excellent results.

DIPLOME D`ETUDE EN LANGUE FRANCAISE (DELF EXAMINATION)

Thirty four students wrote the French Diploma Examination in the outgoing year and recorded excellent grades. Some students have signified interest in writing the examination in the coming year. The cost is fifteen thousand naira (N15,000) only. They will also be going on an excursion to the Alliance Francais. Kindly pay into the school UBA account No. 1010774631.

INTERNATIONAL PASSPORTS

All Year 12 students who will be writing the S.A.T and IELTS must bring their valid international passports to school. They will not be allowed to register without their passports. The passports should be valid till September 2020.

FOOTWEAR

Parents of boarding students are hereby reminded that the children are to resume with two(2) pairs of black **leather** shoes and two(2) pairs of black or brown trekkers. Students will be checked on resumption and those without the appropriate footwear will be sent back

PICK-UP AND DROP-OFF

The school has taken up the responsibility to make vacation and resumption of students easier for parents who reside in different regions. However, we want to implore you to book flights between 9.00am and 2.00pm. We may not be able to oblige those who have earlier or later flights than the stipulated time.

HAIRCUT/HAIRDRESSING

Boys are to resume with low and evenly cut hair while the girls must have neatly woven hair or low cut hair where applicable. Students who do not obey will not be allowed to resume on Sunday 5th January for Boarders and Monday 6th January, 2020 for Day students.

CHESS CLUB

Following our various successful outings during the just concluded term, it is of great importance to ensure that each member of the chess club comes with a complete chess board. Upon resumption in 2020, chess boards will be used as a pass for any member aiming to take part in our weekly meetings and tutorials. Parents who would like the school to purchase these items for their wards can pay the token of six thousand, five hundred naira (N6,500) only into the school`s account.(please indicate the purpose of payment.

YEAR 12 WAEC AND NECO PRACTICAL EXAMINATION MATERIAL

Dyeing and bleaching Material for WAEC

Fabric (Guinea material) 5yaRds

Caustic soda and Hydrosulphite

Candle wax

Dyeing and bleaching materials for NECO

Fabric (Guinea Material) 5yards

Caustic soda Hydrosulphite

Candle wax

There is the option to pay ₦9,000 into the school's account.

BASIC TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS

In accordance with the policy of Nigerian Education Research and Development Council (NERDC) as stated in the curriculum, students of Junior Secondary School are mandated to carryout project on Wood work, Applied Electricity and Metal work from Basic 7 to 9.

Underlisted are the recommended project for each class and the materials required.

Basic 7 – Woodwork Project Materials

1. $\frac{3}{4}$ " plywood - $\frac{1}{2}$
2. Small plastic top bond - 1
3. Wooden saw - 1
4. Hammer (121bf) - 1
5. Pincer - 1
6. 1" nail - 2kg
7. 2" nail - 2kg

You can pay the sum of ₦8,800 into the school`s account

Basic 8 Students – Project: Applied Electricity

1. 3 cord cable (original) 6 metres
2. Original sockets - 4
3. Patress - 4
4. Wooden box
5. Hammer (12bf) - 1
6. Pincers - 1
7. Lamp holder - 1
8. Plug - 1
9. Clips
10. Tape rule
11. 1" nail 1kg

There is the option to pay ₦7,300 into the school`s account

Basic 9 – Project Waste Basket Stand – Metal work

- Electrode 20pcs
- Hold steel ½" rod ½ length
- Yellow paint small size
- Painting brush (2) 6"
- Waste basket 12.5L

There is an option to pay N4,500 into the schools account.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT MATERIALS

Basic 7 – Jewellery making

1. Scissors
2. fishing line 0.25 and 0.50
3. Crystal bead
4. Sand bead two(2) big pack, 1 stopper pack
5. rubber bead for bag making 2packs

There is an option to pay N8,000 into the school`s account.

Hairdressing Basic 8studnets (Boys and Girls)

1. Big hair rollers -1off
2. Small hair rollers - 2off
3. Scissors - 1off
4. Big comb - 1
5. Small combs - 3off
6. Cutting comb - 3off
7. Towel - 1off
8. Threads and needle.

There is an option to pay N5,500 into the school`s account

Leatherworks 1(shoe) Basic 8 Boys/Girls

1. Maco sole - ¼
2. Buckle 4 pairs
3. Leather - ¼
4. Evostick - 1 bottle
5. Shoe thread (black) - 1 roll
6. shoe needle - 2off
7. Nora (inner sole)

There is an option to pay N6,500 into the school`s account.

Basic 8 Boys and Girls Leatherwork 11 (Bag making)

1. Bag leather - ¼
2. Cloth zip - 4off
3. Bag belt- 4off
4. Thread - 1 roll
5. Evostict gum -1 bottle
6. Tape rule -1off
7. Bag inner cover - 2off
8. Shoe pin -2 off
9. Brown paper -1 dozen

There is an option to pay the sum of ₦6,500.00 into the school`s account.

Photography – Year 10 Boys and Girls

1. A good camera
2. Films (2rolls)
3. Towel (small)

Garment making Year 11 Boys and Girls

1. Brown paper -2 dozens
2. Tape rule --1off
3. Tailors chalk -2off
4. Daviva or Ankara cloth 6yards (small grade)
5. Tailoring thread - 4off
6. Needle (hand) - 1 packet
7. Tape rule - 1 off
8. Scissors 1- off

There is an option to pay the sum of N5,000 into the school`s account.

Cookery Skills Year 11 Boys and Girls

Preparations of Intercontinental and African dishes in line with selected scheme for each term. Intensive practical classes and each student should participate

Coding and programming Year 10 Boys/Girls

1. Laptop

Note: Leather works – Basic 9 Boys (Practical)

 Hairdressing: Basic 9 Girls (Practical)

Wire Works and Bead Making - Basic 7 Boys and Girls

1. Sand Beads – small size and medium
2. Fashion beads
3. Fisher line (bead wire)
4. Cutter
5. Needle

SCHOOL FEES

We implore those who still have outstanding balances to make payments as students will not be allowed to resume without presentation of evidence of payment.

IMPORTANT DATES

Resumption from holidays	- 5 th January 2020 for Boarders
	- 6 th January for Day students
Founders Day/Choice Counts Day	- 20 th January, 2020
Annual Founder's Day Science Competition	- 29 th January, 2020
Open Day/Mid-Term Break	- 14 th February, 2020
Resumption from Mid-Term Break	- 23 rd February, 2020
Mock Examination for Year 12	- 24 th Feb. – 2 nd March 2020
Languages/Literary Day	- 11 th March, 2020
Entrance Examination Date	- 14 th March, 2020
Mock Examinations for Basic 9	- 18 th March, 2020
2 nd Term Examination begin	- 23 rd March 2020
Vacation for Basic 9 students	- 27 th March, 2019
2 nd term ends	- 3 rd April, 2020

Note: Basic 9 students resume for extension classes on Friday 3rd April 2020.

Year 12 students will resume on Tuesday 14th April, 2020

Thank you once again for your cooperation and support throughout the term. I pray that the Lord will grant you manifold blessings of the season. Amen.

Wishing you Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

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Acting Principal.