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Dear Parents,

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a step. When the journey started in September, little did we know that the whole world will be on stand still for a major part of the session. Situations like this do put spotlight on the level of preparedness of many organisations to adapt to change at the shortest time, without jeopardizing quality and stakeholders' health. One key determinant of this readiness will be the existing facilities and proactive skills of the managers to see opportunities in the midst of challenges. Ever before the pandemic, we have had plans to infuse online teaching into our curriculum delivery. We decided to commence in the coming session, but here we are. Our school has proven beyond reasonable doubt that our motto of "Committed to Excellence" is not just in paper or lip service. We are intentional in everything we do or say.

The end of Summer term is here and we are so delighted that we are counted among "men" as the pandemic separates boys from men. One can only imagine the fate of schools that are still waiting for a directive to go back to physical classes. We express our sincerest appreciation to all our parents for believing in our vision. This is a new learning curve that has come to stay. We assure you that we will never be caught unawares with this kind of situation. Even after physical school begins, we will have a lot to do with our online portals.

The term witnessed an unprecedented turn around in our children's proficiency in Information Technology. That, of course, is the future that awaits all of us. Way to go!

Children's Day was celebrated in an unusual way. Although we could not meet physically, we celebrated our children in grand style virtually.

This term has been a unique one for us at Blooming Greens School. Our great school turned four on June 4th. Four years of impactful existence! Four years of moulding the future of the world!! Four years of touching lives!!! It was a great day for us as we witnessed unparalleled ingenuity displayed by our children in their goodwill messages. We are very proud to have been instrumental in the production of these quality young minds.



Mr Fadare Adegboyega Deputy Head Teacher

Word of the Week "INTEGRITY"

Colour of the week

Black



END OF TERM PROGRAMME FRIDAY 17TH JULY, 2020



SUMMER SCHOOL MONDAY 3RD AUGUST ,2020.



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We thank all our parents for the millions of calls and goodwill messages. What we have been able to achieve in 4 years is phenomenal! But using the words of Apostle Paul, we count it not that we have arrived; we reach forth unto things ahead and press towards the mark for the prize. We will pursue this with all vigour.

We were able to conduct Mid-term Feed Forward virtually. This is a turning point in the lives of our children. If they can successfully manoeuvre their devices to write a Computer Based Test (CBT) at this young age, it leaves no one in doubt about the quality and impact of teaching at Blooming Greens School. What challenge will CBT pose to these children in the future when many of them are already composing their own Computer Based Tests?

Let me at this juncture inform you of our end-of-term examinations scheduled for Monday 13th to Thursday 16th July 2020. It will also be an online assessment. Children in Key Stage 1 will write their examinations through Quizizz.com. However, Key Stage 2 exams will be conducted using exam.net. This is a site that was developed solely for the purpose of administering online tests. With its inbuilt security features, we can ascertain the validity and reliability of the test results to a very large degree.

Please note that children are required to use a computer for this examination for ease of typing. The case is slightly different with the EYFS children. There will not be what can be called examinations at that level. Apart from age consideration, this is also because of the fact that we want to continue with teaching and learning even up to the last day. This will afford us opportunity to cover wider areas. However, we will conduct our End-of-Term Review with them. This review document will be sent to you to work with the children at your convenience. We will expect a feedback from you on each concept covered in the review. Revision exercise will commence in Key Stage classes on Monday 6th July and will run through Friday 10th July 2020. We have sent the exams timetable to you and we know that you will complement our efforts on this revision. The pupils' end of term reports will be mailed to parents on Monday 27th July 2020.

Friday 17th July will witness the whole school end-of-term programme. Pupils will be required to say a little about their online school experience. Children who already procured their costume for the Intercontinental Day may use their costumes on the day. Those who do not have the costume may use any casual dress.

We congratulate our children in Nursery two and their parents on their successful completion of the Early Years Foundation Stage.



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They deserve to be celebrated, and that is what they'll get. The Nursery 2 Progression Programme will therefore take place on Saturday 18th July 2020 at 10:00am. The dress code for these young champions is black suit, white shirt and black bow tie for boys. The girls will use pink dresses.

The icing on the cake this term is the Graduation and Valedictory ceremony for our Year 6 pupils who will appear in black suit, white shirt and blush bow tie (for boys) and blush gowns (for girls). These six children have written their names on gold as the pioneer graduating pupils. They came, they saw, and conquered. This programme is scheduled to take place on Saturday 18^{th} July 2020 at 4:00pm.

Blooming Greens School is growing in leaps and bounds, and we appreciate the Almighty God for this. You will agree with us that growth always comes with higher responsibility. It is therefore imperative for us to increase our manpower across board. Our vision for our great school is a lofty one that requires constant injection of new hands, new innovations and new minds. It is therefore our great delight to introduce Mr. Uwem Daniels as the Director of Studies/Curriculum at Blooming Greens School. Mr. Daniels is a renowned educationist who has wealth of experience in the delivery of British Curriculum. He has worked in many reputable international schools, and he's very versatile in curriculum development. Apart from being an expert in Literacy as an aspect of the school curriculum, he is also very good with the practice in the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS). He is a legendary educational consultant who has been instrumental in the training of teachers of Blooming Greens School in the past. Without any shadow of doubt, Mr Daniels has a lot to bring to the table. Kindly join us to give him a warm welcome.

As the session winds down and we are making preparations for the new session, we invite you to our End-of-Session Virtual Meeting for Key Stage parents on Saturday 25th July 2020 at 12:00am. The EYFS parents meeting will come up on Sunday 26th July 2020 at 12:00noon.

No one can underestimate the role of planning in any human endeavour. As we have commenced on short term and long term plans for our school, we need to have a clear idea of the enrolment in each of our classes in the coming academic session. Presently, our classes are almost filled to capacity, and we do not intend to overstretch our facilities. Doing so may definitely impact our delivery adversely. We also do not intend to shut our doors to our parents, owing to the fact that we have many new intakes. We therefore request that you indicate on the attached form if your child will be resuming with us in the 2020/2021 Academic year or not. Kindly also include the reasons the child will not resume with us, if this is the case.



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The school will organise our usual Summer School between Monday 3rd August and Friday 28th August 2020. This Summer Time with Blooming Greens School will feature Mathematics, Literacy, Etiquette and Grooming, Arts, Public Speaking & General Knowledge. We also have a special package for those who may prefer strictly academics. All this is at a cost of N25,000 per child. Let's keep them gainfully engaged while you are away at work. Further details about this will be communicated to you soon.

We will officially close for the 2019/2020 academic year on the 18^{th} July 2020. Resumption for the 2020/2021 Academic year is Monday 7^{th} September 2020 by God's grace.

Thank you and continue to keep safe.

Adegboyega Fadare Deputy Head Teacher

VIRTUAL LEARNING CLASSES













VIRTUAL CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION (27/05/2020)













