



PARENTS' BULLETIN: 14 AUGUST, 2015

Thought for the Week

Life begins at the end of your comfort zone. - Neale Donald Walsch

Important Dates

15/8/15: Continuing students come into residence by 5.00pm sharp. Gate closes at this time.

17/8/15: New academic year commences

30/8/15: Visiting Sunday (1.00-5.00pm)

5/9/15: IB1 students arrive by 5.00pm; Financial aid meeting-parents of IB2

6/9/15: Beginning of semester thanksgiving service

12/9/15: Health walk; ACT

13/9/15: School play audition

17/9/15: Maths Day

18/9/15: Recital Colloquium

19/9/15: Weekend at home begins. Service learning trip for IB1

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21/9/15: National Founders' Day Public Holiday. Students return from weekend at home.

22/9/15: Classes resume

26/9/15: Parent Information Day. Hostel Cleanup & General Inspection

27/9/15: School play audition

Parents' Bulletins

A lot happens in schools on a daily basis, and even more so at TIS! While we hope to cover everything in the monthly newsletter, some aspects may be overlooked. To fill this gap, Parents' Bulletins will be emailed out as required, ideally on a weekly basis. Hopefully, this is an improvement in ensuring better communication to our parents.



Thank You

- As I mentioned at the meeting for new students and their parents on Wednesday, it is an honour and a privilege to serve as Principal at this incredible school. I take this opportunity to thank everyone for making my welcome to TIS and Ghana a very special occasion.
- I congratulate and thank our Prefects for their important involvement in the welcome and orientation of our new students. Some of our student leaders have been working at school over the last 10 days to ensure that our new students settle in easily to their new school and living environment. They have done a fabulous job and demonstrated their natural leadership skills during this process.
- I take this opportunity to congratulate our new students who have demonstrated a maturity and established a special bond with their peers.

Calendars

TIS was informed at the start of the week that the annual TIS calendar (hard copy) would be available today. Unfortunately, we were notified late yesterday that the delivery date has been postponed until next Tuesday. We will advise parents when they do arrive.

Newsletter

The August Newsletter was emailed out last Friday. Please let us know (info@tis.edu.gh) if you did not receive this email.

IGCSE

I take this opportunity to congratulate our G10 students who received their provisional IGCSE results. We are very proud of the results you have achieved. As usual, the school's results were excellent and reflected the high expectations that we hold at Tema International School.

The Admissions Committee will be meeting today to determine those students who will be offered places in the IB Diploma Program. Parents will be notified on Monday about Grade 11 placement offers.

Dr Ken Darvall
Principal