



DEAR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS,

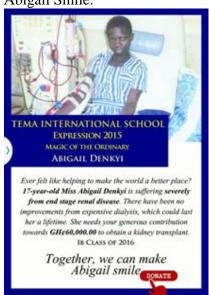
#### **APPRECIATION**

We are grateful to all parents and guardians, who attended the Expression 2015 on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2015. It was such an outstanding performance of music, arts, fashion etc. exhibited by the students. They explored the beauty in the ordinary things we take for granted. Really magnificent and I believe we have a bright future with our students.



On behalf of the Founders, School Advisor, staff and students of TIS, we would like to thank you for your support towards the fund-raising for Miss Abigail Denkyi's dialysis and eventual kidney transplant during our Expression day.

So far, we have been able to raise a total amount of eight thousand, one hundred and seventeen Ghana Cedis, ninety-three pesewas (GHC8,117.93). A presentation would be made towards Abigail's treatment at the Korle Bu Teaching Hospital on Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2015 at 10am. Please note that the fundraising towards her transplant is ongoing and together we can make Abigail Smile.



# CHANGE OF DATE FOR IB TRIP

After a careful consideration and in agreement with the **IB Class of 2015**, we have rescheduled the IB trip to enable our candidates to use all the previously scheduled time for revision and other preparations towards their final IB examinations. The trip is now scheduled for the 23<sup>rd</sup> to the 25<sup>th</sup> of May, 2015. Our sincere apologies for any inconvenience caused. We believe that this decision is in the best interest of our candidates.

### RETURN OF CANDIDATES

Please be informed that all candidates – students in Grades 10 & 12 – are encouraged to return to school on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2015,** after the Easter break. This arrangement is to enable our candidates to prepare well for their impending final examinations. All candidates are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity given

them to prepare adequately for the IGCSE and IB final examinations.

The rest of the students, however, will return to school on **Saturday** 11<sup>th</sup> **April, 2015,** as scheduled on the academic calendar.

Many thanks for your understanding.

## **SCHOOL ACTIVITIES**

- Hostel Clean-up & Inspection will be held on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2015 at 9:00am.
- 2. The IB1 students will also embark on their CAS trip scheduled for Saturday 25th April, 2015. Donations in kind (building materials) and cash are welcome. Donations can be sent to the school reception; and cash donations should be the name of Tema International School. To make donations, kindly contact Mrs. Surama King, CAS Coordinator on 0244-615255 or surama.king@gmail.com.

Kindly find below details of the major service learning projects that our students are currently involved in.

i. <u>AKORLIKOPE</u> <u>BUILDING PROJECT –</u> <u>PHASE 2</u> The Akorlikope community was adopted by our **IB Class** of 2012 with the initial intention of building a six classroom block for the children in the community.

support With from sponsors, the six classroom block has been built, and we are currently working expanding the school facility to include: toilet facilities, a library canteen. a teacher bungalows (due to the challenge in getting teachers for the pupils). We also want to carry out repair works on the borehole. We intend to unveil the completed building by the end of the academic year. The IB class of 2016 is counting on your sponsorship to begin the expansion project.

# ii. <u>SAVE ABIGAIL – KIDNEY</u> <u>TRANSPLANT FUND RAISING PROJECT</u>

Ever felt like helping to make the world a better place? 17-year-old Miss Abigail Denkyi is suffering severely from end stage renal disease. She is currently undergoing a dialysis treatment at the Korle Bu Teaching Hospital. Please note that her treatment but, unfortunately, has not improved her condition. The IB Class of 2016, therefore, needs your generous support in

- raising **GH¢60,000.00** to obtain a kidney transplant for Abigail. Together, we can make Abigail smile.
- 3. There will be special church service scheduled for the **26**<sup>th</sup> **of April 2015** at 4pm for our Grade 10 and 12 candidates. Invitations will be sent to their parents and guardians to attend.

### **BIRTHDAYS**

Finally, TIS would like to wish our dear students, staff, parents and guardians whose birthdays fall in the month of April, Happy Birthday.

The May newsletter will be emailed to parents by <u>28<sup>th</sup> April</u>, <u>2015</u>.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership.

We do welcome your comments and suggestions on how to make this newsletter more relevant to you. Do not hesitate to contact us via <a href="mailto:info@tis.edu.gh">info@tis.edu.gh</a> if you have any queries or concerns.

Warm Regards Ag. Principal



## **COLLEGE APPLICATION PROCESS (IB1 PARENTS)**

Please be informed that the next meeting is scheduled to take place on **Saturday**, **the 25**<sup>th</sup> **of April** this year, to provide you with helpful details on the university/college application process for your wards (IB1 students). Do note that the date has been moved a week later since the initial date (18<sup>th</sup>) coincides with the April ACT examination. Please see table below;

	DATE	TIME & VENUE	TOPIC
2 <sup>ND</sup> MEETING	Saturday, 25 <sup>th</sup> April, 2015	9am @ The New Exam Hall	➤ The College Application Process continued: universities in Canada & U.S.A.

# WE WISH YOU VERY HAPPY EASTER CELEBRATIONS

We thank you all for your continued support this semester and our very best wishes to you and the family in the coming month.













# **April 2015**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1	2	3	4	5
				Good Friday		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Easter Monday					Mid Sem break ends. Students return to school by 5.00pm	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	SMT meeting	HOD meeting	Dept meetings begin		Hostel Clean up and Inspection	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
			Staff meeting		IB 1 CAS Trip	Exam Candidates Service
27	28	29	30			