

TEMA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL PRIMARY CAMPUS



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Annual Achievers & Graduation Ceremony

THEME: STEP UP FOR CHANGE

GUEST SPEAKER: DR HOPE GLOVER ADDY

HEAD OF PAEDIATRIC SURGERY UNIT, KORLE-BU TEACHING HOSPITAL

SATURDAY, 31 MAY, 2025 | 11:00 AM TIS PRIMARY CAMPUS

TEMA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

VISION

To be an International School of choice, nurturing world class citizens responsive to the needs of society.

MISSION

Tema International School seeks to:

- Provide an excellent and diverse education for all, irrespective of nationality, ethnicity, creed, or gender.
- Draw on the cultural diversity of the school community as a foundation for building universal human values.
- Develop the spirit of inquiry in all our students as a fundamental tool for encouraging critical thinking and stimulating intellectual development.
- Create a safe and supportive environment which promotes self-discipline, honesty, integrity and excellence in learning.

We believe that the young adults who graduate from TIS possess the knowledge and relevant skills to unlock opportunities and contribute meaningfully to their communities.

Order of Programme

PART 1

	Prelude	(PYP & Exhibition Videos)
	Procession of Graduates –	Kinder 3 and Grade 6
	School Hymn -	Primary School Band (Now Praise Ye Great and Famous Men)
	Opening Prayer -	Sefakor Adzo Edze, Grade 4
	TIS Anthem -	School Community
)	Welcome Address/ - Purpose of gathering	Mr. Jacob Lumumba (PYP Coordinator)
	Principal's Message -	Dr Ken Darvall
	Student Council Address-	Chelina Mickson-Quarshie, Protocol Prefect
	Introduction of New Student Counci	I Charles Teye (Grade 2 Facilitator)
	Dance (Khona) -	Grades 3 – 5
	Introduction of Guest Speaker	Sean Appertey, Grade 4
-	Guest Speaker's Speech -	Dr. Hope Glover-Addy (Head of Paediatric Surgery Unit, Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital)
	Awards Presentation - (Academic Awards)	Early Years & Lower Primary (Grades 1-3)
	Early Years Performance -	Dreamers (Choreography)
	Awards Presentation (Academic Aw	ards) - Upper Primary (Grades 4-6)
	Poetry -	Grades 3 - 5

O Awards Presentation (Special Academic Awards & Special Awards)

PART 2 (GRADUATION CEREMONY)

0	Presentation to Kinder (Primary School Facilit		Angela Quaye, Charles Teye & Perfecta Esso
0	Kinder 3 Message	-	Alden-Henry Sarpong, Kinder 3
0	Presentation to Grade (Primary School Facilit		Angela Quaye, Charles Teye & Perfecta Esso
0	Valedictory Speech	-	Ashanti Tettey-Amlalo, Grade 6
0	Charge	-	Saviour Yevugah (Grade 6 Facilitator)
0	Parent's Message	-	Mrs. Carol Adusei
0	What a wonderful worl	d and Glorio	us- Primary School Choir
0	Congratulatory Messag	ge -	Mr. Jerry Darko (MYP Coordinator)
0	Highlife Medley	-	Primary School Band
0	Vote of Thanks	-	Sean Appertey, Grade 4
0	Closing Prayer	-	Klenam Gborglah, Grade 5
0	Recession -		Kinder 3 and Grade 6

Staff MC: Kwaku Darko Owusu

Student MC: Sean Appertey

Staff Moderators for Awards: Angela Quaye, Charles Teye & Perfecta Esso (Primary School Facilitators)



Message from Principal

Congratulations to our Grade 6 students on the remarkable culmination of their PYP journey. This year, you have actively demonstrated each IB Learner Profile attribute and made significant strides in your personal and academic growth. Your journey, encompassing the six PYP transdisciplinary themes, was punctuated by the memorable PYP Exhibition. Your efforts and outcomes were widely appreciated, and the Exhibition is a testament to your learning journey.

I am excited to welcome you to the Main Campus in August 2025 as the fifth graduating PYP cohort when you commence the next stage of your IB journey with the Middle Years Programme. I will rely on you to support newbies who will be joining TIS without prior IB experience.

To our Kinder 3 students, today we celebrate your graduation from the Early Years, as you have reached the end of your Early Years journey and are ready now to commence the Primary years of PYP. As a group, you have been focused, caring, engaged and active learners who

enjoyed the play-based learning environment that the Early Years offer. Congratulations on your successful year.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the staff members who have been instrumental in guiding our graduating students throughout their journey. Your dedication and commitment have been invaluable. We also want to acknowledge the exceptional support of our parents, who have laid a strong foundation for their children's success, even during challenging financial times over the past year.

We remain grateful for the outstanding close community spirit that is so evident at the TIS Primary Campus.

Thank you, everyone, for your role in our students' lives.

~ DR KEN DARVALL



Message from PYP Coordinator

Today we gather here to celebrate brilliance from a special group of students who have demonstrated a typical understanding of transformation and revolution. The graduating group especially the grade 6s, have traversed many educational journeys in search of reinventing themselves and finding that unique place on the pedestal of education. One walking through the corridors where most of their preparations took place would very much and metaphorically so hear them simply asking the questions, "How can one be revolutionary and yet remain traditional? How can one seek change while they hold on to the past?" Indeed and hence the coining of the theme "Step up for change". As revolutionist these smart students have indeed stepped up for change and a beautiful one for that.

I am proud of each and every one of them for the contributions they have made to TIS primary school. The many projects done, the unit celebrations produced, the many "fights"

for excellence, and most importantly the unique PYP Exhibition that was a testament of a cry for change. All these will for a while remain nostalgically with us here. These will keep our memories refreshed of the unique purpose of education as a tool for social reconstruction. As they walk away, truly they leave back a reflexive community of learners who have indeed been challenged to step up for change. I am proud of them for their resilience and commitment as they stood up for change from such diverse perspectives. I am proud of them that in every educational aspect they have overcome many hurdles and challenges to become the ambassadors of change.

Now, let me wish the graduates well as they move on to different spaces of learning. Please do keep the understanding that this move would simply be a setting of new, fresh benchmarks like you have always done here at the primary school. The environment will be different but you remain the same with your focus and zeal for transformation. I have every confidence in your ability to surpass all expectations because your own expectations of yourselves have always been beyond those set by those around you. Go on and make us more proud! Congratulations!

~ JACOB LUMUMBA



Meet Our Guest Speaker Dr. Hope Glover-Addy

Dr. Hope Glover-Addy is a distinguished paediatric surgeon whose journey reflects resilience, purpose, and a lifelong commitment to excellence in service.

His early education began at Paradise Nursery. He later attended Rev. John Teye Memorial Institute as a boarding student

for over a year, before completing his primary education at New Nation Preparatory School, also in Nima.

For his secondary education, Dr. Glover-Addy was a day student at St. Thomas Aquinas Secondary School, where he completed both his O-levels and A-levels. He then spent a year at Accra Workers' College before gaining admission to the University of Ghana Medical School in 1989. He graduated in 1997 as a medical doctor.

His housemanship was undertaken at the prestigious Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital, after which he served as a medical officer at Manna Mission Hospital in Teshie Tsuibleo and later at the Upper East Regional Hospital in Bolgatanga.

In the year 2000, he began residency training in General Surgery at the Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital, eventually specializing in Paediatric Surgery. In 2007, he was awarded Fellowship of the West African College of Surgeons in Dakar, Senegal.

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Dr. Glover-Addy is a proud member of both the Pan African Paediatric Surgical Association (PAPSA) and the Ghana Association of Paediatric Surgeons (GAPS). His areas of special interest include colorectal surgery and the management of intussusception in children. He is currently the head of the Paediatric Surgery Unit in Korle-Bu Teaching Hospital.

He has also serves in the Ghana Christian Medical and Dental Fellowship and is a former president of the fellowship, demonstrating his commitment not only to medicine but also his walk with God.

Beyond the operating theatre, Dr. Glover-Addy is a man of many passions. He finds joy in photography, painting, and gardening-creative pursuits that mirror his meticulous nature and deep appreciation for beauty and life.

Above all, he is a devoted husband and father of two daughters, a man whose personal and professional life continues to inspire many.







PYP UNIT CELEBRATION



TIS CORE VALUES TIS CORE VALUES TIS CORE

Excellence

We facilitate quality teaching and learning with our wide range of resources, to ensure that each member of the community reaches his or her peak of excellence.

2 International

Mindedness We are conscious of the global inter-connectedness. Hence, we engage in activities that make it easy to fit into every environment, regardless of which part of the world we find ourselves. We know everything about something, and something about everything.

4 Respect

We are aware of each other's feelings and develop healthy relationships amongst ourselves, which is a key for survival. We treat our environment with care as sustaining it will benefit us all.

5 Critical Thinking

We promote seeing and listening beyond the surface' kind of analysis in and outside class to enable us viewconcepts and theories from varied perspectives, and in the process, widening the scope of our knowledge. We do not take things simply for what they are. Rather, we take

We live by this 'Honesty is the best

them for tential and opportunity that innovativeness and imagination blossom.

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We operate with the 'alone we can do so little; together we can do so much' philosophy. Hence, we apply our knowledge to activities and group research, simultaneously establishing collaboration and cooperation amongst students, teachers, and parents.

8 Transparency

Nothing stays behind the light; we bring everything into the light. We ensure that TIS knowledge is everyone's knowledge.

9 Service

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Honesty

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policy'.

PS: That is the truth.

We believe that 'love has no meaning if it remains by itself, that it has to be put in action, and that action is service.' Therefore, we participate in community service to express our love for humanity, and the sustenance of our environment.

TIS FOUR PILLARS



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Student Council Executives

OUTGONE STUDENT COUNCIL 2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR





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NEW STUDENT COUNCIL 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR



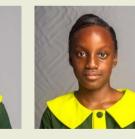
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Nursery

1. Andrew-Jesse Sarpong

• Dance

2. Ericsson Teye Akwada

- Language Skills
- Fine motor skills

3. Leona Joan Sapa Williams

- (Movement /Gross Motor Skills)
- Emotional skills
- Music
- Drama

Kinder 2

1. Michael Nana Yaw Owusu-Addo Jr

- Science Explorer Award
- Sign Language

2. Eleonora Mawujigua Kabuki Akwada

- Music
- Dance

3. Nana Kwame Asomah Hinneh

- Linguistic Laureate Award
- Numerical Genius Award
- Visual Arts

I. Kekle Jayce Agyekum

- Young World Explorer Award
- Sunshine Spirit Award (PSPE)
- Drama

Kinder 3

1. Raphael Jeremy Kofi Abaidoo

Linguistic Laureate Award

2. Ethan Sese Kofi Aboagye

Science Explorer Award

3. Ewuradjoa Campbell Dunca

- Numerical Genius Award
- Music
- Visual Arts
- Sign Language

4. Alden-Henry Nana Kwame Sarpong

- Young World Explorer Award (Social Studies)
- Sunshine Spirit Award
- Dance
- Drama

Grade 1

- 1. Joseph Liam Kwesi Asempa Mainoo
- Drama

2. Imani Mawusi Brown-Glover

- Mathematics
- PSPE

3. Lucille Baduwaa Annan

- English
- Music
- Visual Arts
- Sign Language

4. Dalma Nkunim Yakubu

- Science
- Social Studies
- Dance
- French
- Mandarin

Grade 2

- 1. Yohannes Uriel Aseda Webb
- Science

2. Obaa Abena Achiamah Sarfo

- Social Studies
- 3. Angele Joycelyn Ogheneosivweme Edward
- Dance

4. Seli Alphonsa Okudzeto

- Drama
- 5. Sedinam Ahorlu
- Visual Arts

6. Ellis Awuku Yaw Darko

- English
- Mathematics
- Sign Language

7.Yaa Asantewaa Ayisibea

- PSPE
- Music
- French
- Mandarin

Grade 3

1. Eyram Mickson-Quarshie

Mathematics

2. Amewusika Ewurama Tay

- PSPE
- Sign Language

3. Ellie Elinam Sevor

- Science
- Dance
- Visual Arts

4. Paa Kow Nalikem Oppan

- English
- Social Studies
- Music
- Drama
- French
- Mandarin

Grade 4

- 1. Klenam Jason Agyekum
- Mandarin
 - 2. Sean Jaydon Kemni Appertey
- English
- Mathematics

3. Isaiah Mawunyo Brown-Glover

- PSPE
- Music

4. Adalyn Titi Owusu-Addo

- Science
- Dance
- Visual Arts

5. David Owiredu Kwabena Darko

- Social Studies
- Drama
- French
- Sign Language

Grade 5

- 1. Alfred Papa Kofi Afriyie Anim
- Music
- 2. Nana Yaa Dokua Adusei
- Dance

3. Danielle Afriyie Acquaye

• Visual Arts

4. Victoria Naa Okaikwor Boatemaa Tettey-Amlalo

- English
- Social Studies

5. Michal Annoa Annan

- Drama
- Sign Language

6. Allen Nana Kofi B. Sarpong

- Mathematics
- Science
- PSPE
- French

Grade 6

- 1. Kwame Opoku Ahwenie Adusei
- Music
- 2. Ariella Nana Afia B. Sarpong
- Dance

3. Chelina Mickson-Quarshie

- Mathematics
- Science

4. Lady Priscilla Carboo

- Visual Arts
- French

5. Ashanti Naa Okailey Tettey-Amlalo

- English
- Social Studies
- PSPE
- Drama
- Mandarin
- Sign Language

Mother Tongue Awards

G	Adwoa Gyeduwaa Adom Darko Paa Kow Nalikem Oppan
τ	David Owiredu Kwabena Darko (Upper Primary) Shawn Nii Okaikoi Armar (Lower Primary)

The Spelling Champ Award

Early Years

- Raphael Jeremy Kofi Abaidoo (1st)
- Jamie Rodrigue Arthur-Mensah (2nd)
- Michael Nana Yaw Owusu-Addo Jr. (3rd)

Primary Years

- Solomon Benaiah Atseku (1st)
- Paa Kow Nalikem Oppan (2nd)
- Heaven Kukua Enyimnyam Mefful (3rd)

Special Academic Awards



Klenam Jason Agyekum (Grade 4)	Edmentum Star
Alfred Papa Kofi Afriyie Anim (Grade 5)	Edmentum Star
Ashanti Naa Okailey Tettey-Amlalo (Grade 6)	Edmentum Star
Kendrick Johannes Huisinga (Kinder 2)	Outstanding Progress Award
Raphael Jeremy Kofi Abaidoo (Kinder 3)	Outstanding Progress Award
Lucille Baduwaa Annan (Grade 1)	Outstanding Progress Award
Seli Alphonsa Okudzeto (Grade 2)	Outstanding Progress Award
Shawn Nii Okaikoi Armar (Grade 3)	Outstanding Progress Award
Sefakor Adjo Edze (Grade 4)	Outstanding Progress Award
Kyle Akligo Tinkah (Grade 5)	Outstanding Progress Award
Ariella Nana Afia B. Sarpong (Grade 6)	Outstanding Progress Award
Raphael Jeremy Kofi Abaidoo (Early Years)	Literary Luminary Award
Sheryl Senyuie Wornyoh (Lower Primary)	Literary Luminary Award
Heaven Kukua Enyimnyam Mefful (Upper Primar	y) Literary Luminary Award

Sport Awards



Alden-Henry Nana Kwame Sarpong	Early Years (Boys)
Eleonora Mawujigua Kabuki Akwada	Early Years (Girls)
Paa Kow Nalikem Oppan	Lower Primary (Boys)
Amewusika Ewurama Tay	Lower Primary (Girls)
Reginald Kweku Danquah	Upper Primary (Boys)
Ashanti Naa Okailey Tettey-Amlalo	Upper Primary (Girls)

Special Awards



- Ashanti Naa Okailey Tettey-Amlalo (Upper Primary)
- Kwame Opoku Ahwenie Adusei (Upper Primary)
- Reginald Kweku Danquah (Upper Primary)
- Ariella Nana Afia B. Sarpong (Upper Primary)

Outstanding PYP Exhibition Award (Most Detailed Research) Outstanding PYP Exhibition Award (Creatively Displayed Exhibit) Outstanding PYP Exhibition Award (Best Action-Oriented Exhibit) Outstanding PYP Exhibition Award (Best Collaborative Leader)

Special Awards

Most Supportive Grade 5 PYPX Partners

- Victoria Naa Okaikwor Boatemaa Tettey-Amlalo
- Alfred Papa Kofi Afriyie Anim
- Allen Nana Kofi B. Sarpong
- Elsa Eyram Sevor
- Michal Annoa Annan
- GRADE 2

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Special Recognition Awards 🔻

• Elijah Kwesi Kabutey Akwada (Grade 4)

• Alden-Henry Nana Kwame Sarpong (Kinder 3)

Growth Mindset Award

Class of the Year

$\star \star \star$ Students of the Year $\star \star \star$

- Alden-Henry Nana Kwame Sarpong (Kinder 3) Stellar Early Years Student
- Ashanti Naa Okailey Tettey-Amlalo (Grade 6) IB PYP

IB PYP Student of the Year

Parent Awards

Mrs Ekua Armar

Spirit of Partnership Award

- Mrs Akua Sarpong Spir
 - Spirit of Partnership Award



Early Years & Grade 6 Graduates







Congratulations



ETHAN SESE KOFI ABOAGYE



EWURADJOA CAMPBELL DUNCAN



RAPHAEL JEREMY KOFI ABAIDOO



ALDEN-HENRY NANA KWAME SARPONG



JAMIE-RODRIGUE AHYEMU ARTHUR-MENSAH



Grade Six Graduates



Congratulations





Message from MYP Coordinator

It is always a delight to see our young learners in Grade 6 graduate from the PYP. For many of you (if not all), you have been looking forward to this day with great anticipation.

Thankfully, the day is here! Congratulations on achieving this milestone!

This indeed has opened a new chapter in your educational journey: a transition from the Primary Years Programme (PYP) to the Middle Years Programme (MYP). Your time in the PYP offered a unique experience and a solid foundation for your further studies in the MYP. Do not forget the lessons from the transdisciplinary learning experiences, enrichment programmes, exhibitions, and service initiatives because your MYP teachers will constantly refer to them during lessons and other learning experiences at the secondary campus.

MYP is a continuation of your IB education and at TIS, there are several interventions to ensure a smooth transition for all learners. One of such interventions is the Overnight stay on the secondary campus. Reading your reflections for this year's visit is a testament to the unique opportunities that boarding school provides, especially the experience at TIS.

At this time in 2021, some students were in the same place that you are in today. They stood in front of the school community to receive their certificate of PYP completion. These students did not stop at anything but continued to MYP and today, I am delighted to inform the school community that they have dully completed their MYP journey.

Abena Oforiwaa Okoampah, Adlynn Mate, Mawuena Apreku, Ewen Sevor, and John Opeku are our proud pioneer PYP Alumni who have also completed MYP. They await the next challenge in August, the Diploma Programme (DP).

To you, graduands, let their story inspire you to achieve greater heights in your IB education.

Parents, please continue to support our young learners and be rest assured that the MYP and the boarding experience at TIS will help them to become lifelong learners. **Thank you, Jerry Darko**.

Celebrating Our Pioneer Primary Years Programme (PYP) Learners on Completing the Middle Years Programme (MYP)



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U/e look forward to supporting and witnessing their continued growth as they progress toward the completion of the IB Diploma Programme (DP).

TIS Hymn & Anthem

HYMN

Now praise we great and famous men, The fathers, named in story; And praise the Lord who now as then Reveals in man His glory.

Praise we the wise and brave and strong, Who graced their generation; Who helped the right, and fought the wrong, And made our folk a nation.

Praise we the glorious names we know, And they whose names have perished, Lost, in the haze of long ago, In silent love be cherished.

In peace their sacred ashes rest, Fulfilled their day's endeavour; They blessed the earth, and they are blessed Of God and man forever.

KNOWLEDGE IS THE KEY... (Anthem)

- TIS a haven of excellence (Bis) And cultural diversity. We strive to inculcate in our human resource the spirit of inquiry; As a fundamental tool for creative thinking, critical reasoning, And intellectual development
- 2. TIS a haven of excellence (Bis) And cultural diversity.
 Equator meets Meridian at the heart of the world,
 You will find our cherished School:
 Intellectually creative minds and souls abide in harmony;
 God and knowledge as our guide.

CHORUS: Knowledge is the Key... "TIS" (Bis) We are equipped with knowledge And skills to meet the challenges of our global village. TEMA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL Knowledge is the KEY...

On behalf of the Co-Founder, Mrs Comfort Adzo Adjavon, the Founding Family, Board of Governors and TIS community we thank our distinguished Guest Speaker, Dr. Hope Glover-Addy for his wise words and counsel, our Parent Speaker, Mrs. Carol Adusei for joining us on this special occasion, our invited guests, our parents and friends of TIS for their constant support and collaboration in developing our learners, our staff for their efforts to ensure a successful year and to everyone who assisted in making this day a special one.

Thank you

"Success is not enough. Excellence is required." Dr. Ken Darvall, Principal,Tema International School







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