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NEWSLETTER FOR FIRST TERM 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR

INTRODUCTION/GRATITUDE:

To the Most Holy Trinity be honour and glory forever and ever, Amen!
Dear parents and collaborators, I thank God for brining us to the end of this year 2025, and the end of our first term in the 2025/2026 academic year. Indeed, God is good. I want to thank the proprietor of our college, Most Rev. Valerian Maduka Okeke for his constant encouragement and guidance; may God bless him in his health and ministry. To our hardworking staff – tutorial and non-tutorial –, I express gratitude for your dedication and contributions.

I am grateful to you, dear parents. Thank you for your understanding, encouragement and support. I know your struggles, but Christ the King whom we just celebrated, is bigger than all your problems. Have faith, be hopeful and resign to His will.

I recommend that you read this newsletter attentively, do not rush through it. Take your time, so that you can assimilate the message for corresponding action.

THE CHRISTMAS BREAK:

The Christmas break begins on Saturday, the 6th of December 2025; and will end on Saturday the 10th of January 2026. **All parents are to pick their sons from 11 am on Saturday 6th December. And bring them back before 4 pm on January, 10th 2026. Those who must travel a long distance are to leave early the next day, 7th of December.** WASSCE candidates (those in SS3) will not go on Christmas break; I will say more on this below.

FIRST TERM RESULTS:

The first term results will be available online when the teachers are done with their compilation and vetting. You will be informed via the WhatsApp platforms when they are ready.

Parents who did not attend the PTD meeting will not be able to access their children's result. They are invited to the college for special meeting with the management. This meeting will not admit of any representative. The male parent or both MUST attend. The meeting will hold on Wednesday 10th December, 2025, by 10 am prompt. To be late or absent, this time again, is a clear message that such a parent does not want to collaborate with us in raising their sons.

STUDENTS ON CONDITIONAL PROMOTION:

Students on conditional promotion should be aware that their scores in this term's exam will determine whether they will continue in their new class, or be demoted to their previous class. Remember the legal agreement you signed to this effect. Seniors are expected to score up to 60% in all their subjects. For juniors, at least 50% in all subjects is the benchmark.

RECENT PROJECTS:

The college has completed and painted the 400 meters fence bordering the college and Menax road. We have also built a new Laundromat where students can now iron their cloths. We want to have school pressing irons for common use. Please feel free to donate as many as you can to the laundromat. Because of this development, all charcoal irons are to be sent home. Students are to use the ironing room free of charge. The machine wash section is for clerical vestments, clinic laundry needs, etc. Moreover, we have completed the foundation of the new tutors' quarters, a two-storey building with 18 apartments. For now, you are not bound to contribute to the project except for free will donations.

GCE/WAEC 2026:

Because of the imminent GCE exam coming up in late January, the SS3 students will not go on Christmas break. This was discussed and agreed in our meeting with their parents, and the boys themselves. By the 6th of December 2025, the extension will begin.

WAEC and GCE registrations will cost each candidate a hundred thousand naira (**#100,000**). External exam fees are paid into: **First bank.**

CKC Miscellaneous Account, no.: 2001059566.

NECO exam is not mandatory because we already have two external exams (GCE and WAEC). If there are candidates who wish to participate in the NECO exam, they should meet the VP academics to register as private candidates.

THE NEW CEREMONIAL WHITE:

As discussed in the last PTD. A superior white material has been procured for every student to sew a fitting pair of trousers and a long-sleeved shirt for both Juniors and Seniors. The material will be shared on Saturday morning before departure. Parents should note and ensure that this cloth is sewn in a simple manner without any exaggerations. It should be fitted but not tight or bogus. The name of the student should be inscribed on the neck of the long sleeve shirt with a black paint, and by the side of the pocket of the trousers. It should be designed and carved by a professional artist. The character must be our regular CKC pattern. Please don't write with marker or any colour apart from black. We shall post samples of the school's recommended inscription-pattern on the WhatsApp platforms.

The cost for the material is #11,500. In order to avoid confusion, it will be paid with the second term school fees.

Confirmation candidates this year, and others who received the already made ones are exempt from collecting the material or sewing a new one. Those in this category who are yet to pay should do so.

SECOND TERM SCHOOL FEES:

The fee remains #150,000 only, plus #11,500 for the above-mentioned material = **#161,500**.

The ceremonial material is optional for those in SS3. However, they should pay their 2nd and 3rd term fees together; that is: #150,000x2 = #300,000.

School fees Account detail: Oluchukwu Microfinance Bank. CKC ONITSHA. Account number: 1110235904.

BECE (JUNIOR WAEC):

Those in JSS3 will register for BECE exams with the sum of **#12,000**. The BECE fee should be paid separately from school fees. Account detail: **FBN, CKC Miscellaneous Account, no.: 2001059566.**

CDH SUPPORT:

CDH is the #10,000 contribution for (1) health services (4000), (2) diesel (5000), and (3) haircut (1000). This is paid in OMFB but with a different account number. **OMFB: CKC Miscellaneous Account, 1110272508.** The CDH applies to all students irrespective of their class.

CKC CASHLESS POLICY:

In CKC, there is no canteen where one can buy any form of edible. Relevant payments and purchases are done using the wallet cards. Students do not need cash except for Sunday offering (four #100 notes for one term). This cashless policy requires that you pay your son's pocket money into **Fidelity Bank: Students' Welfare Account, Account number: 5700077218**. What you pay-in depends on his needs and on what remains in his wallet. We recommend a minimum of #10,000 for the pocket money.

NOTA BENE:

Note that personal provisions (beverages) are prohibited in our college. Growth is not a comfortable process. We should give the children what they need, and not what they want. It is our duty to

prepare the children for the road, and not to prepare the road for them.



Pray for your children and be a good example for them.

May the Lord who has given you the privilege of having children give you the wisdom and resources to cater for them. Amen!

I wish you a very fruitful season of Advent and a joyful Christmas in advance.

Yours in Christ,

Signed:



Rev. Fr. Dr. Celestine A. Okafor
Manager/Principal