

**FEDERAL MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**  
**FEDERAL SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE, KUTA-SHIRORO**  
**NEWSLETTER**  
**FIRST TERM 2024/2025 ACADEMIC SESSION**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I give glory to Almighty God for His protection and guidance in all our activities through the term. I also appreciate you for your contribution to the successful conclusion of the term.

**Admission Exercise**

Admission exercise to JSS 1 and SS 1 was successfully carried out in the course of the term. Successful students have been fully integrated in all College activities.

**Training/Competitions**

Our students took part in competitions/trainings organized by Federal Ministry of Education in different parts of the country. These trainings are designed to provide platform for the students from different parts of the country to interact, thereby broadening their horizon about the country as well as acquire and develop different technological and vocational skills.

The programmes that took place in the course of the term included:

- i. GLOBE Project Exhibition hosted at FGC, Ilorin from 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- ii. TVET Camp for Girls of Federal Science and Technical Colleges in Nigeria hosted at FSTC, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State from 6<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2024.
- iii. CODERINA Robotic Competition hosted at Federal Government College, Ilorin, from 14<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2024.

One of such programmes, Technical, Vocational and Education Training Camp earlier scheduled for 26<sup>th</sup> November to 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2024 in FSTC, Jalingo, Taraba State has been postponed to 14<sup>th</sup> January to 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 at the same venue.

**1. Registration for SSCE**

This has commenced with series of interactions with the students, especially on choice of subjects and how to fill in required information. Towards this, parents/guardians whose children/wards have not obtained the National Identification Number (NIN) should ensure this is done before resumption for next term.

**2. Labour Trade Test**

This will be conducted by March, 2025. The registration fees are as follows:

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|----|------------------|---|--------|
| a) | Class III        | - | ₦7,500 |
| b) | Class II         | - | ₦8,000 |
| c) | Class II and III | - | ₦9,000 |

Registration for the test shall strictly be based on payment of the fees as stated above. Students concerned should pay (cash) to Bursary on resumption.

### **3. School Fees**

Every student has been given the bill for Second Term school fees. Parents should pay in any bank using the RRR attached to the bill. Cash payment shall not be accepted.

### **Discipline**

Level of discipline in the College is generally commendable. The few cases of infraction recorded were promptly tackled in accordance with guidelines by Federal Ministry of Education. I enjoin parents/guardians to counsel the children on the importance of conducting themselves well, especially in the school.

### **Resumption**

The College is scheduled to resume on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 (for Boarding students), and Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 (for day students). Deadline for arrival of boarding students is 5.00pm; no student will be allowed into the school after the deadline.

### **Requirement**

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| i. Torch light (battery)                 | xi. Black shoes                 |
| ii. Tie                                  | xii. White bed sheets           |
| iii. Blazer                              | xiii. Toilet brush (JSS I & II) |
| iv. Black belt                           | xiv. Check bed sheets           |
| v. Izal/Jik (all students)               | xv. Check house wears           |
| vi. Two brooms (JSS III, SS II & SS III) | xvi. White short sleeves        |
| vii. Detergent (all students)            | xvii. White long sleeves        |
| viii. ₦500 House dues                    | xviii. Flat stainless plate     |
| ix. ₦500 Religious dues                  | xix. Cutlery                    |
| x. ₦200 Class due                        | xx. Plastic parker (SS 1)       |

### **Contraband Items**

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|----------------------------|---------------------|
| ❖ Canned/Tinned provisions | ❖ Tight skirt/Gowns |
| ❖ Handset                  | ❖ Mufty             |
| ❖ Charcoal/Electric iron   | ❖ Ankle glazers     |

### **Submission of E-mail address**

To ease communication between the College and parents/guardians, you are requested to forward your email address through your child/ward.

### **Literary Texts**

Due to the dramatic increase in cost of books, the College cannot provide some literary texts required for BECE. Consequently, parents/guardians are requested to buy the following texts for their children/wards:

## **JSS 1**

### **Author**

1. Stigma Samson O. Shabeyo
2. Sacrilege Adeyeye Adetutu

## **JSS 2**

### **Author**

1. Addiction Nicole Bertram
2. Somayina Chigbo Ugwuoke

## **JSS 3**

### **Author**

1. The Thinkinghead Akeem Ajibade
2. The Clock Ngozi Chima Uzosike

## **Holiday Assignment**

The students have been given holiday assignment to keep them busy during the holidays. Parents are enjoined to ensure that the assignments are done.

## **Hostel Beddings**

Many students come to school without the basic boarding house beddings or they have become so tattered such that they can no longer serve their purposes.

These include:

Mattress

Pillow

Mosquito net (white)

Bed sheets (white and House check colour)

Pillow cases (white and House check colour)

Consequently, all students have been instructed to take them home for refurbishing or outright replacement as the case may be.

## **Conclusion**

I would like to once again appreciate you on your efforts toward your children/wards' education. I pray that God will continue to bless and protect you in your endeavours. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.



**Sidi-Ali Muhammad Attai**  
**Principal**