

8th January 2021

Dear Parents and Friends,

JAMES HOPE

I trust that all is well as we are about to resume for the second term.

However, we have been informed this morning that schools in Delta State, including James Hope College, may only *resume on Sunday, 17th of January 2021*. Yes, this is a week later than previously informed by the Delta State Government. This is most frustrating as I know that parents have been planning and preparing, and already spent monies on travel arrangements. I thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we are all at the behest of this *dictatorial Covid-19 virus*.

Importantly, our *teachers will reach out shortly to all students to start the teaching & learning for this new term*.

Furthermore, our *Nurses are calling all parents* currently to inquire about the health of our students. If they *suffer from any flu-like conditions*, then to *seek medical intervention* and provide a *medical report with health clearance upon resumption*. The latter is of extreme importance as it will only take one infected person to put all campus dwellers at risk. We have been doing great over the last term and I ask you to continue to show the same vigilance and support.

In conclusion, 'The purpose of life is a life of purpose', and 'The only disability in life is a bad attitude.'

Be safe until we meet again.

Yours truly, **Abraham. P. Swart** Principal

REMINDERS

JHC YEAR 7 AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS for TERM 2

Please remember to return to College with the required items.

YEAR 12 IGCSE DT PROJECT MATERIALS

The Year 12 IGCSE DT students have been given information about the *materials they require to complete their projects*. Do not forget to return with these.

HEALTHY, SAFE and PROTECTED AGAINST COVID-19 & HAIR STYLES

Please adhere closely to the following **before resumption for term 2**, **face masks** (at least between three to four washable fabrics) must be brought to College with at least **2 bottles of pocket hand sanitizer**. All boys must return with **appropriate haircut** and **girls if wearing braids**, this must be of the same colour as that of their hair. **No face mask, then no entry from the main gate.**

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Here follows the travel information for the **Air Peace bookings** (<u>www.flyairpeace.com</u>):

	Abuja- Asaba	Lagos-Asaba
Departure: 17 th January 2020	11:45 am	8:40 am
Return: To be announced		

As a practice, all tickets should be forwarded to lekkyes.dadwang@jameshopecollege.edu.ng, and sunday.oloyede@jameshopecollege.edu.ng at least two weeks before the departure date. Also note that the above timings are subject to change by the airline.

FUTURE EVENTS

Date	Event
7 th January 2021	Staff Inset Day
17 th January 2021	Students resume for the start of Term 2
23 rd & 30 th January 2021	JHC Entrance/Admissions Exams for 2021/22
26 th March 2021	End of Term

For more information or clarification on any matter, please feel free to contact me at, 0708 396 4440 or abraham.swart@jameshopecollege.edu.ng