



**LIFEFORTE  
INTERNATIONAL  
HIGH SCHOOL**

### OUR PURPOSE

To nurture minds from the cradle, train them through the precarious years of adolescence, to a place where they will know the difference between good and evil, and have the strength of character to choose good.



## BLOOM TERM NEWSLETTER 2025

4<sup>th</sup> April, 2025

### KEY FACTS TO NOTE

- Extension Classes 2025
- International Day 2025

### IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES

**Harvest (3rd) Term Begins**– Saturday, 26th April, 2025

**Mid-Term Break (one week)**– Saturday, 31st May, 2025

**Mid-Term resumption**– Saturday, 7th June, 2025

**Valedictory Service**– To be announced

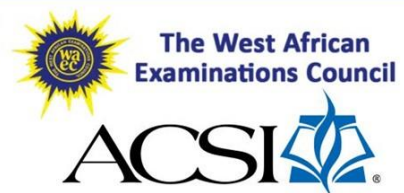
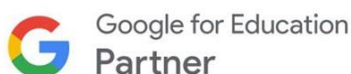
**Harvest (3rd) Term ends**– Friday, 18th July, 2025

### **Dear Parents/Guardians**

On behalf of our beloved Chairman and CEO, Pastors (Drs) Olubi and Sarah Johnson, the Governing Board and the entire Lifeforte family, we would like to express our deep gratitude to God for bringing us to the close of this exciting term. Your advice, encouragement and contributions have been instrumental to the progress we are making; and for this we say 'thank you'.

We are in a season of transition, sharpening our academic edge with blended learning and strengthening team culture through a more inclusive approach to our daily routine. This is helping to foster connections and acceptance in our community; a sense of belonging and recognition that each individual has something to contribute and is worthy of respect. Our International Day celebration this half-term witnessed parents contributing materials needed, students buzzing with creative ideas and strategy, teachers helping to refine and leadership building the awareness of values being imbibed so that our community was enriched, amidst the fun, by the uniting of perspectives and strengthening of bonds.

**CEO:** Sarah Johnson (B.A., M.A., Ph.D.)



As the term ends today, junior grades are proceeding on the Easter holiday while seniors take a deep breath before commencing intensive preparations for examinations at different levels. We trust our Faithful God to guide their effort and crown it with exceptional success.

May this Easter usher us into a more fulfilling and victorious relationship with Christ and with one another. Amen.

Thank you  
Lifeforte Family

## **FROM: THE PRINCIPAL**

We will share reports for students very shortly and expect that you will go through them carefully. You can communicate any concerns or observations you have regarding your child's work either by a direct call to 08052264640 or by email to [principal@lifeforte.com](mailto:principal@lifeforte.com). While we continue to work towards all our students achieving excellent grades in all subjects, we hope you will also recognize your child's current level of achievement and commend effort being made to improve. This recognition and encouragement reinforce the child's confidence and leads to higher achievement. All children are endowed uniquely and will thrive and reach their full potential with acceptance and encouragement. Parents can also take advantage of the opportunity to discuss issues concerning their children with the CEO, Dr. Sarah Johnson, by email at [sarahjenquiries@lifeforte.com](mailto:sarahjenquiries@lifeforte.com).

## **FROM: THE CURRICULUM AND STUDIES DEPARTMENT**

### **External Examinations and Extension Classes**

Classes have begun for students in Grades 9, 12 and A levels towards their examinations. Grade 11 students also commenced classes. We expect parents to work with us to ensure that students get the most out of this time. Consequently, please note that:

- NO EXEATS will be issued for the purposes of the Easter holidays. Students are expected to remain in school during this period.
- Food items, money, mobile phones, electrical appliances, technological or digital devices of any sort are not permitted.
- Visiting is scheduled for the Easter Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2025 from 10am till 5pm. The venue is the school Auditorium. Thank you.

## **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Out of class learning is always fun and we are pleased to share highlights of exciting activities that enable our students evolve into responsible global citizens who are equipped to provide sustainable solutions to the challenges of our dynamic and diverse world. This half term, our Online Safety week and International Day celebration were major highlights. Our Appendix tells the story.

## **INTERNATIONAL DAY 2025**

This annual celebration of cultural diversity and rich history of our world is a highlight of the Bloom term. A unique opportunity to experience the world from the edge of your seat, it gives our students the opportunity to exhibit inherent skills in dance, music, acting and public speaking to depict general knowledge and key facts about different nations. Our journey this year took us from Spain (grade 7)

through Zambia (grade 8) to Colombia (grade 9). A stop-over in Thailand (grade 10) led us to Germany (grade 11) before our final destination, Argentina (grade 12).

As the excitement from the activities reached a climax with the fashion show, it was time for the team of expert judges to announce the winners. Colombia edged out Zambia as winners in the junior category while Germany showed their strength over Argentina in the senior category. Beyond the competition were the memories and camaraderie of each group captured in pixels. We hope to see you next year!

## **BLOOM TERM AWARDS**

We are pleased to recognize the effort by our students to imbibe values being highlighted through activities in the School of Skills, Knowledge and Attributes, as well as the School of Global Citizenship and Intercultural Learning.

### **Critical Thinking award**

Won by 11<sup>th</sup> graders representing Germany for their impressive poem 'The World Wars and the Berlin Wall' dramatized in both German and English languages.

### **Creativity award**

Grade 8 students depicted Zambia remarkably well with their brilliant understanding and display of Art and Craft.

### **Curiosity award**

7<sup>th</sup> graders (Spain) and 9<sup>th</sup> graders (Colombia) were outstanding in their cultural attires. Their costume design, poise and fashion sense were second to none.

### **Communication award**

Thailand (Grade 10) was depicted in a very vivid, articulate and friendly manner using PowerPoint slides that kept the audience engaged all through.

### **Collaboration award**

The Zambian national anthem was rendered flawlessly with musical instruments in a wonderful display by 8<sup>th</sup> graders.

### **Digital award**

This award was won by 12<sup>th</sup> graders (Argentina) for the graphic quality of their slides, content complete with embedded video showcasing advanced skills.

Congratulations to all our winners. Your dedication to excellence was truly inspiring. Details are in the Appendix.

## **HOLIDAY AND CLUB ASSIGNMENTS**

We have put together assignments to keep our students' minds engaged through exercises designed to improve digital and mental skills. Assignments will be in the Google classroom, and details will also be shared in the Appendix. We count on your support to help ensure they are completed over the holidays.

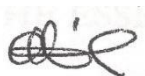
## **FROM THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

We thank all our parents/guardians for the prompt payment of their children/wards' fees and bills. Please be reminded that fees are to be paid in full **on or before** the start of the third term (26<sup>th</sup> April, 2025). For students on extension – Grades 9, 11, 12 and A level, we reiterate our appeal to parents in these grades to pay their children's bills on or before Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2025 to enable us to update our records and ensure a smooth transition into the new term.

## **MONITORING AND OVERSIGHT**

It is important as parents that we oversee and guide our children's activities and interests, particularly while they are at home. The internet is an endless resource for learning but can be harmful without scrutiny and supervision. Please make it a point to personally monitor and be interested in your child/children's activities, especially online. Please encourage them in daily prayer, Bible reading and meditation.

God bless you all. We wish you all a restful holiday and a happy Easter.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'G. Aina', written in a cursive style.

Mrs. Grace Aina  
Principal