

# END OF YEAR Newsletter

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Welcome to the first edition of the Acadia newsletter!

As we come to the end of this academic year, it's a pleasure to reflect on the journey we've undertaken together and to share some exciting updates with you.

Our learners have impressed us with their dedication and passion for learning. From classroom achievements to extracurricular activities, their enthusiasm has inspired all of us! As we end this school year, let's celebrate their accomplishments.

# ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE



We are delighted to inform you that our Early Years section is firmly rooted in terms of Academic excellence. We also had a successful start with our primary section this school year offering the Cambridge curriculum. The response in terms of numbers has been good, we expect more learners in the primary section during the coming academic year. Management has prepared well for the next academic year in terms of infrastructure and resources for Year One and Year Two classes. We look forward to a much bigger group next school year.

## HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS ACADEMIC YEAR:

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES / CLUBS AND CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

We have had numerous activities and events this school year, from extra-curricular activities to co-curricular activities, there was something for every child to look forward to.

This school year, learners have participated in the following extra-curricular activities which we run as clubs: Swimming club / Swimming lessons, Ballet club,

Piano lessons, Junior Chef club and the Football club.

Acadia children also engaged in a number of co-curricular activities which enhanced their learning experiences. These included: Music lessons, Assembly presentations, Project work, Gardening and Field trips.



Swimming Club



Ballet Club



Music Club



Junior Chef Club



Football Club



Piano Club



Gardening



Project Work



Field Trips



Craft making



Assembly Presentation

# ACADEMIC CELEBRATIONS

In addition to the above activities, this year, Children enjoyed many fun filled academic celebrations which also enhanced their learning through either craft making, storytelling, role-plays, assembly presentations etc. These included: International Literacy Day, Teacher's Day, Independence Day, World Children's Day, International Day of Education, International Women's Day, World water Day, Mothers' Day, etc.



International Literacy Day



Mother's Day



World Children's Day



International Women's Day

## ACADEMIC CELEBRATIONS

This academic year 2023 -2024, we have had several events which include:

### 1. World Children's Day Production in term one.



We celebrated World Children's Day with a musical production at the end of term one. The theme was – "FOR EVERY CHILD, EVERY RIGHT" where Acadia children presented their rights through Speeches, Poems, songs, dances, and other creative performances. We closed off with a Christmas performance and celebration which the children and parents enjoyed a lot. We thank all our parents for coming to support and see their children's performances.

### 2. Official opening of the Swimming pool



We are thrilled to announce that on 13th December 2023, we had the grand opening of our swimming pool. This facility promises to enhance our curriculum with engaging water activities and swimming lessons tailored for all age groups. Join us in celebrating this exciting addition to our infrastructure, as we strive to provide a well-rounded, enriching environment for your child's growth and development.

### 3. A trip to Paper Craft Africa in term two.

In line with our school value of CREATIVITY, this field trip provided our learners with an experience in the art of paper crafting using natural products and recycled materials like paper, broken glasses and papers. The learners also had the opportunity to witness skilled artisans at work, engaged in hands-on activities like glass vases making, beads making and photo frame making which the learners later took home.



## 4. A step-up celebration together with a Graduation ceremony in term 3.



We have concluded term three in style by celebrating all learners for moving up to the next level. In a special way, we have also held a graduation ceremony for the FS2 learners congratulating them for the successful completion of Early Years and wishing them all the best in their next chapter of Primary school. We thank all the parents for supporting the FS2 learners during their Early Years classes. We thank all parents/guardians who have graced this ceremony.

# PARENT – TEACHER COLLABORATIONS

We believe that strong partnerships between home and school are essential for the students' success. We encourage all parents to stay engaged with their children's education by attending parent-teacher conferences, volunteering, and participating in school events. Together, we can create a supportive environment where every child can thrive.

We wish all our learners a restful summer break as we look forward to the next academic year 2024-2025 starting on 26th August 2024.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and partnership in nurturing our learners to become compassionate global citizens.

Warm regards,

Management  
Acadia International School

## Please note the following key dates for 2024- 2025 School Year

Term 1	
26/08/2024	School starts
14/10/2024 - 18/10/2024	Midterm Break
08/11/2024	Parent Teacher Meeting
13/12/2024	End of Term 1

Term 2	
06/01/2025	School starts
12/02/2025 - 14/02/2025	Midterm Break
07/03/2025	Parent Teacher Meeting
28/03/2025	End of Term 1

Term 3	
07/04/2025	School starts
23/05/2025	Parent Teacher Meeting
20/06/2025	End of Term 3



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