



END OF THE WEEK NEWSLETTER

Week 5 Summer Term |

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WELCOME

FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we come to the end of another week, I would like to wish all our students the very best in their assessments. Cycle Tests have commenced, and the Checkpoint Examinations were also held this week. We are proud of the effort and commitment our students continue to show in their academic work.

Alongside the examinations, a few important activities also took place during the week. Our Year 9 students participated in special PSHE classes focused on supporting their personal growth.

We are also delighted to celebrate the excellent performances of our students in sporting competitions last week. Our football team delivered an outstanding performance at the competition hosted by Avi-Cenna International School, while our swimmers achieved great success at the Quomodo Swimming Competition held at the Ikoyi Club Swimming Pool. We are extremely proud of all the students who represented the school so well.

Excitement is also building as our students prepare for the upcoming school trips to France and the United Kingdom. We are confident that the trips will provide wonderful opportunities for learning, cultural exposure, and memorable experiences. Necessary measures have been put in place to ensure that the students have a safe, enjoyable, and enriching time away.

Please do not miss the important announcements contained in this newsletter. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Do have a lovely weekend with your children.

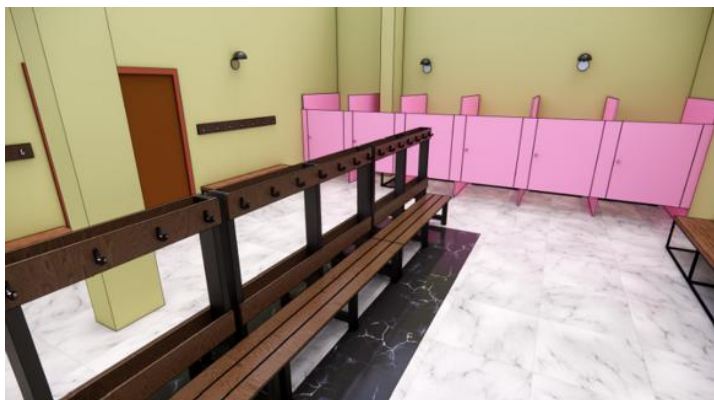
Warm regards,

Richard McMahon
Head of School

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Swimming Attire Requirement during Changing Room Renovation

We wish to inform parents that, due to the ongoing renovation of the swimming changing rooms, temporary arrangements will be in place from Week 6. All Key Stage 2 pupils (Years 3 to 6) should wear a swimming robe, big shirt, or big towel over their swimming costume when moving between the classroom and the swimming pool, and again on the return journey. Pupils will change back into their school uniform after returning to class. **Please note that pupils who do not bring any of the items listed above will not be able to participate in swimming lessons on that day.** We appreciate your cooperation and support.



Supervision of Pupils after Pick-Up

We kindly request that all parents ensure their children remain with them immediately after pick-up. It is the responsibility of parents to supervise their children at all times after collection. Parents are therefore advised to either leave the school premises with their children immediately or remain with them and ensure they are properly supervised while still on site.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in helping us maintain a safe environment for all.

Late Pick-Up Policy

A gentle reminder that the school will be taking late pick-up very seriously from next week. Any child who is not picked up by 5:00 p.m. will attract a late pick-up charge, which will be invoiced to parents. We kindly advise all parents to ensure prompt pick-up to avoid these charges.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in helping us maintain proper end-of-day arrangements for all students.

SPORTS

Football Competition at Avi-Cenna International School

On Saturday, 9 May 2026, Grange School pupils participated in a football competition hosted by Avi-Cenna International School and delivered an outstanding performance. The girls' team played a friendly match against Avi-Cenna and secured a commendable 1-0 victory. The boys' team progressed strongly through the group stage, recording a win and a draw to qualify for the semi-finals. They went on to defeat Avi-Cenna Team A 3-1, before overcoming St. Saviour's School, Ebute-Metta 2-0 in the final to emerge overall champions. The girls received a Certificate of Participation, while the boys claimed the Champions' Trophy alongside individual honours, including Best Goalkeeper and joint Highest Goal Scorers.



Quomodo Swimming Competition

Grange Secondary School produced a fantastic performance at the Quomodo Swimming Competition held at the prestigious Ikoyi Club Swimming Pool.

Our students competed with confidence proudly representing the school in both the junior and senior categories. The team's hard work resulted in an outstanding achievement as Grange Secondary School emerged Overall Champions with a total of 201 points.

The junior team delivered an exceptional performance, contributing 159 points, while the senior team added 42 points to the final tally. We are incredibly proud of the swimmers and grateful to the coaches and staff whose support and guidance made this achievement possible.

Congratulations to the entire team on this well-deserved victory. We look forward to many more outstanding performances in the future.



FRANCE AND UK TRIPS

Exciting International Trips Await Our Students

Excitement is building as our students prepare for their upcoming international trips next week. Our Year 8 and Year 9 students travelling to France will have the opportunity to visit some of the country's most famous landmarks and attractions, including Notre-Dame Cathedral, French National Assembly, Montmartre, Palace of Versailles, Louvre Museum, Cité des Sciences et de l'Industrie, Disneyland Paris, Paris Saint-Germain F.C., Eiffel Tower, and the National Museum of Natural History. Our Year 5 students travelling to the United Kingdom will enjoy an exciting experience at PGL Camp, where they will participate in a variety of adventurous activities such as fencing, zip wire, buggy building, Jacob's Ladder, archery tag, orienteering, crate challenge, and the sensory trail. They will also enjoy a London excursion, visiting famous sites including Westminster Bridge, Big Ben, Buckingham Palace, and Covent Garden. We are certain that these trips will provide our students with unforgettable experiences filled with learning, adventure, and fun.



PRIMARY SCHOOL



Year 2 Pupils Inspire Awareness on Protecting Life on Land (SDG 15)

On Tuesday, 12th May, our Year 2 pupils presented a lovely class assembly on the theme of protecting life on land (SDG 15). This followed their visit to the Greenfingers Wildlife Conservation Centre, where they had the opportunity to see different rescued animals up close. Animals that had been saved from danger, injury, or illegal hunting. The visit inspired the pupils greatly, and they returned eager to share what they had learned. They carefully planned and presented an assembly to help raise awareness about the importance of protecting life on land.

The presentation was lively and enjoyable, featuring poems, dance, and a short drama, along with other creative performances.

It was a wonderful reminder that learning becomes even more meaningful when it is shared with others.



Year 6 Checkpoint Exam

The Year 6 Checkpoint Examinations have been progressing smoothly. The English and Mathematics papers have been successfully completed, while the Science examination is still to be written. We commend our students for the calm, focused, and positive attitude they have shown throughout the examination period and wish them continued success in the remaining paper.



SECONDARY SCHOOL



PSHE Session: Making the Right Choices

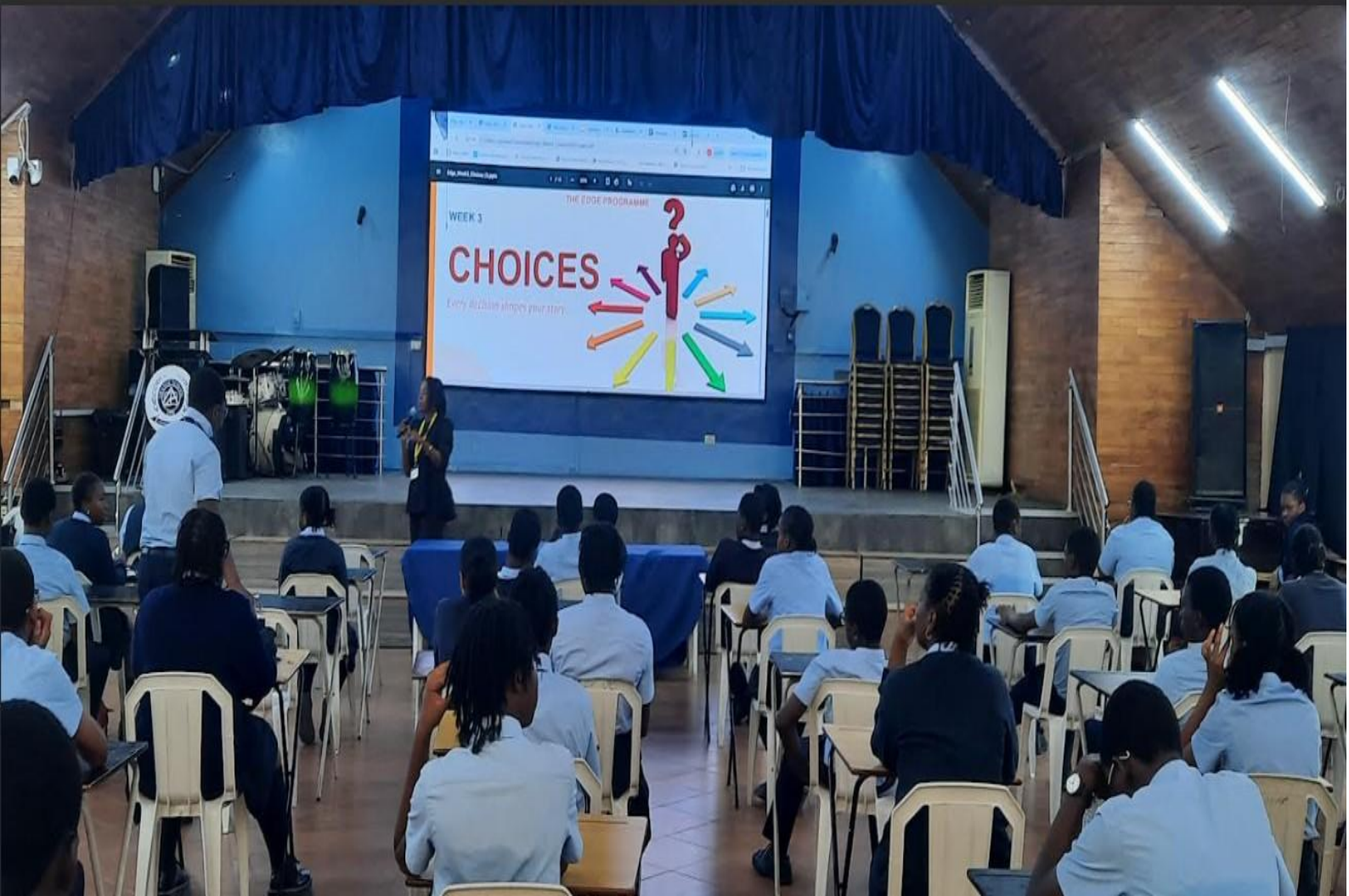
Our Year 9 students took part in a PSHE session on the topic “Choices”, as part of their life skills programme.

As a school committed to developing well-rounded students, we understand the importance of helping young people make the right decisions, especially in difficult situations. For this reason, professionals were invited to lead this important session.

The aim of the programme is to guide students in making positive choices in real-life situations and to help them understand the possible consequences of poor decisions.

The session was interactive and engaging. Students took part in different activities and real-life scenarios that helped them think carefully about how to respond to challenges they may face outside the classroom.

It was a learning experience that encouraged reflection, responsibility, and better decision-making.



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