## **ACTIVITIES AND CLUBS**

Every student must select at least one activity and one club for the academic year. This is **compulsory for all students.** 

Activities	Clubs
Fencing	Leaders/Writers/Debaters
Football	S.T.E.M. (Science & Math)
Basketball	Good News (Bridge Builders)
Table tennis	Drama
Handball	Home Science (Fashion & Culinary)
Volleyball	Web and App. Programming
Piano	Business

Please note that there is a cap on the number of students per activity/club. So students should be ready to make other choices apart from their original choice.

Appropriate dress codes and items required for the various activities will be duly communicated.

# **FEES/OTHER CHARGES**

**Tennis** 

First Instalment of fees for old students is due by 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2023 before the school year begins. New students must pay their first instalment fees prior to enrolment.

Transport Charges can be paid termly or yearly.
Canteen Charges can be paid monthly/termly/yearly.
If monthly, it should be paid by the 2nd of each month.

Fees should be paid promptly to avoid any embarrassment.

\*Fees paid are not refundable.

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# **ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2023/2024**

School Re-opens (1st Term): Tues, Sept. 5, 2023 Prayers& Fasting For Exams Candidates: Fri, Sept 15, 2023 Cambridge Exams Begins: Monday, September 18, 2023 Coffee with New Families: Saturday, September 30, 2023 Mid-Term Assessment: Mon-Fri, October 9-13, 2023 International Day: Thursday, October 26, 2023 Mid-Term break: Fri-Tues, October 27-31, 2023 Classes begin: Thursday, November 2, 2023 Sports/Fun Games: Thur –Fri Nov. 16 – 17, 2023 Parent-Teacher meetup: Sat. Nov. 18, 2023 1<sup>st</sup> Mock Exams: Mon-Thurs, Nov 30 - Dec 14, 2022 Parent Forum Get- together: Saturday, December 2, 2023 End of Term Exams: Mon – Thurs, December 4 – 14, 2023 Cambridge Exam Registrations Begins: Mon, Dec. 11, 2023 A Gift to Say Thank You for Life (Donation for the less privileged): Thursday, December 14, 2023 Christmas Programme/Talent Show: Fri, Dec. 15, 2023 End of First Term: Friday, December 15, 2023 School Re-opens (2nd Term): Tuesday, January 9, 2024 Parent-Teacher meet-up: Saturday, January 20, 2024 Cambridge Exams Registration ends: Fri, January 26, 2023 Thanksgiving/Founder's Day: Friday, January 26, 2024 Launching of Dear February: Tuesday, 30th January, 2024 Mid-term break: Friday -Tuesday, February 16 - 20, 2024 Classes resume: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Mock Exams (IGCSE): Mon –Fri, Feb 19– 1 March, 2024 Dear February Climax: Friday, March 1, 2024 Inter House Sports Day Finals: Friday, March 15, 2024 End of Term Exams: Wed. - Wed., March 20-27, 2023 Prayers & Fasting For Exams Candidates: Wed, March 27, 2024 End of Second Term: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 Easter Break: Thurs, March 28 - Thur, April 10, 2024 Cambridge Exams Begins: Monday, April 1, 2024 3<sup>rd</sup> Mock Exams (IGCSE): Mon, April 1 – Fri, April 12, 2024 School Re-opens (Third Term): Tuesday, April 16, 2024 Parent-Teacher meetup: Saturday, April 27, 2024 Staff Appreciation Day: Fri, April 26, 2024 End of Term Exams: Thurs, May 30 - Wed. June 12, 2024 End of Year Ceremony - Friday, June 14, 2024 School Year Ends – Friday, June 14, 2024

School Re-opens for 2024/25 - Tues, September 10, 2024

# MORNING GLORY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

# BINGERVILLE, ABIDJAN-COTE D'IVOIRE



# **BACK-TO-SCHOOL**

# 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

# **SENIOR HIGH DEPARTMENT**

Start Date: Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> Sept.2023 at 7:50 am prompt.

End Date: Friday, 14th June 2024

**THEME:** We are Ambassadors:

Advocating,

Believing,

Championing and

**D**efending our values.

MORNING GLORY IS A CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL & PEARSON EDEXCEL EXAMINATIONS CENTRE

WELCOME TO THE SENIOR HIGH DEPARTMENT

# Items Disallowed in the School

The following items are not allowed, mobile phones, compact discs and players, knives and matches. Tape recorders and laptops are only allowed for specific school assignments.

Refer to the MGIS Student/Parent Handbook and updated handbook amendments for the list of unauthorised items. Parents should note that confiscated items will not be returned.

# <u>School Uniform/P.E. Attire (sportswear/ Warm Clothing)</u>

Available in the bookstore

Dress/ Hair Code - Must be strictly adhered to, or the student will not be allowed in class or to school functions.

# **Uniforms:**

Full prescribed uniforms and a pair of white socks, Black full—shoes are to be worn to school every day. Tie/Bow tie (compulsory)

Prescribed P.E. attires, white socks and white sneakers are to be worn on specific P.E. days according to the timetable.

# Tuesdays:

Top – House Colours for Activities.

Down - P.E. shorts /skirts for girls.

Shoes - white sneakers

# Fridays:

Top – MGIS white polo shirt.

Down - Skirt for girls, trousers for boys.

Shoes – White sneakers.

Only the School's Warm Clothing will be allowed (White polo and Cardigan, Sweater etc., are available at the bookstore).

**₽** Dirty, Faded, Torn uniforms are unacceptable.

**Hair Requirements:** Hair should be kept tidy and neat

## Girls:

- Must avoid weave-on, wigs, scarves, headgear, hijab, turban, coloured braids and dyeing of hair, nose studs, necklace, anklets, and bracelets are not allowed.
  - Natural long hair must always be neatly held in a bun or shoulder level regardless of ethnicity.
  - Large braids are disallowed (thin braids preferred).
  - Not more than a pair of earrings. Bangles (thread, rubber, plastic etc.) are not allowed.

# Boys:

- are not allowed to fade, braid, plait, curl, dye their hair, or any form of mohawk, wear nose rings and earrings, bangles, chains or rings.
- Hair should be very short and evenly cut regardless of ethnicity.
- \* Refer to the MGIS Student/Parent Handbook and updated handbook amendments.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY MEASURES:**

For more details concerning the school's health and safety protocol, refer to the MGIS 2022-2023 RE-OPENING PROTOCOL.

Any student feeling unwell or having a fever level temperature or cough must stay home till they feel better.

Students with any symptoms of a transmissible disease are strongly advised to stay home. The nurse will be forced to call parents to pick up students if the above is disregarded.

Provide your children with a personal hand sanitiser.

# **COMMUNICATION**

We will use our department's WhatsApp platform to send relevant information to parents.

Physical letters and Emails are also used to communicate on some occasions.

Do not hesitate to contact the head of the department through phone calls or emails and texts.

## **TEXT BOOKS & SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

The Bookstore will be open from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2023.

Parents should ensure that students have all prescribed textbooks and supplies ready for class. Textbooks will be shared in various classrooms.

# MGIS MOBILE APP (INFOVIEW APP)

MGIS Parents/Guardians will have to install a mobile phone app that works with Android & apple phones. This enables the school to communicate better and send information promptly to Parents/Guardians. Contact the office for more details.

# **School Hours:**

Monday - Friday from 7:50 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The gates will be closed at 8:00 a.m.

\*Latecomers will not be allowed in.

## **IGNORANCE OF OUR RULES IS NO EXCUSE.**

Our policy requires 100% compliance with school uniform and dress code. Irregular items on pupils will be confiscated and not be returned. The student culprit will be suspended from school until compliance can be met.