

# ST. GREGORY'S COLLEGE, IKOYI, LAGOS.

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

## **Congratulations**

I heartily congratulate you on your son's admission into the prestigious St. Gregory's College, South-West Ikoyi, Lagos.

The choice of school for your child is an important one and I dare say that you have made a great choice for him. This is true because St. Gregory's College has the history, experience and laurels in the training of men of substance.

Gregorians (as our students and our Old Boys are called) find our College a home away from home. This is why they all stand out in stature and status.

Our Old Boys grace the areas of politics, science, arts, sports and religion at home and abroad. This is because St. Gregory's College is where great minds and men of integrity are bred.

With his admission, your son joins the array of young men destined for greatness. His journey unto greatness has just begun!

Your son is welcome to St. Gregory's College, Lagos.

Yours faithfully,

**Rev. Fr. Emmanuel Ayeni**

**Administrator**

## SECTION 1: KNOWING ST. GREGORY'S COLLEGE

### i) Our Vision

Our vision is spelt out in our College motto: ***Pro Fide et Scientia*** (for the Faith and Knowledge). As a Catholic Institution of repute, we bring up students with the fear of God and unmatched quest for excellence; and we are good at what we do!

### ii) Our Aims and Values

In St. Gregory's College, we hold dear the words of Francois Rabelais that, "**A child is not a vessel to be filled, but a fire to be lit**".

In this light, we aim to:

- Give every child a solid spiritual foundation
- Develop every child's potential
- Help every child to be competitive and bold
- Create an exciting environment
- Encourage independent thinking
- Provide opportunities that challenge
- Prepare every child to make a difference
- Ensure self-esteem is high
- Share hopes and encourage optimism and self-belief
- Provide opportunities to reflect on life and learning
- Ensure everyone has a voice and an opportunity to be heard
- Encourage good health and well-being for all.

### iii) Admission Policy

Admission into St. Gregory's College is through entrance examination and interview. These are capped with letters of recommendation from the pupil's previous school.

### iv) Medical Checks

All students admitted into our College must go through a comprehensive medical check at our well-equipped College Clinic and must also be vaccinated against chickenpox. Those who have already been vaccinated would be required to

present their vaccination cards to our College Doctor.

Parents whose children do not pass their medical test would be offered full refund and their sons' admission withdrawn.

Our College has a standard clinic that is staffed with a doctor, a lab attendant and three nurses. Serious medical cases are referred to the hospital.

#### **v) Payment of Fees**

Fees are charged according to classes. Parents are required to settle all bills before the commencement of the academic session or term. More details are available in SECTION 2 of this prospectus.

#### **vi) Starting School**

The 2022/2023 Academic Session begins on Monday 12th September, 2022. However, all transfer students will resume in the hostel on Wednesday 7th September, 2022 for **A THREE-DAY COMPULSORY ORIENTATION FOR NEW INTAKES**. Resumption for all boarding students is strictly between 10am and 5pm. Kindly note that no student will be admitted into the boarding house after 5pm.

All transfer students are expected to attend the orientation exercise with their mattresses, clothes (at least four pairs of mufti) and other personal belongings that will serve them during the period. **Bear in mind that their resumption for the orientation exercise serves also as their official resumption for the term.**

#### **vii) College Uniform/Mode of Dressing**

In St. Gregory's College, we have maintained the same decent dress code since our foundation. Our students use the uniform code detailed below:

##### **A. Regular School Uniform for Lessons:**

- ❖ White shirt on white shorts (or trousers for senior students).
- ❖ Grey Cardigan (with tie for senior students) for all students except College Prefects.
- ❖ Green Blazer for College Prefects (and for all senior students on Mondays).
- ❖ Grey customized socks for all students.
- ❖ White tennis shoes for all students

## **B. House Wear**

- ❖ Brown Khaki shirt on Brown Khaki shorts (or trousers for senior students).
- ❖ Black Sandals.

## **C. Sunday Wear**

- ❖ Customized "Ankara" shirt and trousers for both junior and senior students.
- ❖ Black pair of shoes

## **D. Sportswear**

- ❖ Customized Sportswear.

## **viii) Haircut**

All students of St Gregory's College are requested to always keep a simple low haircut without patterns. Parents, please ensure your son's/ward's compliance with this rule.

## **ix) Academics**

In St. Gregory's College, Students are trained to embrace and work hard for academic excellence. The target of every student is to make distinction in every subject. We believe this is very possible if we work hard enough. Our unmatched quest for excellence is obvious in our brilliant performances in external examinations, international examinations, local and international competitions. We have done this excellently for over nine decades. The crop of men of integrity from all walks of life who have passed through the walls of our College is a testimony to this. Among these are:

Sir Adetokunbo Ademola	Nigeria's first Chief Justice
Justice A. Taylor	Former Chief Justice of Ghana
Mr. Justice A. Inikafe	Chief Justice of Nigeria
Archbishop Aggey	Archbishop of Lagos
Anthony Cardinal Okogie	Emeritus Archbishop of Lagos
Archbishop George Amu	
Pastor Adefarasin Paul	Founder, House on the Rock Church

Professor Nelson Oyesiku      World Renowned Neurosurgeon

### **Accountancy**

Chief Charles Sankey Mr.

Stephen Oronsanye Ladi

Akintola

Bode Augusto

### **Politics**

Hon. Afolabi      Former Deputy Speaker, House of Representative

Victor Akpan      Senator

Etaomi A. Ani      Federal Minister of Finance

Funso Williams      Former Lagos State Gubernatorial Candidate

Jimi Agbaje      Former Lagos State Gubernatorial Candidate

### **Arts**

David Dale      International Artist who has exhibited throughout  
the World

Edwin Inyang      Winner of the Sharkar International Competition in  
India

Sir Victor Nwaifo      World renowned musician and musicologist

We are committed to climbing higher in our academic quests. Our well-equipped College library and ultra-modern laboratory serve as resource centres in this quest.

**For promotion to the next class, students are required to have at least a credit pass in all subjects. To obtain a credit grade, a student must score 60% in all subjects.**

### **x) Curriculum**

St. Gregory's College fully embraces the National Curriculum as spelt out by the Federal Ministry of Education. However, we extend our studies to include some international curricula because we give our students opportunities to sit

international examinations like **TOEFL**, **SAT**, and **IGSCE**. These international packages are specially organised for interested students. St. Gregory's College is a Cambridge Associate Centre. So her students can register and take the IGCSE in the College.

Parents must note that Religious Education is highly emphasized in our College as we are committed to giving our students strong moral foundation. We teach the following subjects: General Mathematics, English Language, Social Studies, Biology, Basic Science, Basic Technology, Chemistry, Physics, Agricultural Science, Further Mathematics, Christian Religious Knowledge, Business Studies, Physical & Health Education, French Language, Government, Financial Accounting, Igbo Language, Yoruba Language, Economics, Commerce, Literature in English, Accounts, History, Geography, Technical Drawing, Food & Nutrition, Visual Art, Dyeing and Bleaching, Fishery, Culture and Creative Art, Home Economics, Civic Education, Library Studies, Information Technology, Data Processing, Robotics and Music, etc.

#### **xi) Termly Reports**

At the end of each term, students are given report sheets in soft copies. Students have their individual accounts on the College portal where parents can easily access their results using their PINs.

Our report sheets give reviews to students and parents on the three domains of learning, namely: cognitive, affective and psychomotor.

#### **xii) Attendance and Absence**

All students are expected to be part of the College activities from assembly to classes, prayers, meals and extra-curricular activities. The rule in St. Gregory's College is "**Be where others are.**"

If in any case, a student is absent from school or College activities due to ill-health and other emergencies, the College Management must be contacted as soon as possible by his parent. On his return to school, a note has to be written to the College explaining the reason(s) for his absence.

For students in the boarding house, parents must inform the Assistant

Administrator, as well as the House Parent of the child and an Exeat Form, must be collected from the House Parent before their children are allowed to leave the boarding house.

**All parents are to note that our College policy forbids students seeking permission to leave school for visa/international passport applications. All transactions relating to visa/passport/travel applications must be done during mid-term breaks and holidays.**

#### **xiii) Rewards for Excellence**

St. Gregory's College, Lagos, is an Institution where excellence is cherished and celebrated. Students with all-round distinction are accorded a special status by the College. Students who excel in character are also given periodic treats. Our students always look forward to such moments.

#### **xiv) Our Day in the College**

**Morning Assembly:** 7:35am-7:55am (Mondays and Fridays)

**Lessons:** 8:10am —11:00am

**Lunch Break:** 11:00am —11:30am

**Lessons Continue:** 11:30am — 3:15pm

#### **xv) Our Prayer Life and Worship**

As a Catholic Institution with great reputation, we begin and end every academic session with the Holy Mass. We also have daily worship, Mass and prayers for our students.

#### **xvi) Lunch Break/Mealtime**

At midday break/mealtime, every student has a range of meals for the different days of the week. Parents pay a token of N40, 000 termly for this package.

In St. Gregory's College, we are committed to bringing up healthy students!

#### **xvii) Extracurricular Activities**

Extracurricular activities such as singing (College Band and Orchestra), dancing (*atilogu* and choreography), computer programming, Microsoft Imaging

Academy and Robotics, photography, quiz, debates, catechism classes, etc form part of the lives of our students. Through these means, talents and skills are discovered and developed.

### **xix)Sports**

St. Gregory's College has a very rich history in the area of sports. Our products include:

#### **Cricket**

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| Eddie Hughes      | - International Cricketer (Played for Nigeria)                         |
| Tate Sinia        | - International Cricketer (The first to receive a century in the game) |
| Alex Qais         | - International Cricketer  |
| Dilotu Akerele    | - Champion   |
| Sylvester Akerele | - Champion   |
| S. Kuku           | - (Won colours)  |
| A. Nwokedi        | - (Won colours)  |

#### **Lawn Tennis**

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| Joseph Duncan | - Renowned Tennis Player                       |
| Awo Akerele   | - Won the Nigeria's Junior Double Championship |
| Ugochukwu     | - College Champion                             |
| Okwudionye    | - College Champion                             |

#### **Football**

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| Alex Quist            | - Represented the National Team at school       |
| Mensah                | - Represented the National Team at School       |
| Mojidi Taiwo          | - The goal merchant                             |
| David Olurin          | - Captain of the collegiate team against the UK |
|                       | Tourist   |
| Vincent "Ojo" Gabriel | - Prolific scorer                               |
| Idowu Williams        | - The greatest Gregorian footballer             |
| Alex Nwokedi          | - A College Champion                            |



Tarila Okoronwanta - A burning torch

### **Athletics**

Isaac Ekpeta - Pole Vault Champion in West Africa and the London Athletic Club

Clement Ibisi - International Hurole Champion for

Nigeria Peter Osugo - Quarter Mile Champion for Nigeria

D.V. Sho—Silva - Mile Champion

Rafiu Oluwa - Nigeria's sprinter in the 100m and 200m

Charles Njoku - Nigeria's High Jump and Commonwealth High Jump Champion for schools.

Yusuf Alli - Games captain and long jumper. Captained the Nigeria Athletic contingent to the Olympic Games

### **Table Tennis**

Atanda Musa -The Commonwealth Table Tennis

Single Champion Basiovi Lawson -

College Champion Augustine Amu -

College Champion The list goes on!

Currently, it is the practice of the College that a student enrolls for his game of interest from the class of admission and continues along that line, becoming a star in it. Sports kits – boots, spike shoes, rackets, etc are to be bought according to students' game of choice. Professional coaches and instructors are hired to guide students in this regard.

### **xx) Visiting Days**

Parents of students in the boarding house have access to their children every last Sunday of the month between the hours of 10am and 5pm.

### **xxi) Corrective Measures**

Offences related to disobedience to College rules, bullying, immorality, theft, etc are punishable.

Our corrective measures include kneeling, formal warnings, suspension and

expulsion. Details of these are contained in our **Students' Policy Handbook**.

#### **xxii) Excursions**

Our College has an academic calendar that allows every student to go on excursion at least once in an academic session. JSS3 & SSS3 (1st Term), JSS2 & SSS2 (2nd Term) while JSS1 & SSS1 (3rd Term).

#### **xxiii) How to make Complaint**

We believe that complaints from parents can be resolved by the College. Parents are free to make their complaints via email to the College authorities. All emails are carefully treated and parents are sure of receiving feedbacks from the College. Also, the Administrator and other management staff are available in their offices to receive parents who are invited by the College for their children's welfare.

#### **xxiv) Holidays**

In line with the National Education Policy, St. Gregory's College observes three holidays annually – Christmas, Easter and summer. The dates for these holidays are usually contained in the Newsletter sent out from the office of the Administrator every term. This information is also made available on the College website.

St. Gregory's College also partners with some private travel agencies to organise summer holidays overseas for students. Interested parents will be given the opportunity for this package when the time is ripe.

#### **xxv) Contacts**

Address: St. Gregory's College Road, Ikoyi, Lagos.

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### **SECTION 2: 2022/2023 PROVISIONAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

#### **A. Required Documents**

**Newly admitted transfer students are requested to come with the following**

**items when coming for their medical exercise and uniform measurement on Saturday, 13th August 2022.**

1. Original and Photocopy of previous Statement of Result and Letter of Recommendation from their current school.
2. School Leaving Certificate from their Primary School.
3. Three passport photographs of the newly admitted transfer students.
4. One passport photograph each of the father and the mother (or guardian).

### **B. Payments**

**Please, note that all payments are to be made through our College website/ payment portal to the student's personal account details. Every student of our College has his personal account number.**

All newly admitted transfer students would be requested to make the following payments:

1. **Non-Refundable Fee:** Pay a **Non-refundable/Acceptance Fee of N100, 000 on/before 12th August, 2022.**

**After making this payment, please pick up a copy of the College Policy Handbook upon arrival for medical test/uniform measurement on Saturday 13th August, 2022.**

2. **Boarding Fee:** Pay **N200, 000.00 boarding fee on/before 12th August, 2022.**
3. **Tuition Fee:** Pay **N60, 000.00 on/before 19th August, 2022.**
4. **Sundry:** Pay **N509,000 for sundry items:** Books, Stationery, Academic Materials, Sports/Games, Medical Scheme, PTA Levy, etc **on/before 19th August, 2022.**

**VERY IMPORTANT:** Kindly note that the College will not accept any payments through means other than the online platform on the College website/payment portal. All payments **MUST** be made through the College website into each student's personal account number. This is to enable the College keep tabs on all payments so as not to exceed the admission quota.

**Breakdown of sundry items:**

<b>i) Orientation Exercise</b>	<b>15,000</b>
<b>ii) Pre- Admission Medical Test</b>	<b>15,000</b>
<b>iii) Files &amp; Dossiers</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>iv) 2022/2023 Textbooks &amp; Notebooks</b>	<b>70,000</b>
<b>v) Daily Extra Lessons</b>	<b>10,000</b>
<b>vi) Robotics &amp; Coding</b>	<b>25,000</b>
<b>vii) Two Novels Termly for Students Compulsory Reading &amp; Vocabulary Sessions</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>viii)Agricultural Science Practical (Agric. Students Only)</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>ix)Biology Practical</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>x)Chemistry Practical (Chemistry Students Only)</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xi)Foods &amp; Nutrition Practical (Fds. &amp; Nut. Students Only)</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xii)Physics Practical ( Physics Students Only)</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xiii)Technical Drawing Practical ( T.D. Students Only )</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xiv)Visual Art Practical ( V. Art Students Only )</b>	<b>7,000</b>
<b>xv) Extra Curricular Activities - Club &amp; Societies</b>	<b>3,000</b>
<b>xvi) Termly Examinations</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>xvii) Assessment Book</b>	<b>4,000</b>
<b>xviii) Library Development</b>	<b>3,000</b>
<b>xix) Students Policy Handbook</b>	<b>1,000</b>
<b>xx) Assembly Book</b>	<b>1,500</b>
<b>xxi) S.G.C. Prayer Book</b>	<b>1,500</b>
<b>xxii) S.G.C. Hymn Book</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>xxiii) Annual Student Diary</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>xxiv) New RFID Cards for Students</b>	<b>3,500</b>
<b>xxv) New RFID Cards for Parents</b>	<b>3,500</b>
<b>xxvi) New Parents Orientation Exercise</b>	<b>10,000</b>
<b>xxvii) Three Pairs of Uniforms with name Inscription</b>	<b>24,000</b>
<b>xxviii) One College Cardigan</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xxvix) College Sweater</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xxx) Three Pairs of St. Gregory's College Socks</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>xxxi) Two Pairs of College White Tennis for Classes</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xxxii) Two White Belts for Classes</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xxxiii) Customized College Bag for Book Collection</b>	<b>4,000</b>
<b>xxxiv) College Cap</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xxxv)College Blazer</b>	<b>17,500</b>
<b>xxxvi)One College Tie</b>	<b>4,000</b>
<b>xxxvii) A pair of Games Wear</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xxxviii) Two Pairs of House Wear with Name Inscription</b>	<b>16,000</b>
<b>xxxix) A Pair of Sunday Wear with Name Inscription</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xl) P. T. A Levy</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>xli) P. T. A Trust Fund</b>	<b>3,000</b>
<b>xlvi) Medical Scheme</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xlvi) Lunch Break (Per Term)</b>	<b>40,000</b>
<b>xliv) 2022/2023 Session Inter House Sports &amp; Inter House Sport Outfit</b>	<b>8,500</b>
<b>xlvi) Sports &amp; Games Development</b>	<b>3,000</b>
<b>xlvi) 2022 Christmas Thanksgiving/Funfair</b>	<b>8,000</b>
<b>xlvi) Generator Maintenance/Diesel</b>	<b>30,000</b>
<b>xlvi) Compulsory Remedial Lessons for Boarders</b>	<b>15,000</b>

xlix) Laundry Services	25,000
l) Music Development for Boarders	2,000
li) Two Pairs of White Bedsheets and Two White Pillow Cases with Name Inscription	5,000
lii) Damages/Repairs	2,000
liii) Pocket Money (Not More Than ₦5,000)	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>509,000</u></b>

**C. Mode of Payment: Parents are to make payments only via online transfer from the College Website. PLEASE ADHERE STRICTLY TO THIS INSTRUCTION.**

**D. This offer of admission is valid only on the full payment of the above fees in accordance with the specified dates above.**

### **SECTION 3: BOARDERS' HOSTEL REQUIREMENTS**

#### **Boarders' Hostel Prospectus (to be purchased by parents)**

- ❖ One wristwatch (No smart wristwatch)
- ❖ One Lawn Tennis Racket/Balls (for students registering for Lawn Tennis as their game of choice).
- ❖ 4 White Singlets/Inner Shirts
- ❖ 2 Casual Wears for House Work
- ❖ Shower Items
- ❖ 2 Body Towels
- ❖ Mosquito Net
- ❖ 2 Pairs of Pyjamas
- ❖ 1 Blanket
- ❖ Toilet Rolls
- ❖ 1 pillow
- ❖ 2 coloured Bed Sheets
- ❖ 1 Personal Cup
- ❖ 1 White 5-litre Keg for Drinking Water
- ❖ 1 water flask for class use
- ❖ 1 Pair of Brown Sandals
- ❖ 1 dozen of Handkerchief
- ❖ A Pair of Slippers (for bathroom use)
- ❖ 3 Padlocks and Keys
- ❖ 1 pair of Black Shoes (for Sunday use)

- ❖ Adequate Bathing Soaps
- ❖ Adequate Detergent/ Washing Soap
- ❖ 1 Complete Set of Cutlery
- ❖ Personal Hair Clipper
- ❖ 1 Plastic Bucket
- ❖ 1 Mattress 2½ by 6 (4 or 6 inches)
- ❖ 2 dozens of Clothes Pegs
- ❖ Half dozen of clothes Hangers
- ❖ 1 Electric Pressing Iron
- ❖ 1 Stainless Steel Cup
- ❖ Shoe Cleaning Materials

**NB:**

- **Note that these items in the boarding house prospectus will be confirmed when students are checked in on resumption date before they are allowed into the hostel.**
- **Acceptable provisions in the boarding house are: Milk, Milo, Bournvita, Sugar, Cornflakes, Biscuit and Cassava Flakes (Garri).**
- **Canned food and other forms of provisions are strictly prohibited.**
- **No form of cash transaction is allowed in the College. Students' pocket money should be a part of their sundry bills with a Fifteen Thousand Naira cap.**
- **Handsets, tablets, ipads and other devices are not allowed in the College.**
- **Boarders are not allowed to come with more than one luggage and an auxiliary carriage bag.**

#### **SECTION 4: Uniform Measurement/ Medical Test for Transfer Students**

**Please note that measurement for all uniforms and medical test will take place on Saturday 13th August, 2022 in the College Jubilee Hall between 8am and 12noon. Please be present and punctual.**

#### **SECTION 5: Parents/Guardians**

##### **Orientation for Parents**

The parents of all new intakes (JSS I and Transfer students) will be part of a compulsory orientation exercise that familiarizes them with the life and activities

of the College as they partner with the College in the formation of their children. This comes up on the Saturday marking the end of students' orientation exercise (10th September, 2022) at 10am.

### **Parents' Identity Card**

All parents of students of St Gregory's College must possess radio frequency identity cards/gate pass issued by the College. These automatic cards are needed for parents to access the premises and to take their children out of the College premises. This is part of the security measures taken to safeguard our students.

### **Students Policy Handbook/Rules and Regulations**

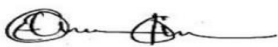
The activities of students of our College are guided by the Students Policy Handbook during their studies in the school. **Parents/Guardians of our newly admitted transfer students are to read through the soft copy of the handbook and agree to the terms before continuing with the admission process for their children/wards.**

### **SECTION 6: Conclusion**

Dear parent/guardian, please note that your son's/ward's admission is provisional for the full duration of his studies in the College. It may be withdrawn at any time due to unsatisfactory academic performance, moral and social misconduct. **He is to adhere to ALL College rules and regulations as contained in St. Gregory's College Students' Policy Handbook.** The hard copy of the handbook will be made available to you during the uniform measurement/medical test exercise.

Congratulations once more on your son's/ward's admission into the prestigious **St. Gregory's College, Ikoyi, Lagos.** We pray he enjoys fruitful years of studies and formation in our College. Amen.

Thank you and God bless.



**Rev. Fr. Emmanuel Ayeni**

**Administrator**