



HAPPY NEW YEAR

HELLO 2026! LET'S GROW TOGETHER

A Message from the Director

Dear Parents, Teachers, and Students,

We give thanks to God Almighty for the incredible achievements of 2025! We are grateful for the unwavering support of our parents, the dedication and diligence of our teachers, and the resilience and determination of our students. Together, we have made this year truly remarkable.

As we step into 2026, we are excited to share our plans for the new year! We are eagerly awaiting the completion of our state-of-the-art building, which will provide an enhanced learning environment for our students. We will also be leveraging technology, including CCTV and internet connectivity, to improve teaching and learning, ensure a safe and secure environment, and address issues of theft. Our goal is to create a comfortable and supportive space where our students can thrive.

Exciting Events Ahead!

- Sports Galore! Join us in February for an action-packed sports season, featuring basketball, football, athletics, and more!
- Educational Fair: Explore opportunities, discover talents, and learn from experts in various fields.
- Career Workshop: Hear from professionals and gain insights into future careers. We invite all parents to join us and share your expertise with our students!

Thank you for your continued support and contribution to our school's success. We wish you a Happy New Year filled with joy, peace, and prosperity!

Warm regards,

Funmi Bolarin
Director, Almond College

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SCHOOL BUILDING UPDATE

We are pleased to inform parents that work on the school building is progressing steadily. The new building will be ready next term and will be safe and conducive for student use. Further updates will be shared as construction continues.



SAY NO TO STEALING: CREATING A SAFE AND SECURE ENVIRONMENT

Almond College is committed to maintaining a safe, secure, and supportive environment for all students. We would like to reassure parents that the school remains safe and that there is no tolerance for stealing.

To further strengthen this commitment:

- The school will implement Stop and Search procedures daily, strictly following safeguarding guidelines.
- A log will be kept to document incidents appropriately.
- Assemblies will be held to create awareness about honesty, integrity, and the consequences of stealing.
- Students will be encouraged and supported to speak up and report concerns without fear.

Our collective goal is to completely eliminate stealing and promote trust, responsibility, and moral values within Almond College.

CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION

One of the highlights of the term was our festive Christmas Production titled, 'The Greatest Gift'. Students showcased their talents through singing, acting, and dancing.



School Orchestra Group



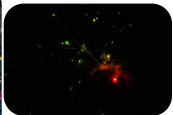
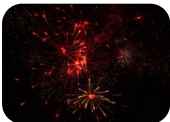
School Choir





Drama







CHARITY DAY

This term, Almond College visited Sought After Children Orphanage. With the help of our generous families, we raised funds and collected donations. We sincerely express our heartfelt thanks to our parents that have stood solidly by us to achieve this great feat.



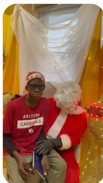
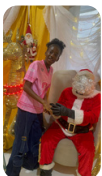
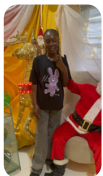
BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Beyond the classroom, Almond College is committed to nurturing and developing every child's talents.

SECRET SANTA

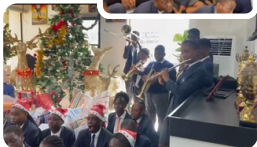
The term ended on a joyful note with our Secret Santa celebration. Students and teachers exchanged gifts in a warm and cheerful atmosphere, fostering kindness, generosity, and community spirit.

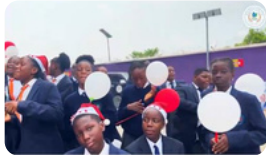
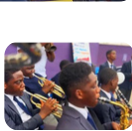
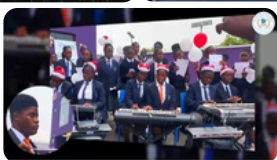


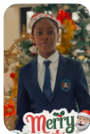
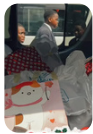
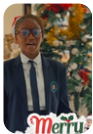


VISIT TO JENDOL SUPERMARKET AND THE ORPHANAGE

Spreading Christmas cheer beyond the classroom, Almond College takes the spirit of Christmas on the road to Jendol Supermarket, Lekki singing songs of joy, love, and hope.







PARENTS TEACHERS FORUM

Almond College Parents' Teachers' Forum for the term was successfully held virtually, with good attendance and meaningful engagement from parents across all year groups.

Key school matters affecting students' learning, wellbeing, assessment processes, health and school operations were discussed in a respectful and collaborative atmosphere.

Here is a summary of Minutes of the meeting.

Parents-Teachers' Meeting Highlights which took place on Saturday, December 6, 2025.

The meeting opened with prayers and a warm welcome to all parents.

A full week of Christmas activities was announced; all students are expected in school throughout the week.

Activities include:

- Christmas production rehearsals and carol practices
- Carol singing outings
- Orphanage visit (donations still welcome)
- Christmas Grotto visit, class parties, and 360° video recordings (Thursday)
- Secret Santa, dress rehearsals, and Christmas production (Friday)

School Building Update:

- New building is about 90% complete.
- Major sections will be ready for use in January.
- Internet and CCTV installations completed.
- School signage to be mounted and scaffolding removed.

Curriculum Updates:

- Government curriculum changes are still under review.
- Mathematics and English Language remain compulsory.
- Science students will not register for Economics.
- Global Citizenship to be introduced in Junior School.
- Almond College registered as a Functional SEND School; staff training planned.

School Uniform and Ceremonial Wear:

- All uniforms issued; blazers delayed due to supply challenges.
- 100 blazers ordered, expected in January.
- New ceremonial wear costs ₦10,000 and will not be paid for again at graduation.
- Medical and Transport Updates:
- The Director announced plans to register students for the AXA Mansard HMO from next term. Most parents stated that they already had their children on HMOs.
- Apology for transport delays; bus fees adjusted due to rising fuel and maintenance costs.
- Parents may suggest transport providers or safe carpool options.

Educational Programmes:

- Educational Fair to hold physically in second term with career talks.
- Parents encouraged to support work placement opportunities.
- Boarding house expansion planned.
- Parents invited to attend the Christmas production.
- Meeting Follow-Up:
- Examination malpractice concerns were investigated and no evidence was found.
- Students from JSS 1 to SS 3 are mixed and well spaced in exam halls to discourage malpractice.
- Meeting closed with prayers and appreciation to parents for their continued support.

SAFEGUARDING

Safeguarding remains a top priority at Almond College. All policies and procedures are designed to protect the physical, emotional, and psychological well-being of our students. Staff continue to receive safeguarding training, and students are regularly reminded of how and where to seek help if they feel unsafe or uncomfortable.

EDUCATIONAL FAIR

The educational Fair will take place next term. The date will be communicated across.

ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR SCHOOL FEES

Parents are kindly reminded to ensure that all school fees are paid promptly into the official Almond College bank account. Please, send proof of payment to the school administration.

Here is the school's account details below:

Account number: 0136671186

Account name: Almond School Impact Solutions Limited

Bank: Sterling

PROGRAMME FOR NEXT TERM

The programme for next term has been carefully planned to ensure a balance of academic excellence, character development, and co-curricular engagement. A detailed timetable and calendar of events will be shared with students and parents in the first week of resumption.

Inter-House Sports

Our annual Inter-House Sports event will take place next term. Further details regarding the date, venue, house colours, and student participation will be communicated in due course.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please ensure that your child comes to school in full uniform each day. This helps maintain our standards and promotes a sense of unity. To help you plan, here are the designated days for each uniform:

- **Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays:** Formal Uniform (white shirt, trousers/skirt, tie, black or grey socks, black leather shoes and blazer)
- **Wednesdays:** General Sports Uniform (blue sportswear, white or black sneakers, with grey or black socks)
- **Fridays:** House Sports Uniform, black or white sneakers, with black or grey socks

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to the school office.



ALMOND LOOK



ACCEPTABLE FOOTWEARS



OUR NON-NEGOTIABLE

- **No Bullying:** Bullying in any form is not tolerated at Almond College. We are committed to ensuring a safe, inclusive, and supportive environment for every student.
- **No Disruptive Behaviour:** Disruptions in the classroom hinder the learning experience for all. Students are expected to maintain decorum and show respect during lessons.
- **No Use of Mobile Phones:** Mobile phones are not permitted during school hours, except in cases of emergency and under specific guidelines provided by the school.
- **No Lateness:** Being on time is crucial for effective learning. Chronic lateness will not be accepted, and students must adhere to the school's punctuality policy. Students who are late twice in one week will sit a two hour Senior Leadership detention on Friday and persistent lateness could lead to a fine.
- **Respect for School Property:** Students are responsible for taking care of school property, including books, furniture, and other resources. Damages will result in appropriate consequences. We trust that by upholding these standards, we will continue to foster an environment that encourages respect, responsibility, and academic excellence.

MOBILE PHONE POLICY

- **Phone Storage:** Student are not allowed to bring in mobile phones to the school and if otherwise they are to keep the phone at the admin office on entering the school.
- **Phone Confiscation:** If a phone is visible or rings during lessons or around school, it will be confiscated for 24 hours.
- **Sanction:** A 1-hour detention will be assigned as a consequence.
- **Phone Retrieval:** Confiscated phones can be collected by the students or parents from the Principal or Admin office after the 24-hour period.

CONFISCATION OF ITEMS

- **Phone Storage:** School staff can confiscate any prohibited item in a student's possession.
- **Prohibited Items:** Items that are harmful, detrimental to the learning environment, or breach school rules, uniform policy, code of conduct, or other policies.

Return Procedures:

- **First Offense:** The item will be returned to the students after 24 hours and a Daily School Detention.
- **Second Offense:** The item will be returned to parents after a meeting.
- **Repeated offenses:** Refusal to hand over items may result in internal exclusion or suspension
- **Item Handling:** Confiscated items must be dropped off at the main school office, signed in, and logged on the student planner

KEY DATES

TERM 2 - 2025/2026 SESSION	
EVENT	DATE
Resumption	Boarding Students - Sunday, 11th January, 2026. Day Students - Monday, 12th January, 2026.
Movie Night/Raffle Draw	Friday, 13th February, 2026
Half-Term Break	Monday, 23rd February, – Friday, 27th February, 2026.
Term 2B resumption	Monday, 2nd March, 2026.
Interhouse Sport Competition	2nd April, 2026
Easter Celebration (public holiday)	Friday, 3rd April, 2026 - Monday, 6th April, 2026.
Eid-el-Fitr	Friday 20th March – Monday 23rd March, 2026.
Term 2 Ends	Friday 17th April, 2026.

TERM 3 - 2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION

EVENT	DATE
Workers' Day (public holiday)	Friday, 1st May, 2026.
Boarding students resumes	Sunday, 3rd May, 2026.
Resumption (TERM 3A)	Monday, 4th May, 2026.
Children's Day (public holiday)	Wednesday 27th May, 2026.
Eid - el - Kabir (public holiday)	Wednesday, 27th May & Thursday, 28th May, 2026.
Democracy Day (public holiday)	Friday, 12th June, 2026.
Half-Term Break	(Monday, 15th June – Friday, 19th June, 2026).
Resumption (TERM 3B)	Monday, 22nd June, 2026
Valedictory Service & Prize Giving Day.	Saturday, 26th July, 2026.

JOIN US ONLINE

We encourage all parents, guardians and students to stay connected and informed by following Almond College on social media platforms. Get updates on school events, student achievements, and important announcements. Follow us on Facebook: @AlmondCollege, Instagram: @almondcollege, YouTube: @almondcollegeofficial, and join the conversation today. Don't miss out; like, share, and engage with our posts to be part of us!

COMPLAINTS

We value feedback from our parents. If you have any concerns or suggestions, please feel free to contact the school through the proper channels. We aim to address any issues promptly and ensure a positive experience for both students and parents.

CONCLUSION

We are excited for a productive term ahead. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. Together, we will make this term successful for our students.



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We wish our students,
parents, staff, and friends
a year filled with peace,
growth, and success.



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