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2025 ADMISSION EXERCISE COMMENCES

To be eligible for admission, candidates must first upload their O'level qualifications. WAEC has released the 2025 SSCE results, and candidates are urged to ensure that they upload their O'level results promptly. For those who are awaiting their SSCE conducted by NECO, please note that the SSCE results will be available soon, and you are expected to upload them as soon as they are released. It is crucial to understand that no candidate will be considered for admission if their O'level results are not uploaded.

NIGERIAN ACADEMY OF EDUCATION CONFERS FELLOWSHIP ON OLOYEDE, AFE BABALOLA, JIBRIN, OTHERS



Prof. Oloyede being robed as a fellow of the NAE

The Nigerian Academy of Education (NAE) has conferred its distinguished honorary fellowship on the Registrar of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board

(JAMB), Prof. Is-haq Oloyede.

NAE also conferred the honorary fellowship on five other eminent Nigerians namely: Chief Afe Babalola, a renowned legal luminary; His Excellency Senator (Dr) Barau Jibrin, Deputy President of the Senate; Mallam Adamu Adamu, former Minister of Education; Dr. (Mrs) Angela Ajala, a renowned education strategist; and Dr. Mohamed Kyari Dikwa, a public sector financial management expert.

The conferment, which commemorated the 40th Anniversary of the Academy, witnessed 38 newly- inducted members,

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OLOYEDE CELEBRATED AT THE UNILORIN 292nd INAUGURAL LECTURE

...Lauded for Uncommon Mentorship

The 292nd inaugural lecture of the University of Ilorin has come and gone but what perhaps will remain indelible in the annals of the "better by far" institution is the legacy of the Registrar, Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB), who was felicitated for his uncommon skill for discovering and mentoring promising students.

This was brought to the fore on Thursday,

6th November, 2025, during an intellectually-charged discourse on environmental contamination by Professor Hussein Kehinde Okoro, a distinguished scholar and Head of Department of Industrial Chemistry, University of Ilorin, through his Inaugural Lecture titled: "Leveraging the Expertise of Chemists in Environmental Management: A Focus on Analytical,

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MEMBERS APPLAUD JICCS PRESIDENT FOR TRANSFORMING COOPERATIVE INTO PROFIT-MAKING VENTURE

Members of the JAMB Investment and Credit Cooperative Society (JICCS) have commended the President, Mr. Caleb Musa, for his visionary leadership and remarkable achievements in repositioning the Society as a profit-making enterprise.

The commendation came from members across the Board's offices nationwide, who praised Mr. Musa for his prudent

management of resources and bold investment initiatives, despite the current economic challenges that have reduced membership and contributions.

Speaking to JAMB Bulletin on the sidelines of the commissioning of the Society's new sachet water factory, members described Mr. Musa's tenure as a turning point in JICCS's over two-decade history. They noted that, for the first time, the

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...Oloyede Celebrated at the UNILORIN 292nd Inaugural Lecture

Environmental, and Material Fields." The event, which was held at the Senate Building, University of Ilorin, drew an impressive audience comprising academics, students, traditional rulers, professionals, as well as friends and family members of the don.

Prof. Okoro, in his tributes to individuals, who have contributed to his career, acknowledged the role of Prof. Oloyede in his academic odyssey as he recalled his constant refrain to him not to rest on his laurels but to strive for higher honours. He also commended the Registrar for his commitment to the development of the University when he was the Vice-Chancellor and as the Registrar, JAMB. He added that the University is proud to be associated with a scholar of Professor Oloyede' reputation on account of his landmark initiatives, which have continued to shape the field of large-scale assessment in Nigeria and beyond.

In his intellectual-stimulating lecture, Prof. Okoro explored the great role being played by Chemists in the fields of analytical, environmental and materials fields especially in terms of managing organic and inorganic contaminants in selected water bodies in Nigeria and South Africa through the evaluation of their levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and the impact of these chemicals on human health. He also traced the release of other potentially toxic elements (PTEs) to the increased urban and industrial development in recent years. He submitted that these PTEs, which comprises Arsenic, Chromium, Cadmium, Nickel and Lead, among others, have their sources in industrial effluents while highlighting the carcinogenic effects of these PTEs.

In addition, Prof. Okoro noted that the discharge of domestic and industrial waste coupled with inflow

of pesticide and fertiliser residues into water bodies had contributed to the high levels of phenols, thereby demonstrating the interconnection between environmental pollution and human health. He, therefore, advocated the construction of wastewater treatment plants to ensure the safety and health of Nigerians, among others.

Earlier, in his opening remarks, the Vice-Chancellor, University of Ilorin, Prof Wahab Egbewole (SAN), had paid glowing tributes to Professor Okoro on account of his sterling contributions to academia, research, and mentorship.

The occasion served to underscore as well as showcase the contributions of Prof. Oloyede to both manpower and material development of the nation's education sector.

ONDO JAMB OFFICE OPENS NEWLY-COMPLETED CANTEEN

The Ondo State Office of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) has opened its staff canteen. It will be recalled that the Registrar, Prof. Is-haq Oloyede, during one of his working visits to Ondo State Office recently had directed the construction of a canteen within the facility to cater for the culinary needs of staff.

The newly-completed canteen is set to provide a comfortable and modern eating space for staff. According to the State Coordinator, Mr Fasasi Adebayo Subair: "This canteen reflects the Registrar's commitment to staff welfare and a positive workplace culture."

He added that the project was initiated to ensure that employees have access to healthy meals in a clean and welcoming environment, which will help to enhance productivity and workplace satisfaction.

The facility features a spacious dining area, modern kitchen utensils, and a variety of meal options to cater for diverse tastes and dietary needs of staff.

According to the Coordinator, the canteen is expected to begin full operations anytime soon, marking yet another milestone in the Board's ongoing efforts to enhance employees' work experience.

With the new canteen now completed,

staff can look forward to a more enjoyable and convenient dining experience right at the heart of the office premises.

The staff, in their reactions, expressed their excitement about the development, noting that it will not only save time but also create an opportunity for social interaction during breaks. They also expressed appreciation to the Registrar for the laudable initiative noting that his various welfare packages over the years have contributed in no small measure towards boosting staff morale for enhanced service delivery.

JICCS HOLDS OGM

The JAMB Investment and Credit Cooperative Society (JICCS) has held its Ordinary General Meeting (OGM) to appraise the past year's programmes of events. The OGM took place on Thursday, 6th October, 2025 at the Board's Auditorium, Bwari, Abuja. In his opening remarks, the President

of the Society, Mr. Caleb Maigari, thanked the members for remaining steadfast. He said the OGM was to review and discuss matters that had to do with the progress of the Society for the financial year.

The President started the meeting by pleading with members on the current upgrading by the IPPIS that is

affecting members who had finished their loan repayment but are still experiencing monthly deductions due to a halt of the monthly variation by the IPPIS. In addition, he said even monthly deductions from the staff, who took loans, had not been taking effect on account of these issues.

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JOINT ADMISSIONS AND MATRICULATION BOARD

REPORT OF INFLOW AND OUTFLOW FOR THE PERIOD

NOVEMBER 01 2025 - NOVEMBER 07 2025

FINANCIAL INFLOW

S/N	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT (=N=)
1	E-Facility/Sales	275,023,900
2	PRC Service Charges	1,859,200
3	Sale of UTME E-pins (Foreign)	7,710,750
4	Consultancy Services	5,224,573
	TOTAL	289,818,423
	The sum of N27,688,310 was auto-deducted by the AGF as advance remittance to CRF.	

FINANCIAL OUTFLOW

S/N	DESCRIPTION	PURPOSE	AMOUNT(=N=)
1	Staff Claims	Various	73,925,920
2	Bright score solution Ltd	Third Party Exam	2,197,500
3	Hammer General Venture	Publicity and Advert	1,600,000
4	SKYRULE Travel LTD	Flight Tickets	19,557,221
6	Danjuma Umar	Motor Vehicle Fuel	2,960,500
5	Engr. Abisoye A.M	Main. of Generator	1,859,320
7	Interactive Engineering consult Ltd	Reimbursable Expenses	10,000,000
8	Ummah Food Concept	Staff Meal	1,504,000
9	Abuja Electricity Distribution Company	Electricity Charges	1,008,606
10	Remita	Financial Charges	25,628
	TOTAL		114,638,695

JAMB CELEBRATES STAFF BORN NOVEMBER 10TH – NOVEMBER 16TH 2025

10TH NOVEMBER

Maji Jesse
Adenike Olatunde Adegbenro
Patience Leo Kambai
Kafilat Bukola Yusuph
Terhemen Bishop Igyuve
Zubaida Abubakar
Olayinka Titilayo Akindele

11TH NOVEMBER

Hannatu Gimba
Badiat Al-Kassim Umar
Hassan Umar
Auwalu Magaji
Vincent Shekwolo Yusuf
Elizabeth Odunola Ajeigbe
Abubakar Musa Haruna
Basiru Ali

Joseph Wilfred Idogen
Bello Saidu Maccido
Aisha Dabarako Muhammadi

12TH NOVEMBER

Mohammed Babanma Abubakar
Ramson Tentiyo Giwa
Hassan Lawal
Chikwue Victoria Umeugoji

13TH NOVEMBER

Tolulope Adekola Adedeji
Azibayaman Obiri

14TH NOVEMBER

Lucy Rose Ogunleye
Omonafe Edith Ojeyi
Rahab Moni Babre

Nkiru Leslie Nwokedi
Ijeoma Florence Obini
Oluwasola Gbenga Ajongbolo

15TH NOVEMBER

Babatunde Jacob
Blessing Ken Anyanwu
Alice Baba
Adakole Josiah Adah
Salihu Raji Muhammed
Busayo Esther Olowu
Celestina Adaku Onuoha

16TH NOVEMBER

Josephine Paul Song'den

Happy Birthday





EDUCATION IN THE MEDIA

PUNCH, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2025: FG Seeks Collaboration To Enhance Teaching, Education Standards: The Federal Government has called on stakeholders to further collaborate with it to improve the education sector, particularly the teaching profession...

The Permanent Secretary of the Federal Ministry of Education, Mr. Abel Enitan, made the call at the 69th National Council on Education meeting held in Akure, the Ondo State capital, on Monday. The event was themed "Quality Education Data and Professionalisation of Teaching: A Tool for Enhanced National Development."

Mr. Enitan emphasized that teaching is not just a vocation but a noble profession that shaped the destiny of nations, deserving collective responsibility to improve it.

He said, "Our collective responsibility is to ensure that teachers are well-prepared, well-supported, and well-rewarded..."

PUNCH, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2025: Nigeria-Korea Institute Gets NBTE Accreditation, Records 500% Rise In Enrolment: The Nigeria-Korea Friendship Institute of Vocational and Advanced Technology in Lokoja, Kogi State has secured full accreditation for all its programmes from the National Board for Technical Education. The Rector of the Institute, Prof. Charles Williams,

made this known recently in Lokoja.

He said the accredited courses include Automotive Mechatronics, Welding and Fabrication, Electrical/Electronic Technology, and Computer Software Engineering. The institute, he said, has also recorded an impressive 500 per cent increase in student enrolment within three years.

"The NKFI recorded a 500 per cent increase in students' enrolment, from 40 students in September 2022 when I assumed office to over 900 in September 2025..."

BLUEPRINT, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2025: UTME 2025: JAMB Extends Admissions Timeline For Public Universities: The Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) has extended the deadline given to Nigerian federal universities to conclude the admissions process for the 2025/2026 academic year.

In a statement by its spokesperson, Dr. Fabian Benjamin, JAMB said the extension followed appeals by the Association of Vice Chancellors of Nigerian Universities (AVCNU) and the introduction of 229 new academic programmes by the National Universities Commission (NUC) on 29 October. "Admissions into those programmes are just being scheduled," JAMB said.

Earlier this year, stakeholders at the JAMB policy meeting, which featured the heads of all tertiary

institutions in the country, had agreed to certain timelines for institutions to conclude admission processes. At the meeting held on 18 July, federal universities were asked to conclude admissions deadlines by 31 October and 30 November for private universities... Also in Premium Times, Monday, November 3, 2025.

PUNCH, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025: 16-year-old Nigerian emerges top in IGCSE English: A 16-year-old student of Chrisland Schools, Ms. Naomi Olayinka, has emerged as the top in the World in English as a Second Language at the 2024 Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education examinations.

Ms. Olayinka's recognition by the Cambridge Assessment International Education follows her outstanding performance in the June 2024 IGCSE examinations.

Speaking in an interview, the visibly elated teenager said, "Honestly, I was completely speechless at first. It didn't even sink in right away. When I finally realised what it meant, I just felt so grateful to God, to my teachers, my parents, and everyone who supported me. It was such a surreal moment, and all I could think about was how the hard work had really paid off,"...

OKAYNEWS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4,

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...Education in the Media

2025: JAMB Warns Admission Seekers Against Institutional 'Backdoor' Change of Programmes: The Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) has issued a stern warning to admission seekers across Nigeria against falling for institutional schemes promoting unauthorized change of programmes, describing the act as a manipulative and unethical practice aimed at undermining transparency in the nation's admission process.

In a statement released on Tuesday by JAMB's Spokesman, Dr. Fabian Benjamin, the examination body cautioned that some institutions have resorted to influencing candidates to alter their academic programmes outside the official Central Admissions Processing System (CAPS), the only platform legally recognized for processing tertiary admissions in Nigeria.

According to JAMB, "The unethical practice is designed to create room for the institutions' preferred candidates to move up in the admission ranking order," the statement read..."

OKAYNEWS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025: Tertiary Institutions to Access TETFUND ICT Intervention after Data Submission – FG: The Federal Government of Nigeria has launched the Tertiary Institution Governance and Transparency Platform (FTIGTP) to enhance accountability, efficiency, and transparency across the country's higher education system.

Minister of Education, Dr. Tunji Alausa, unveiled the platform on Tuesday in Abuja, describing it as a central database that will provide real-time information on the financial and operational activities of all tertiary institutions.

He said the FTIGTP will serve as a single, nationwide source of accurate data on student enrolment, government funding (capital, recurrent, and personnel), local and international research

grants, and allocations from key intervention agencies such as the Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund) and the Nigerian Education Loan Fund (NELFund)... Also in Leadership, Tuesday, November 4, 2025

PUNCH, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2025: FG, Germany Chamber Of Commerce Partner To Train, Export Graduates: The Minister of Education, Dr. Tunji Alausa, has stated that the ministry will collaborate with the Giessen-Friedberg Chamber of Commerce in Germany to leverage the skills of Nigerian TVET graduates, aiming to help address the skilled manpower gap in Germany.

Dr. Alausa stated this when he received a delegation from the Chambers led by the Chief Executive Officer, Dr. Matthias Leder, according to a statement issued by the GCOC on Wednesday

The minister said, "We will now work to set up a technical working group to begin to draft the MoU with you, and we will feed these students in our technical school to the pathway. We will do it in such a way that you will also come in for the assessment of these students while they are in school and even the ones we have trained."

"The ones that your chamber deems fit to travel, we will follow through the processes that we will put in place up to getting training visa from the German embassy," he said.

LEADERSHIP, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2025: Nigeria Eyes Global Spotlight With Varsity Reforms: The Federal Government has expressed its determination to reposition the Nigerian University system and restore its old glory where many of the institutions would rank among the 100 to 200 top universities in the world.

Minister of Education, Dr. Olatunji Alausa disclosed this in Abuja, where

he formally inaugurated the African Centres of Excellence (ACE) Alliance, designed as an umbrella body for all 20 African Centres of Excellence being hosted in 17 Nigerian universities.

Recall that in 2014, the first phase of the Africa Centres of Excellence (ACE) was launched as a regional World Bank-supported higher education programme designed to promote regional specialisation among participating universities within the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), Agriculture, and Health thematic areas...

LEADERSHIP, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2025: Senate Approves 14-yr Jail Term for Sexual Harassment in Tertiary Institutions: The Senate, has, approved a bill prescribing up to 14 years imprisonment for educators convicted of sexual harassments in tertiary institutions...

The bill titled 'Sexual Harassment of Students (Prevention and Prohibition) Bill, 2025' (HB.1597), was presented for concurrence by the Senate Leader, Senator Opeyemi Bamidele (APC, Ekiti Central).

Sen. Bamidele explained that the bill was designed to protect students from all forms of sexual misconducts and abuse within academic environments while providing clear legal frameworks for the enforcement and punishment for offenders... Also in Premium Times Wednesday, November 5, 2025

BLUEPRINT, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2025: FG Commences Disbursement Of ₦10m Interest-Free Loans For Tertiary Education Staff: The Federal Government has commenced the disbursement of the ₦10 million interest-free loan scheme under the Tertiary Institutions Staff Support Fund (TISSF), a bold initiative to enhance staff welfare, motivation, and

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productivity across Nigeria's universities, polytechnics and colleges of education.

According to a statement signed by the Director of Press and Public Relations, Mrs. Folasade Boriowo, speaking at the official launch and disbursement ceremony held at the Federal University of Technology, Akure (FUTA), the Minister of Education, Dr. Tunji Alausa, described the event as a historic fulfilment of President Bola Ahmed Tinubu's Renewed Hope Agenda, which prioritises human capital development and educational excellence.

He further explained that the TISSF provides zero-interest loans of up to ₦10 million, capped at one-third of an applicant's annual gross salary, to support housing, healthcare, transportation, and small business ventures... Also in Leadership, Friday, November 7, 2025

PUNCH, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2025: New Curriculum: Teachers Must Think Like Entrepreneurs, says NERDC: The Executive Secretary of the Nigerian Educational Research and Development Council, Prof. Salisu Shehu, has said that teachers must embrace entrepreneurial thinking to effectively implement the newly

revised school curriculum.

Prof. Shehu stated this at the SET4LYF national convening organised by Junior Achievement Nigeria in Lagos, which focused on strengthening entrepreneurship education across the country.

The event, themed "Strengthening Entrepreneurship Education in Nigeria: Empowering Teachers as Catalysts for Change," brought together education stakeholders to discuss how teachers can drive innovation and self-reliance among learners through the new curriculum...

LEADERSHIP, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2025: Federal Government Re-enrolls 1m Out-of-School Children: The Federal Government has re-enrolled over one million out-of-school children across the country as part of a renewed national efforts to strengthen foundational learning and expand access to quality education.

Minister of Education, Dr. Tunji Alausa stated this while speaking at the opening of the 69th National Council on Education (NCE) meeting in Akure, Ondo State capital.

Dr. Alausa said contrary to popular belief, 95 per cent of out-of-school

children were out of school due to poverty, not insecurity. "President Tinubu has approved significant funding to bring them back and ensure retention through school feeding and welfare programmes..." Also in Punch, Wednesday, 5, November, 2025

LEADERSHIP, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2025: Oye-Ekiti Varsity Gets New Vice Chancellor: The Governing Council of the Federal University Oye-Ekiti (FUOYE) has announced the appointment of Professor Joshua Olalekan Ogunwole, a professor of soil ecosystem, as the new Vice Chancellor of the institution.

Prof. Ogunwole, who is the current Deputy Vice Chancellor of Strategic Partnership, Research, Innovation, and Linkages, will succeed Professor Abayomi Sunday Fasina as the fifth substantive Vice Chancellor of the university in February.

According to a statement by the institution's Public Relations Officer, Mr. Foluso Ogunmodede, the decision was taken at a meeting presided over by the Pro-Chancellor and Chairman of Council, Senator Victor Ndoma-Egba, a Senior Advocate of Nigeria, on Thursday...

..Members Applaud JICCS President For Transforming Cooperative Into Profit-Making Venture

Cooperative is making deliberate, forward-looking investments that promise lasting financial sustainability.

Within a short period in office, Mr. Musa has commissioned both a laundry service and the sachet water factory, even as the Society faces increased loan demands and reduced financial inflows.

Members expressed confidence that if this momentum is sustained, JICCS will soon become self-sufficient, such that members who leave will stand to lose more than the Society

itself.

They also projected that these ventures would significantly boost members' dividends in the near future.

Members unanimously urged the JICCS leadership to continue thinking innovatively, adding that history would be kind to Mr. Musa for steering the Cooperative toward growth and sustainability.

Responding to questions on how he achieved so much with fewer resources than his predecessors, Mr. Musa credited his success to the

overwhelming support of members. He disclosed that his long-term vision is to enable staff to access loans at almost zero interest rates for land and property ownership.

He further revealed that another major project is already in the works and will be unveiled soon.

Mr. Musa called on members to continue supporting the administration's vision, assuring them that their trust and cooperation remain the driving force behind the Society's success.

...Nigerian Academy of Education Confers Fellowship on Oloyede, Afe Babalola, Jibrin, Others

six elevated to fellowship status at the 39th Annual General meeting (AGM) held on Thursday, 6th November, 2025, at the National Headquarters, National Commission for Colleges of Education (NCCE) with the theme: "The Contribution of Nigerian Academy of Education (NAE) to Nigeria Education Development".

NAE extolled the contributions of the Registrar to the nation's education sector describing him as a multi-talented scholar of Islamics, a certified professional teacher, who is also a fellow of the Nigerian Institute of Management (FNIM); Nigerian Society for Peace Studies and Practices (FSPSP); Islamic Academy of Cambridge; and the Nigerian Academy of Letters (FNAL)".

Continuing, NAE said, "Prof. Oloyede has demonstrated, through his turnaround management of the University of Ilorin (2007–2012) and JAMB (2016 to date), what academics, if given the opportunity, can do in improving the lot of the Nation.

"An appreciative Nigerian Nation has bestowed many high profile

honours and awards on Prof. Ishaq Oloyede. They include – Officer of the Order of the Federal Republic (OFR, 2014); National Productivity Order of Merit (NPOM, 2019); and Commander of the Order of the Niger (CON, 2022)."

He is also a recipient of other numerous special awards from diverse interests, groups, and institutions across all strata of the society within and outside Nigeria.

Furthermore, the Academy took note of the various responsibilities that had been entrusted to the Registrar ranging from his being a former Vice Chancellor, University of Ilorin; former President, Association of African Universities (AAU); and former Chairman, Committee of Vice Chancellors/Association of Vice Chancellors of Nigerian Universities (CVC/AVCNU). "He is also Secretary-General of the Nigerian Supreme Council of Islamic Affairs (NSCIA)."

Earlier, the Academy had called for the declaration of a state of emergency in Nigeria's education sector, warning that continued neglect of the system would stall national progress.

According to the President of the Academy, Professor Kabiru Isyaku: "NAE believes that Nigeria can achieve significant development if the right attention and funding could be given to the education sector."

The President also commended the students loan scheme, and advocated major reforms such as the National Teacher Education Policy (NTEP) and the professionalisation of teaching, proliferation of tertiary institutions, among others.

Goodwill messages were taken from the Hon. Minister of State for Education, represented by Claris Ujam, and the Deputy Senate President, represented by Senator Babangida Hussaini.

The highlight of the occasion was a lecture delivered by one of NAE's surviving foundation members, Emeritus Professor Pius Augustine Ike (PAI) Obanya, titled: "The contributions of Nigerian Academy of Education to Nigeria Education Development."

PICTURES OF THE NAE CONFERMENT OF FELLOWSHIP ON PROF. IS-HAQ OLOYEDE



The representative of the Minister of State Education Mrs Christy Ujam and the Registrar of JAMB, Prof Oloyede, at the NAE programme



Prof Ribadu, ES, NUC and Prof Oloyede, Registrar JAMB at the NAE programme in Abuja



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PROF. IS-HAQ O. OLOYEDE, 

Registrar/Chief Executive



OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

No. 2024ff.04

6th May, 2024

MANDATORY USE OF THE NATIONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (NIN) FOR REGISTRATION WITH JAMB BY CANDIDATES APPLYING FOR NON-REGULAR PROGRAMMES

This Advisory is issued to all the concerned institutions, and candidates desirous of applying to study under the non-regular mode of study in tertiary institutions in Nigeria.

As part of measures to checkmate the nefarious activities of fraudulent characters, who are scheming to compromise candidates' records through dubious registration channels and in compliance with its enabling act, JAMB has mandated that all applicants desirous of studying in Nigerian tertiary institutions must provide their NIN while registering for any programme of study in any tertiary institution in Nigeria irrespective of whether the mode of study is **regular and non-regular**.

2. Consequently, it has now become mandatory for all prospective candidates in the **non-regular category (NOUN, Distance Learning, Part-time and Sandwich programmes)** to create a profile code, before registering with JAMB, by sending their NIN, through their unique phone number to either of the Board's sort code (55019 or 66019).
3. Immediately after the creation of profile, each candidate will proceed to a CBT Centre for registration. After the registration, the candidate's details will appear on the CAPS of the institution of choice under non-regular admission. The institution will then propose and recommend to the Board for approval and the candidate will accept and print admission letter.
4. Furthermore, all previous candidates in the non-regular programmes, who had not integrated their NIN or unique phone number on the Board's platform, would have to create a profile using their respective NINs to access any of the services of the Board.
5. No candidate can use the process to change any of the data already supplied to the Board.
6. JAMB, as a responsive organisation that is conscious of the peculiarities of the non-regular studies, will continue to make the registration process as flexible as possible by making its platform available throughout the year. It is, therefore, expected that candidates, who fall under this category, will apply through JAMB before approaching their preferred institutions to process their admission with their respective JAMB registration numbers. They would also be expected to pay their preferred institution a processing fee as determined by the respective institutions.
7. Please be guided for compliance.

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NEXT OF KIN: WHAT IT MEANS AND WHY IT MATTERS

"It is not the length of life, but the depth (of responsibility) that defines our legacy." – **Ralph Waldo Emerson**

In the Nigerian Civil Service, the term, 'Next of Kin' (NOK) appears on almost every official form – ranging from records of employment to pension documents. Hence, many officers often misconstrue it for inheritance rights, thinking it automatically confers legal authority on the person whose name has been appended as the Next of Kin by the officer.

It is pertinent to stress that Next of Kin is not synonymous in any guise to beneficiary. Therefore, in today's edition, clarification, administrative and legal implications of the term shall be observed, while every officer is enjoined to take cognizance of and treat it with utmost seriousness.

Also, it is utmost important that members of staff of the Board regularly update their NOK details, especially, after passing through major life events like marriage, divorce, relocation, or bereavement.

Understanding the Concept of Next of Kin

A *Next of Kin* is the person (usually a relative—spouse, child or parent) designated to be contacted or act on the behalf of another person in emergency situations, particularly, during serious illness or death.

Simply put, *Next of Kin* is an officer's official contact person, not necessarily an heir or beneficiary.

Within the civil service, this information enables the organization to promptly reach family members and facilitate appropriate administrative actions on an officer in critical situations.

The Legal Reality: Next of Kin Is Not Automatically a Beneficiary

One common misconception is that the *Next of Kin* automatically inherits the property, entitlements, or benefits of a deceased officer.

In truth, under Nigerian law— whether statutory, customary, or Islamic, inheritance is determined by specific legal and religious frameworks, not by NOK designation.

A *Next of Kin* serves as a bridge between the organization and the officer's family, not as the rightful claimant of benefits (in case of death). Recognizing this distinction prevents avoidable conflicts and delays in the release of death benefits, pension, or gratuity of a severed officer.

Why NOK Matters in the Civil Service

Choosing the Right Next of Kin

Selecting a Next of Kin should be a thoughtful process. The selected individual should be:

- a. **Trustworthy** – someone who can act in the best interest of the officer;
- b. **Available and reachable** – especially in emergencies;
- c. **Responsible** – capable of communicating effectively with the organization or relevant authorities.

Going Beyond the Form: The Importance of a Will

While the Next of Kin serves as an administrative contact, only a Will can clearly define how your assets, benefits, and entitlements are to be shared.

Preparing a Will eliminates confusion, minimizes family disputes, and ensures that your wishes are respected after your demise. Every officer is encouraged to consider this act of foresight and responsibility.

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Final Word

The Next of Kin field in your file is not just a bureaucratic requirement, it represents a critical link between you, your family, and the organization.

Understanding its true purpose ensures smoother administrative processes, protects loved ones, and upholds your legacy of responsibility and orderliness.

Take a moment today to review your records and ask: *Is my Next of Kin still the right person?* Because in matters of life, service, and legacy, it truly matters.

Tip for the Week

"Responsibility is the price we pay for trust."

HRM Reflection

Designating your Next of Kin is both a personal and professional duty. When done thoughtfully and updated regularly, it becomes a reflection of foresight, accountability, and core - values that define every true public servant.

JICCS COMMISSIONS SACHET WATER VENTURE

As part of its efforts to diversify its investment portfolio as well as achieve sustainable development goals for the society, the JAMB Investment and Credit Cooperative Society (JICCS) has attained a significant milestone as it recently commissioned its sachet water venture at the Dibu Ojerinde Estate, Bwari, Abuja.

The venture was commissioned by

the JAMB Registrar, Prof. Is-haq Oloyede, who was represented by the Director, Registrar's Office, Mr. Muftau Bello. Other management staff present were: Director, Human Resources Management, Mr. Gani Abdulrahim; Ag. Director, Procurement Department, Mr. Mohammed Abdulsalam; Assistant Director, Public Affairs and Protocol Unit, Mrs. Amina Haruna; and a

cross-section of members of the Society.

In his remarks during the cutting of the tape to mark the formal commissioning of the facility, Prof. Oloyede congratulated the Society on its landmark achievements so far and prayed for the sustainability of the venture.

PICTURES OF THE COMMISSIONING OF THE JICCS WATER FACTORY



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ADVISORY ON PROCEDURE FOR PROCESSING OF (DEGREE) ADMISSION FOR AFFILIATED INSTITUTIONS

In 2022, the Board proposed that universities should take full responsibility for admissions into all degree programmes offered through institutions affiliated with them. However, this directive was not fully implemented, as universities were initially given the liberty to decide on the matter, pending a final resolution. To date, only the University of Ibadan has assumed this role of overseeing and coordinating the admissions of its affiliate institutions.

2. Following the meeting held on Monday, 18th August 2025, with various institutions regarding violations of matriculation guidelines, concerns were raised about the existing admission processing structure. Notably, institutions complained that they could not be held accountable for the misdemeanors of their affiliates under the existing processing format. As a result of this, the matter was revisited.

3. Consequently, it was resolved that the previously proposed process, where Mother-Institutions take responsibility for admissions into their affiliated institutions, should now be adopted and implemented by all universities with affiliates.

4. In light of the above, the Board has developed an updated procedure for the processing of admissions by both Mother-Institutions and their affiliates, as follows:

- a. Head of the affiliated-institution logs into JAMB (CAPS) portal and downloads candidates for a particular programme;
- b. The Head of the Affiliated-Institution (wherever it is based) logs into JAMB (CAPS) portal and sets admissions criteria for every programme, such as minimum scores for UTME, post UTME, aggregate, catchment and ELDS;
- c. The Head of the affiliated institution proposes the qualified candidates for each programme on CAPS and it goes to the Head of the mother-institution;
- d. The Head of the Mother-Institution (wherever it is based) logs into the JAMB (CAPS) portal and recommends the candidate to the Registrar of JAMB (or representative) for approval or declines the proposal with a reason for the rejection;
- e. The Registrar of JAMB (or representative) approves the recommendation(s) from the Head of the Mother-Institution or declines the recommendation with a reason for the rejection;

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- f. If the recommendation is approved, the candidate is notified through his/her email and SMS to either accept or reject the offer of admission. The two institutions can log in and view the status of the recommended candidates;
- g. If the candidate accepts the offer of admission, he/she can thereafter print his/her admission letter and access other services online from his/her profile.

NOTE: *The Head of an Affiliated-Institution has access to “VIEW ONLY” all recommendations by the Head of a Mother-Institution.*

5. All Universities serving as Mother-institutions, Polytechnics/Monotechnics, Colleges of Education and other institutes offering degrees in affiliation with universities are to be guided by this, please.



Mohammed A. Babaji
Director Admissions
For: Registrar

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...JICCS Holds OGM

He added that the deduction is not only affecting JAMB alone but other MDAs nationwide and pleaded for their understanding while the issue is being resolved.

While speaking on the various loan requests, he said a lot of staff are on the queue and they keep asking why the long wait for the emergency, short and long-term loans they had requested. He said the long wait is as a result of the huge number of members applying for loan almost on a daily basis, which according to him is as a result of the biting economic situations in the country. He, therefore, urged staff applying for loans to make use of the loan portal on the JICCS App to apply because it is based on “first come, first served” basis while the Loan Committee will handle the rest.

Speaking further on deductions, he said some members are in the habit of asking him and the secretariat to stay actions on deductions immediately on their salaries for reasons best known to them. But the President argued that if the Society stays action on the deductions how would it meet the outstanding requests on the loan queue!

Mr. Maigari also talked on the issue of beneficiaries and their guarantors, he said the rate at which loan

beneficiaries are defaulting is alarming. He said, some staff on different loan schemes such as the Ojerinde Estate and long-term loan still want to go for emergency loan at the same time! He lamented that the trend is putting a lot of guarantors at risk and urged them to be wary of guaranteeing members on more than two types of loans.

The President also raised alarm at the increasing numbers of loan beneficiaries disappearing (Japa) to another country as a great source of concern. He said he had sought the intervention of the management to bring the trend under control.

With respect to the issue of home appliances, Mr. Maigari said a lot of members had approached him demanding why he had refused to include Home Appliances in the Society's programme for the year. He said the issue bordered on finance adding that the only available option to accommodate home appliances was to step down issuance of all categories of loans for 3 to 4 months so as to gather enough money to get those appliances or a soft emergency loan may be initiated for members to collect and sort themselves out on home appliances, a process that still needs to go through the queueing process.

As there was no unanimous opinion on the matter, the issue was stepped down for the year.

Mr. Maigari, thereafter, called for the inauguration of the Electoral Committee (ELCO) as the tenure of the present JICCS executives is gradually coming to an end. He read out the names of the eleven nominated members as follows:

Abbah M. Abubakar, Abah Christopher, Munirat Adamu, Barr. Chidinma, Abu Mohammed, David Kuduru Shagi, Yinka Kayode, Samson Omaye, Ebenezer Ayelabola, Justina Bature and Hassan Mohammed.

Afterwards, the 11 nominees were presented to members for approval and they, in turn, selected Mr. Abbah Abubakar as their Chairman.

In conclusion, the President disclosed that going forward, members would start enjoying fat dividend as the Society had commissioned its sachet water venture, which had since opened its doors for business. He, therefore, solicited patronage from members and friends of the Society. He also enjoined members not to forget the Society's Laundry Services, Bwari, as patronizing it will go a long way towards boosting the dividend paid to members.

WEEKLY REPORT OF TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS MATRICULATION AND JAMB ANALYSIS OF THE 2024/2025 MATRICULATION LIST

ADMISSIONS DEPARTMENT

2024/2025 ACADEMIC SESSION INSTITUTIONS' MATRICULATION ANALYSIS

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	CENTER FOR TECHNOLOGY TRAINING AND INNOVATION, 1.GWARIMPA, ABUJA	11/03/2025	Not disclosed	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	39	9	9	0	0	0
	2 Adamawa State Polytechnic, Yola, Adamawa State															39	0	0

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ATTENTION!!!

THE NEW NOMENCLATURE FOR THE BOARD'S OFFICE AND OUTSTATION DIRECTORS

S/N	Zonal Office	Office's Acronym	Nomenclature of Head of Office	Director's Acronym
1.	Abuja Zonal Office	AZO	Zonal Director, Abuja	ZDA
2.	Bauchi Zonal Office	BZO	Zonal Director, Bauchi	ZDB
3.	Lafia Zonal Office	LZO	Zonal Director, Lafia	ZDL
4.	Maiduguri Zonal Office	MZO	Zonal Director, Maiduguri	ZDM
5.	Kano Zonal Office	KZO	Zonal Director, Kano	ZDK
6.	Port Harcourt Zonal Office	PZO	Zonal Director, Port Harcourt	ZDP
7.	Ibadan Zonal Office	IZO	Zonal Director, Ibadan	ZDI
8.	Benin Zonal Office	NZO	Zonal Director, Benin	ZDN
9.	Sokoto Zonal Office	SZO	Zonal Director, Sokoto	ZDS
10.	Enugu Zonal Office	EZO	Zonal Director, Enugu	ZDE
11.	Owerri Zonal Office (HA)	OWZO (HA)	Zonal Director (HA), Owerri	ZDOW
12.	Lagos Zonal Office (HA)	LGZO (HA)	Zonal Director (HA), Lagos	ZDLG
13.	Ilorin Zonal Office (HA)	LRZO (HA)	Zonal Director (HA), Ilorin	ZDLR
14.	Kaduna Zonal Office (HA)	KDZO (HA)	Zonal Director (HA), Kaduna	ZDKD