



TAVUA COLLEGE

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Connecting Home and School Makes Us a Great Community of Learners

Dear Parents and Guardians

Greetings from Tavua College.

We are very much appreciative of the support received from majority of our Parents and Guardians. Since, the Term is about to end, we wish to bring to your attention few important announcements from the school.

Kindly note the following:

1. Assessments and Coverage of Work

The students have done 2 topic tests in Term 1. The topic tests as communicated earlier is scheduled every 4 weeks' time to ensure the students are continuously engaged in learning and it also provides the teachers with the opportunity to reflect and re-strategize on their strategies for improvement. The **Mid Year Examination is scheduled to be from 26th to 30th June, 2023**. We anticipate 100% attendance for this major examination and Parents and Guardians are humbly reminded to note these important dates to provide the added support from home. The School Internal Examination Policy will apply and there will be no resit of the examination after the scheduled paper gets completed. **Year 13 parents please note that the students of Year 13 will appear for MOCK English Full Scale Paper on Monday, 1st May, 2023**. This is an extra initiative from the English teachers to ensure students have more practice of a 3-hour paper before they will appear for the Mid-Year Examination. The same will be planned for Year 12's in Term 2. In regards to coverage of work, students' and teachers' work have been monitored by the Administrative Team. Academic counselling for students and Teacher Intervention Support Programme have been in place. The students will also be guided well in their project components.

2. School's Participation in Coke Games

We are delighted to communicate to you all that Tavua College has retained its title as Zone Overall Winners in Tavua/Vatukoula Nadarivatu Athletics Competition. 10 students will be representing the College at this year's Coke Games starting from April 27th to April 29th at the HFC Bank Stadium, Suva. The students will be billeting at Suva Sangam College. The preparation is progressing well.

3. School's Participation in Rugby Union Competition and in Upcoming Netball and Soccer Competitions

The School will participate in U16 and U18 Rugby competitions in Term 2. We are also in the preparation phase of identifying the students who will represent the College in Netball and upcoming Soccer Competitions, knowing the fact that this institution is renowned in sporting activities as well. We would therefore seek assistance from Parents and Guardians in terms of consents and appropriate guidance so that students display good studentship habits at all times.

4. Care of School Property and Behaviour of Students

While majority of our students have displayed good behavior and always comply with the School's Code of Conduct, we have a number of students who are continually dealt with and often there is lack of parental support. These students deliberately bring disrepute to the College by unnecessarily loitering in towns and being present in places where they are not supposed to be. We have also noted indiscipline cases whereby students have been found using vulgar language and for few students this is something that seems to be quite normal for them. We urge all parents to please find time for your children and do remind them about good discipline. This will assist teachers to mould the overall character of our students as well as prioritize their learning at school. There are students who also deliberately damage school properties. Such behaviors are intolerable and we will be asking the parents to compensate for the damages done by these students.

5. Change of Dispersal Time

Please note that the students will be dispersed from 3.25 pm from Monday, 17th April. The Duty Teachers will remain in school till the last student gets dispersed from school.

6. Holiday Assignments

The students will be assigned work to complete in the upcoming two weeks' holidays. We also strongly advise Parents and Guardians to supervise students well in the break and ensure that students are engaged in activities like gardening.

7. Health Promoting Information

The College ensures the holistic development of every child. We acknowledge and thank every parent/guardian for the support in the Health Promoting School Program for the past years. Students' physical, diet and mental health in school is monitored such as encouraging use of water bottle and observing fruit day. Mental Health is our priority area under the HPS program and we wish to inform parents that our Child Protection Officer provides counseling as per need. Academic counseling is also ongoing by every teacher and the Administration. We look forward to the collaborative support from parents/guardians to ensure the fulfillment of HPS goals for 2023

8. Words of Appreciation

We sincerely extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our stakeholders for the continued support in Term One and anticipate the same during this academic year.

God Bless Us All.
Thanking you.



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