



Term 1 News Letter 2021

**Compliance to All
Covid-19
Protocols**



Covid-19 is here.

Covid-19 is real.

Keep Safe

Stay Safe

Important Dates



Sanitise! Be safe.

Physical
Distancing

Stay Home

**End of Term 1
Important Dates**

2nd to 5th April 2021
Easter Holidays

9th April 2021
End of Term

12th to 14th April 2021
Std 7 Cambridge
Checkpoint
Examinations

4th May 2021
Beginning of Term 2

**BE SAFE,
STAY SAFE.**

Covid-19 in Legae

Since January 2021, Legae has experienced a slight increase in the number of Covid-19 positive cases. Below are the recorded cases as of 16 March 2021:

1 case office staff
2 cases support staff
1 case teaching staff
19 cases students

Despite the numbers above, the school managed to contain the spread of the virus among students. The school is engaging all stakeholders to ensure total adherence to the Covid-19 protocols:

LEGAE 1st 2020 PSLE Outstanding Performance

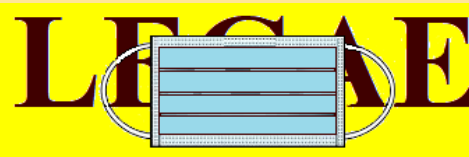
The school did exceptionally well in the 2020 Primary School Leaving Examinations.

Out of 87 students:
63 Students got a Grade A (72.4%)
21 Students go a Grade B (24.2%)
3 students got a Grade c (3.4%)

4 students got straight A's and 11 students got 5 A's. In total, 39 students scored a total of 4A's and above.

A big thank you to 2020 std 7 teachers, parents and students for a job well-done.

The school will continue to strive for academic excellence



10-Year-old Katlo Thekiso in Std 5 Blue presented a book titled ***Dear Mr President*** to the His Excelency the President Dr Mokgweetsi Masisi on Thursday 18th March 2021 at the State House.

Katlo started writing the book in 2020 with the encouragement of his parents and some Legae teachers who edited the book. This came at the right time when the school is busy promoting the culture of reading and writing.

***Always be Aware of
Your Environment
Wear a Mask***



2021 PREFECTS

On the 12th of March 2021, Legae proudly held its Prefects' Induction Assembly. The new prefects ceremoniously entered the hall with lit candles, appropriately to the tune of This Little Light of Mine. The assembly was a very special occasion for all involved and will be fondly remembered by the prefects in times to come.

Congratulations to all the prefects! Legae has faith in their capabilities and appreciates their daily contributions.

Head Boy	-	Ndiye Mphinyane
Head Girl	-	Bogolo Ramoloi
Deputy Head Boy	-	Letso Kekobilwe
Deputy Head Girl	-	Kate Modise

INTERNATIONAL DAYS

Legae embraces and encourages diversity amongst all learners by celebrating a variety of International Days during the year.

During these celebrations, children are enlightened about the significance of these days and how observing them can help make the world a better place to live.

The school has provided a guideline to parents on what to do on such occasion.



Chinese New Year

Chinese New Year was one of the many international activities that were engaged in. This year, according to Chinese culture, is the International Year of the Ox



Learner Centered Teaching

Due to Covid-19 Restrictions and in order to avoid congestion in the Science lab, experiments are conducted in the classroom

Magnesium + Oxygen = white powder called Magnesium oxide

The school encourages a hands on approach to learning. Children are given the opportunity to carry out experiments.

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Fees

Parents are reminded to pay all fees on time to avoid having their children taken out of class due to non-payment of fees.

2021 Fees are as follows:

Std 1 P9,500.00 per term

Std 2-7 P10,050.00 per term

Proof of payment should be sent to the school as soon as possible via email to:

bursar@legaeprimary.com copied to infotech@legaeprimary.com



*2021 Prefects and their
parents in the background*

Sports and Physical Education

All contact sports and swimming remain suspended due Covid-19 protocols. Other activities such as horse riding are continuing as there is no contact between riders.

Physical Education is focusing on individual skill development in all sports codes. The school has sufficient equipment (balls, rackets) for each child to have their own equipment. At the end of each lesson, equipment is sanitised in preparation for the next lesson.

It is our hope that the impact of Covid-19 on the nation will subside allowing us to return to competitive sports.

On another note, parents are encouraged to keep fit by partaking in regular exercises.

Music in Legae

The Music teacher Mr Sikufa is in the process of resuscitating the school Marimba band and the orchestra.

To date, the performance of the Marimba band has been sterling. The school is planning on having marimba and orchestra recital towards the end of the year (Covid-19 permitting).

Children in Marimba band as well as those in the orchestra are encouraged to continue working hard and to attend all rehearsals.



2020 Std 7's boarding Air Botswana's ATR72. They went for a 30minute flight over part of the South East District.

The Flight was part of their Bridging Course.

Google classroom

The academic department has initiated Google Classroom to facilitate learning during lockdowns and quarantines.

Each child has been given an access password to the classroom. Parents should access the classroom as some announcements and assignments will be posted on it.

In the meantime, the school is toying around with the idea of "One Child One Tablet". This will allow children to have access to google classroom as and when the need arises.

It should be noted that e-learning is meant to augment normal classroom learning.

Library

To encourage a culture of reading, the school Library is reaching out to both parents and students to pick a book. In addition to improving, one's grammar, reading one book per week can broaden one's scope of viewing the world.

The academic department has introduced Active Learn and parents are urged to ensure that children read the assigned books.

Each child has a reading diary and parents should check and sign the diary daily.

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Recycle Reuse Reduce

Legae donates to CAB

Legae English Medium School has been in partnership with the Cancer Association of Botswana. In September 2020, the school donated P6055.65 to CAB.

The children Contributed from their little pockets P3,325.65 and the school topped it up with P2,730.00

Receiving the donation CAB representative Ms Boitumelo Molefhe thanked the Students, Parents, Staff and Management of the school for their support.

On another note, parents and staff are encouraged to be on the look out and to carry out necessary check-ups to detect any signs of cancer at an early stage.

**Its not about being the best, its about being better than you were yesterday.
(unknown)**

Be a better person. Spread Love NOT Covid-19



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2020 Family day Raffle finally drawn.

Following the cancellation of the 2020 family fun day due to Covid-19, the school decided to go ahead with the raffle. The draw took place at the sports field to allow maximum physical distancing.

Winners!

1 st	Karabo Masokwana	7 Red
2 nd	Mbali Lesetedi	4 Green
3 rd	Theo Gobuamang	5 Blue

Consolation Prizes

Tumiso Rakgare	6 Red
Olorato Gatang	4 Green
Tasima Gaseitsiwe	4 Red
Kaelo Tsie	6 Green



Celebrating our wildlife.

The whole nation is urged to play its part in conserving our flora and fauna. We are also encouraged to support our local tourism industry while adhering to strict Covid-19 protocols.



Physical
Distancing
during PE

No sharing of
equipment

Safety First

Legae is a full time Cambridge School.

The current Std 7s will be the last cohort to write the National Primary School Leaving Examinations (PSLE).

In 2022, the completing class will be writing Cambridge Check Point Examinations only. Parents are informed that the school will continue offering Setswana, PE, Music, Cambridge ICT, Social Studies and Agriculture to help prepare children for Junior Secondary School.



**Commonwealth Day before Covid-19
Together we can beat Covid-19**

Legae supports the Cancer Association of Botswana (CAB) and Botswana Society for the Prevention of Cruelty Against Animals (BSPCA).

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