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## ATTENTION!!!



**RESULTS OF  
MOP-UP UTME  
HELD ON  
SATURDAY, 6TH MAY,  
2023 RELEASED**

## 2023 MOP-UP UTME: EDUCATION MINISTER COMMENDS JAMB



Malam Adamu Adamu, Honourable Minister of Education fielding questions from journalists during the Minister's monitoring of 2023 MOP-UP UTME

**T**he Hon. Minister of Education, Malam Adamu Adamu, has commended the efforts of the

Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) for its efforts at ensuring that no qualified candidate is denied the opportunity to take the 2023 UTME.

The commendation came against the backdrop of the second chance given to candidates, who were unable to take the 2023 UTME earlier scheduled to hold from 25th April to 2nd May, 2023, on account of technical hitches, biometric challenges, mismatched data, among others.

It would be recalled that JAMB, as a responsible organisation, had promised

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## I APOLOGIZE FOR THE MISCONCEPTION I CREATED - CANDIDATE

A candidate, Miss Aminat Suleiman Yahaya, who was featured in a widely-circulated video on Tiktok and other social media platforms, alleging that she

was rescheduled repeatedly to sit the Board's 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination(UTME) in Abuja, while staying in Ibadan, has

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## 69 YEAR-OLD JAMB CANDIDATE WANTS TO STUDY MEDICINE

**A** 69-year old candidate, Mr. Babatunde Carmichael Fabiyi, has indicated his determination to study Medicine in his institution of choice by sitting the 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination(UTME).

Mr. Fabiyi, who picked the University of Lagos as his first choice to study Medicine, opted for Lagos State University (LASU), as his second choice, also to study Medicine, and Yaba College of

Technology, Lagos, as third choice to study Science Laboratory Technology.

The sexagenarian, who hailed from Egbado-North, Ogun State, sat the UTME at Centre 457, Nubi Private School, Okota, Lagos State.

The centre's examination officials, in their various submissions, indicated that Mr. Fabiyi was a model candidate as he not only came to the centre early enough, but also followed all the instructions given to him diligently.

## 2023 UTME: COOPERATION IS SINE QUA NON FOR SUCCESS - ADEBIYI

**A** call has gone to critical stakeholders in the education sector to partner the Board in the

task of delivering flawless and credible UTME. Making this call in Umuahia, was the Abia State Coordinator, Mr. Johnson

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## 2023 UTME: JAMB COMMENDS MTN AND AIRTEL FOR QUALITY SERVICE DELIVERY

**F**ollowing the superlative performance of two of its Service Providers, MTN and Airtel, the Joint

Admissions and Matriculation Board(JAMB) has expressed satisfaction with the quality of service rendered by the

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## ...2023 MOP-UP UTME: Education Minister Commends JAMB



The Hon. Minister of Education, Malam Adamu Adamu with the Registrar of JAMB, Prof. Is-haq Oloyede during the conduct of the mop-up examination

that all candidates, who had indicated interest in sitting the examination, are accommodated as adequate arrangements had been made to cater for any challenges.

The Honourable Minister, in a chat with newsmen shortly after monitoring the 2023 Mop-up UTME at Willstrom Limited Institute, NAOWA, Mambila Barracks, Asokoro, commended the Board for its inclusive stance.

In the course of the monitoring exercise, the Hon. Minister had witnessed the screening and accreditation of candidates, as well as the general conduct of the examination.

Further in his remarks, Mal. Adamu commended the Registrar, Prof. Is-haq



Members of JAMB management monitoring the mop-up examination

Oloyede, for the series of innovations he had put in place to curb examination malpractice.

"I am happy with the innovations put in place by the Board. Once again, Prof. Oloyede has shown himself a leader and a father by ensuring that no child qualified to sit the examination is denied access. The fact that the level of infractions has been reduced to a minimal level is worthy of note and I applaud the JAMB Registrar for this feat," he said. The 2023 Mop-up examination was held on Saturday, 6th May, 2023, in 138 centres nationwide.

## Candidates being subjected to the clearing process of the Board before gaining access to the examination hall



## JAMB NIGER STATE OFFICE PLAYS HOST TO AEDC REGIONAL MANAGER

As part of her drive to reposition the Niger State Office of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board, (JAMB), the State Coordinator, Hajia Munirat A. Lawal, has played host to the Regional Manager of the Abuja Electricity Distribution Company (AEDC), Mr. Mohammed Keni.

The Regional Manager, who was at the State Office on Wednesday, 3rd May, 2023, to interact with the State Coordinator on how to improve power supply to the office.

Earlier, Hajia Lawal, in her remarks

had decried the erratic power supply to the office in recent times and had described the situation as worrisome.

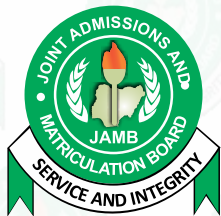
"Despite the huge monthly bill we pay to your company, the irregular electricity supply to this office is unfortunate. We barely have supply and when we do, it is not stable. Hence, we are forced to depend on generators on which we spend a fortune to run. We all know the cost of a litre of diesel now," she lamented.

In his response, Mr. Keni, on behalf of

AEDC apologised for the unwholesome situation while promising stable power supply to the office in due course.

"Let me, on behalf of AEDC, sincerely apologise for the unwholesome situation. It is not intentional, it is a situation beyond us, but be assured that we are on top of it as our team of engineers are working assiduously day and night to serve our customers better. We regret any inconvenience this might have caused your Board. The situation will improve soon," he stated.





# JOINT ADMISSIONS AND MATRICULATION BOARD

## REPORT OF INFLOW AND OUTFLOW FOR THE PERIOD

### APRIL 29 2023 – MAY 05 2023

#### FINANCIAL INFLOW

S/N	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT(N)
1	E-facilities/Sales	90,475,360.00
2	PRC Service Charge	1,091,760.00
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>91,567,120.00</b>

#### FINANCIAL OUTFLOW

S/N	DESCRIPTION	PURPOSE	AMOUNT(N)
1	Staff Claims	Various	25,225,456.00
2	Supervision of Examination	2023 UTME	67,729,209.00
3	Outsourced Service	Cleaning Service	5,665,174.84
4	E-Pin Agents	Refund of 2023 Registration Unsold pins	548,432,435.00
5	Departmental Imprest	2023 2nd Quarter	600,000.00
6	Adefots Nigeria Limited	Printing of 2023 UTME Rough Sheets	35,340,000.00
7	Kojo Auto Services Centre Ltd	Maintenance of Vehicle	35,250.00
8	Hammer General Ventures Ltd	Publicity	200,000.00
9	Remita	Financial Charges	67,703.50
	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>683,295,228.34</b>

### JAMB CELEBRATES STAFF BORN MAY8<sup>TH</sup> – MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> 2023

#### 8<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Martina Abumbi  
Salisu Bello Ibrahim  
Hudu Jibril Yusuf  
Faruk Umar Kalgo  
Mwuese Sophie Wuam  
Vivian Onoyovbere Oyelade  
Ibrahim Mohammed Isawa

#### 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Mufutau A Bello  
Olaniyi Samson Oshunsan  
Aminat Olasunbo Egberongbe  
Muhammed Mahmood Isiyaku  
Folasade Olajumoke Akinsete  
Ebenezer Yetu Akale  
Yetunde Olayinka Otun  
David Uwaifo Ojeifo

#### 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Bapeto Abubakar

Sarah Paul Ibekwe  
Danjuma Ogiri Otaki  
Magaji Abdullahi  
Omowumi Catherine  
Adebayo  
Mukhtar Ozovehe Sadiku  
Oluwatobi Celestina  
Adegoke  
Nabeel Olosun Sulaiman

#### 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Habibat Olateju Akande

#### 12<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Halilu Abdullahi Gwarzo  
Mohammed Babaji Ahmed  
Charity Chinyere Okwere  
Abdulrahman Mamman  
Bilkisu Musa Aliyu  
Folake Mary Faluyi

Ibrahim Lawal Jirah

#### 13<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Hussaina Mohammed  
Indabawa  
Habiba Adamu Isa  
Rasaq Olanrewaju Edun  
Oluwayemisi Odekunle

#### 14<sup>TH</sup> MAY

Joseph Ogbe  
Adamu Ibrahim  
Maryam Omon  
Abdulrahman  
Ramatu Abubakar  
Adeola Ayobami Adeniyi  
Nimotalahi Mustapha





## EDUCATION IN THE MEDIA

**NATION, SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023-**  
**UTME: Malpractice, Impersonation Have Reduced, Says Oloyede:** The Registrar of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB), Prof. Is-haq Oloyede has stated that the level of examination malpractices, particularly impersonation in Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME) has reduced drastically following measures put in place by the Board.

Prof. Oloyede said he was impressed that malpractice had reduced nationwide and now below the international standard in terms of percentage.

"The level of malpractice has reduced drastically. I am impressed that throughout the country it has become very minimal. In fact, it is now below the international standard in terms of the percentage. We have better devices to determine what is happening in centres and the system won't allow it," he said.

**LEADERSHIP, SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023-** **VC Lauds Inclusion of Visually Impaired UTME:** Vice-Chancellor of the Federal University of Birnin Kebbi (FUBK) in Kebbi State, Prof. Muhammad Zaiyan Umar has applauded the efforts of the Registrar, Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB), Prof. Is-haq Oloyede, in including candidates with special needs in the 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examinations (UTME). According to a

statement credited to the University, by the Head, Information and Public Relations, Mr. Jamilu M. Magaji, "The inclusion which gave opportunity to people with disabilities would ensure that no Nigerian who is eligible for admission is prevented from taking the UTME regardless of his/her disabilities."

"The university welcomed this effort and would continue to provide conducive environment for optimum utilisation by candidates with disabilities to compete with other candidates across the country."

He called on the candidates and other people with special needs to make the university their first choice adding that the university had been making efforts to ensure that disabled persons are given access to learning facilities with ease.

**TRIBUNE, SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023-**  
**Visually-Impaired Candidates Ask JAMB to Waive Mathematics for Them:** Some blind candidates for the 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME) have appealed to the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) and Nigerian universities not to make Mathematics a compulsory subject for them saying that most of them usually have difficulty in calculations, particularly with speed, hence their inability to perform well in the subject. They said it would be better if the subject is optional for those not pursuing

science or engineering-related courses.

Three hundred and thirty seven visually impaired candidates were among the 1.6 million candidates for the nationwide examination.

Just like their mates, the visually impaired candidates were assessed in 20 subjects, including the Use of English Language and Mathematics, with each sitting for four subjects applicable to their proposed courses of study.

But unlike their regular counterparts, who sit all their four papers at once, visually impaired candidates sit their papers per subject and a group of professors and special education experts known as JAMB Equal Opportunity Group (JEOG) is saddled with the responsibility of the conduct of the exam for them.

**GUARDIAN, SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023-** **JAMB Unveils More Devices to Curb Examination Malpractices:** In its efforts to tackle examination malpractice, the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) has introduced more sophisticated devices designed specifically to detect infractions of any form before, during and even after examinations conducted by the Board.

Registrar, JAMB, Prof. Is-haq Oloyede expressed satisfaction with the conduct of the examination, saying the level of malpractice and other infractions have reduced

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greatly. He said, "Right now, we have better devices to detect whatever is happening, irrespective of where it is happening, before, during and even after the examination".

**LEADERSHIP, MONDAY, MAY 1, 2023- Academy Wants Artificial Intelligence in School Curriculum:** A learning solution-providing organisation, Afrelib Academy has urged the federal government to include Artificial Intelligence (AI), one of the global emerging technologies, in school curriculum across the country.

The Head of Operations/Programme, Joyce Gomina, said such efforts would save teachers' time and at the same time make learning fun. Also, some of the academy's initiatives are aimed at promoting literary and technology appreciation for improved education outcomes in West Africa, starting from Nigeria.

**THISDAY, TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2023- JAMB Reschedules 80, 000 Candidates for Examination on May 6:** The Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB), has announced that candidates who could not write the 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME) within their allotted time and date due to no error of theirs have another opportunity to do so on May 6, 2023.

Candidates under these categories are predominantly those who were verified at their centres but could not sit the examination, those who could not be biometrically verified as well as those with mismatched data. JAMB commenced its 2023 UTME on April 25 and was expected to have ended the examination by May 3.

**TRIBUNE, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023-**

**WAEC Cautions against Examination Malpractice as 2023 WASSCE Begins:** As the 2023 school-based West African Senior School Certificate Examination (WASSCE) is about to commence across the country, the West African Examinations Council (WAEC) has cautioned the examination officials, particularly the supervisors, to guide against any form of misconduct in their centres.

The Deputy Registrar and Ikeja Zonal Coordinator of WAEC, Dr. Amos Dangut, gave the advice at a workshop at the Government Secondary School, Agege, to sensitise the supervisors on the 'dos and don'ts' expected of them and candidates during the upcoming examination...**Also, in ThisDay, Friday, May 5, 2023.**

**TRIBUNE, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023- Free University Education Unrealistic in Nigeria- Former VC Uniosun:** A former Vice Chancellor of the Osun State University, Osogbo, Professor Labode Popoola, has revealed that it is unrealistic for university education to be free in Nigeria, if the ivory towers are to compete favourably and be sustainable.

The Prof. of Forest Economics and Sustainable Development, University of Ibadan, explained that stakeholders, especially students, must be made to realise that payment of moderate fees would keep the institutions running and be able to meet up with their responsibilities of teaching, research and community development.

Popoola, who delivered the 27th convocation lecture of the Ekiti State University Ado-Ekiti, entitled, 'The University System in Nigeria and the Sustainability Question' stated that public universities in the country do

not charge appropriate fees and that the government alone cannot bear the cost.

He said: "The reality therefore is that free education at the university level is most unrealistic, no matter how it may be argued; there is a cost to it and it must be borne by some stakeholders.

**NATION, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023- Why NECO Postponed Unity Schools Examination:** The National Examinations Council (NECO) has been forced once again to reschedule the common entrance examination to give room to states to increase their applicants.

Since 2021, the National Examinations Council (NECO) has extended the timeline for registration for examinations to the Federal Unity Colleges to give states the chance to increase the number of their candidates. The schools are operated by the Federal Government, with all the states, including the Federal Capital Territory, allocated a certain quota for admission.

**NATION, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023- Exciting Times Ahead for Blind UTME Candidates, Says Okebukola:** Chairman, JAMB Equal Opportunity Group (JEOG), Prof. Peter Okebukola has said the group remains committed to the cause of visually-impaired candidates, following the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB)'s approval of gradual migration to full CBT mode customised for them as from next year.

He noted that a pilot run would be conducted later this year to test the mode and give options to candidates who elect for full Braille, full CBT and full reading aloud mode.



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The Don spoke at the University of Lagos when blind candidates were taking their Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME).

Okebukola said JEOG was already implementing a strategic plan of increasing the Information Communication and Technology component of administration of the UTME to match improvement in ICT usage for the education of the blind in tertiary institutions.

**TRIBUNE, THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023- COEASU President Decries Poor Funding, Rise of Illegal COEs in Nigeria:** The National President of Colleges of Education Academic Staff Union (COEASU), Dr. Smart Olugbeko, has decried the rise of illegal colleges of education across the country.

Dr. Olugbeko also condemned what he described as poor funding of Colleges of Education in Nigeria, saying most of the public Colleges of Education could not have survived without the intervention of the Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund)...

He particularly noted that poor funding has greatly limited the growth of colleges of education sub-sector, saying that NEEDS assessment was carried out in 64 colleges of education in Nigeria in 2014 and it identified N396 billion as the total amount needed to fix the infrastructural decay in the colleges. Dr. Olugbeko further observed that the neglect and relegation of teaching profession to the background had led to the attrition-shortage of applicants-for education courses in universities and colleges of education in the country.

**VANGUARD, FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023- Insecurity: WAEC May Relocate Schools, Examination Begins May 8:**

The West African Examinations Council, WAEC, has announced May 8, as the start for the 2023 West African Senior Secondary School Certificate Examination, WASSCE, for school candidates. The council through her Nigerian Head of National Office, Mr. Patrick Areghan, also said the examination, which would end on June 23, will take into consideration the safety of students, and other stakeholders, especially those in areas experiencing security challenges. **Also in Daily Trust, Friday, May 5, 2023**

**VANGUARD, FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023- TRCN Signs MoU with South African Organisation to Upskill in Service:** The Teachers Registration Council of Nigeria, TRCN, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), with a South African-based educational organisation, Instill Education, to upskill in-service teachers in Nigeria. Registrar of TRCN, Prof. Josiah Ajiboye, who signed the document said a pilot phase of implementation of the MoU would soon commence with a capacity building for eight weeks.

Prof. Ajiboye said the MoU has three major components- pre-service teachers, integrating pre-service with in-service teachers and their capacity building programmes, while expressing confidence that the involvement of Instill Education would bridge the gap between pre-service and in-service teachers.

"Instill Education is coming up with their expertise and technology to help us to do this kind of capacitation for our teachers. "A large number of the teachers have never been exposed to a single training programme since they were employed, thereby making them doing the same thing the same way."

"The teachers need to be exposed to new ways of doing things and that's what INSTILL is coming with. They are experts in new technologies and will help in the areas of capacitation for our teachers," he stressed. **Also in Punch, Friday, May 5, 2023; Tribune, Friday, May 5, 2023; ThisDay, Friday, May 5, 2023; Guardian, Friday, May 5, 2023; Daily Trust, Friday, May 5, 2023**

**NATION, FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023- 1.6 Million Candidates for WASSCE:** The West African Examinations Council (WAEC) has said 1.6 million candidates are billed to sit this year's West African Senior School Certificate Examination (WASSCE) which starts Monday, May 8 and ends on June 23.

WAEC's Head of National Office, Patrick Areghan, at a pre-examination briefing on Thursday, said 1,621,853 candidates across 20,851 government and private schools registered for the examination. He noted the candidature for the 2023 WASSCE increased by 13, 868 compared to the 1,607,985 candidates who registered in 2022. **Also in Punch, Friday, May 5, 2023; Tribune, Friday, May 5, 2023; New Telegraph, Friday May 5, 2023; Daily Sun, Friday May 5, 2023, Premium Times, Friday, May 5, 2023**

**GUARDIAN, FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023- WAEC May Sanction Private Schools for Non-adherence to Registration Deadline:** The West African Examination Council (WAEC) has accused private schools of non-adherence to registration deadline, thus, delaying commencement of the test.

Head of National Office, Mr. Patrick Areghan, at a pre-examination

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press briefing in Lagos, also announced that 2023 school-based West African Senior School Certificate Examination (WASSCE) would hold for seven weeks, beginning from May 8 to June 23.

While lamenting the attitude of some private schools towards registration, Areghan said: "There

was a very serious challenge of non-adherence to the registration deadline, to the extent that what we started on October 10, 2022 with a set deadline of January 27, 2023, and eventually extended to March 31, 2023, could not even end due to the shenanigans of some private schools, which were in the habit of

shopping for external candidates to make up numbers, contrary to the policy, which does not allow the enrolment of private candidates for school candidates examination. Entries eventually closed on April 15, 2023, while the examination starts on Monday, May 8."

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## ...I Apologise for the Misconception I Created - Candidate

apologized to the Board for misleading the public and attempting to embarrass the Board. The public apology was given at a press conference in Ibadan in the presence of a social media influencer, Mr. Saheed Oladele, who created the widely-circulated video. At the press conference, Miss Yahaya had apologized for the embarrassment she had caused the Board stating that she and her sister had their SIM cards in one phone and, as such, received messages sent to both of them.

She disclosed that when her sister was invited for her examination, she had followed her to the centre in Abuja but she was not allowed to sit the examination as she was not invited.

She admitted that she was never invited to retake any examination other than that first time. She also stated that she had registered to sit the examination in Abuja and not Ibadan as erroneously been put out in the public.

Earlier, Mr. Oladele had apologized and explained that he made the widely-circulated video based on the distorted information made available to him and tendered his unreserved apology as, according to him, he holds the Board in high esteem. He added that whatever he did was not to tarnish the image of the Board but to draw its attention to

the challenges purportedly being faced by the candidate. He declared his undying respect for the Board for its prompt response to the issue raised.

He confirmed that the candidate was never rescheduled for any examination other than the one she had taken in Ibadan adding that the insinuation that the candidate was compelled to travel to Abuja is unfortunate and was never intended to be so.

According to him, what actually happened was that the candidate registered for the UTME in Abuja and had consequently picked Abuja as her examination town but had, in the interval, relocated to Ibadan, a situation which he said could not be attributed to the Board. He said he later discovered that the candidate had a sister, who also sat the UTME in Abuja, and both of them had their SIMs in one phone, which was part of the factors that caused the confusion.

It is to be recalled that Mr. Oladele had posted a video, which went viral with Miss Aminat Suleiman Yahaya, crying that after sitting her UTME in Abuja and going back to her base in Ibadan, the Board had rescheduled her to take the examination in Abuja, and after that she was again sent a message rescheduling her for another examination in Abuja. The video drew the attention of the Board and it had to investigate the

matter to establish the truth.

The Head, Public Affairs and Protocol, Dr. Fabian Benjamin, at the press conference appealed to bloggers and other media influencers to always check out their stories before going public.

"If Mr. Oladele had sought our own side of the story, he would have got the true position of the story," he said.

He cautioned the public against believing stories being shared online hook, line and sinker, while stating that the Board does not take any decision without taking cognisance of its implication on the masses.

Furthermore, the Board's image maker disclosed that there are other issues with Miss Yahaya's registration that called for further investigation. For instance, he stated that the candidate's claim of sitting the SSCE at the age of 13 is suspect. This, according to him, raised further suspicion as she had also claimed to have obtained an O'Level qualification in 2018 in her registration template, while at the same time, stating on the portal that she is awaiting the result. Investigations had also shown that the candidate surreptitiously swapped her sister's phone with her own, therefore, making it possible for her to receive all messages sent to her sister.





# NASU JAMB CHAPTER ELECTS NEW LEADERS



Director, Quality Assurance, Mrs Mabel Agbebaku representing the Registrar of JAMB at the NASU congress



Com. Andrew Anakpa, returned as NASU Chairman



The newly elected NASU Exco



NASU National leadership and other top officials of NASU and the representative of the Registrar at the high table



Cross section of NASU members at the Congress



Newly elected Exco members taking their oath before assuming office.





## FEW FACTS ABOUT JAMB

- ✿ The Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) was established for the general control of the conduct of matriculation examinations for admissions into all universities, polytechnics, monotechnics, colleges of education and ( recently added) Innovation Enterprise Institutes (IEIs).
- ✿ Section 5 (2)of the ACT establishing the Board provided as stated: For the avoidance of doubt, the Board shall be responsible for determining matriculation requirements and conducting examinations leading to undergraduate admissions and also for admissions to National Diploma and the Nigerian Certificate in Education courses, but shall not be responsible for examinations or any other selective process for postgraduate courses and any other courses offered by the tertiary institutions. In the implementation of this section, there is always a synergy with the National Universities Commission(NUC), the National Board for Technical Education(NBTE) and the National Commission for Colleges of Education(NCCE) with the endorsement of the National Council on Education( NCE).
- ✿ In exercising this power, the Board is always guided by admission guidelines approved by the Policy Meeting under the Chairmanship of the Hon. Minister of Education with all Heads of Tertiary Institutions and other stakeholders in attendance.
- ✿ Since the inception of the Interim Joint Matriculation Board Examination (IJMBE), JAMB appoints moderators for all its questions as well as the grading of candidates scores. It has always done this without failing to still accommodate 'HSC' within the current 6-3-3-4 system. The National Council on Education(NCE) guidelines for the Joint Universities Preliminary Examinations Board (JUPEB) also endorsed the practice for JUPEB.
- ✿ The Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board shall continue to operate within its laws.

## SCHOOLS ARE THE ALBATROSS OF UTME CANDIDATES

**B**y way of providing more clarity as to the deleterious effects that the intrusion of some schools could have on their candidates, the unsavoury experience of the Board with respect to the nefarious activities of some of these schools should perhaps be examined in more detail. These schools have become the albatross of many UTME candidates. Further to the above, the Board has noted over the years that some notorious schools, particularly those which side attractions are tutorial classes or which transformed from tutorial centres to international schools, are the largest perpetrators of examination malpractice thereby ruining the future prospects of their products. It is against this backdrop that some of the experiences of the

Board in the just-concluded 2023 UTME should be situated as some of these schools, through their intruding acts, had prevented some candidates from sitting the UTME thereby causing irredeemable harm to their future ambitions through the following acts:

a. Denial of Access to Vital Information from JAMB

To ensure that all messages from the Board reach the candidates as well as for proper identification, the Board introduced the use of SIM cards not only as unique identifiers but also as the media through which candidates can receive vital messages (information) from the Board besides the ones sent to the candidates e-mail addresses or posted on their profiles. In most cases, these schools would seize the

SIMs of these candidates, which give access to their text messages, profiles and other sources, thereby shutting them from vital messages from the Board.

In addition, to ensure that no candidate misses his/her examination, the Board would send an examination notification slip, which has the date, time and venue of the examination, which ought to be printed early for the candidates to have an idea of where their centres are. However, many of these schools would print these slips, keep them and only hand them over to their students on the day of the examination. In some instances, some of them would not even give their students these slips as they would tell them verbally their schedules with all the attendant

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### ...2023 UTME: Cooperation is Sine Qua Non for Success

Adebiyi, during his interaction with some monitors, who are cardinal players in the conduct of the 2023 UTME in the State at XYZ Computer Technologies, CBT Centre, Umuahia. According to him, stakeholders' participation in the activities of the Board is a structured approach to securing the support of stakeholders with respect to major policy decisions of the Board.

Members of the monitoring team included the Chief External Examiner (CEE), the Vice Chancellor, Federal University of Agriculture, Umudike, Prof. Maduebibi Ofo Iwe; the Abia State Commissioner for Education, Barr. I.C. Mark; the Commandant, Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps, Abia State Command, Mr. Paul Igwebuikwe; and the State Technical Advisor, Dr. Ollawa

Ikechukwu.

The State Coordinator explained that the Board's State Office, Umuahia, had carried out wide-ranging and strategic consultations with critical stakeholders in the buildup to the 2023 UTME to brief them on the modalities for the conduct of the 2023 UTME.

Furthermore, Mr. Adebiyi disclosed that the joint monitoring of the 2023 UTME was sequel to the consultations made by the State Office as part of the Stakeholders Engagement Initiatives of the Board to collaborate, exchange ideas as well as share goals and plans with relevant stakeholders on the UTME project.

He also explained that candidates, who were unable to commence their examination within their scheduled

time, had been rescheduled for another day so as not to deny any candidate the opportunity of sitting the examination.

He concluded by thanking the CEE, Prof. Ofo for providing purposeful leadership for the Board's stakeholders in the State. He also expressed appreciation to the State Government through the Commissioner for Education, Barr. I.C. Mark, for being a dependable ally of the Board especially with respect to the provision of sound infrastructural facilities at CBT centres in the State.

In his remarks, the CEE, Prof. Ofo, commended the Board for its various innovations and urged the Management not to relent in its efforts at providing world-class assessment.



## **AUCTIONING!!! AUCTIONING!!! AUCTIONING!!!**

**This is to inform the general public that the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) would be auctioning seventy-two (72) pieces of Shoto 12V 200 AH (C10) Inverter Batteries at its office in Abia as follows:**

**Date - Wednesday, 17th May, 2023.**

**Time - 10.00am prompt**

**Venue- JAMB State Office, Along Port-Harcourt/Enugu Expressway, Near Ubakala Junction, Umuahia, Abia State.**

**ANNOUNCER:**

**AUCTIONING COMMITTEE**



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## RESUMPTION OF DIRECT ENTRY EXERCISE

You will recall that the Board commenced the 2023 Direct Entry registration on Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2023, but had to immediately suspend it following the discovery of the plethora of devices and machinations to circumvent and compromise the standard of A'level qualifications required from DE candidates. Recall that recent joint operations of the Federal Ministry of Education and the Independent Corrupt Practices and Other Related Offences Commission (ICPC) on DE qualifications brought to light some of these unsavoury and nefarious activities. Bayero University, Kano (BUK) has also consistently brought to the fore the high rate of forgery of A'Level qualifications for DE.

2. For instance, it was discovered that, in previous years, some candidates used unacceptable and forged A' level certificates/qualifications to register for Direct Entry and eventually got admitted. For example out 148 candidates verified by BUK, only 6 were found to be genuine. By implication 142 of the results were forged. The Board, concerned stakeholders and institutions are working assiduously to detect such and the ones already found, are being dealt with according to the provisions of the law.

3. In order to further checkmate the anomaly and to also prevent recurrence of such irregularity, the Board has decided that the 2023 DE registrations will not only be restricted to JAMB PTCs but will also be done under strict supervision.

4. The Board has provided additional guidelines to all DE registration outlets (JAMB-owned centres), Officers of the Board and candidates on the 2023 Direct Entry registration exercise: -

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- i. At the point of registration, all candidates **must** fill in:-
- Registration/Matriculation Number of the previous school attended where the qualification was obtained;
  - Subject(s) of qualification;
  - Awarding Institution;
  - Institution actually attended.
- ii. The Board will only recognise and accept thirteen (13) qualifications/certificates for the 2023 Direct Entry registration exercise as highlighted in the table below:-

S/N	QUALIFICATION	REQUIREMENT(S)		GRADING (POINTS)
		CERTIFICATE/STATEMENT OF RESULT HOLDERS	CANDIDATES ON AWAITING RESULT	
A	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) Degree	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate used in the application (statement of result can only be accepted for qualifications obtained after 2018) b) Letter of Admission, offered by JAMB, for the qualification obtained.	Not acceptable	16
B	University Diploma	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate used in the application (statement of result can only be accepted for qualifications obtained after 2018) b) Letter of Admission, offered by the University, for the qualification obtained.	Not acceptable	i. Distinction – 16 ii. Merit – 12 iii. Credit – 10 iv. Pass – 6
C	Higher National Diploma (HND)	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate used in the application (statement of result can only be accepted for qualifications obtained after 2018) b) Letter of Admission, offered by the University/JAMB, for the OND/ND obtained.	Not acceptable	i. Distinction – 16 ii. Upper Credit – 12 iii. Lower Credit – 10 iv. Pass – 6



S/N	QUALIFICATION	REQUIREMENT(S)		GRADING (POINTS)
		CERTIFICATE/STATEMENT OF RESULT HOLDERS	CANDIDATES ON AWAITING RESULT	
D	Ordinary National Diploma /National Diploma (OND/ND)	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate used in the application (statement of result can only be accepted for qualifications obtained after 2018) b) Letter of Admission, offered by JAMB, for the qualification obtained.	Not acceptable	i. Distinction – 16 ii. Upper Credit – 12 iii. Lower Credit – 10 iv. Pass – 6
E	Nigeria Certificate in Education (NCE)	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate used in the application (statement of result can only be accepted for qualifications obtained after 2018) b) Letter of Admission, offered by JAMB, for the qualification obtained.	Not acceptable	i. Distinction – 16 ii. Credit – 12 iii. Merit – 10 iv. Pass – 6
F	Interim Joint Matriculation Board (IJMB) A' Level	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of IJMB certificate being used for the application. b) Letter of Admission into IJMB programme given by IJMB.	In addition to 4 (i) candidate must provide the year and date of registration, <b>INDICATE AWAITING RESULT</b> and (ii) also upload Letter of Admission, offered by IJMB.	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1
G	Joint Universities Preliminary Examination Board (JUPEB) A' Level	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of JUPEB certificate being used for the application. b) Letter of Admission into the JUPEB programme given by JUPEB.	In addition to 4 (i) candidate must provide the year and date of registration, <b>INDICATE AWAITING RESULT</b> and (ii) also upload Letter of Admission, offered by JUPEB.	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1
H	NABTEB Advanced National Business Certificate (ANBC)	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of NABTEB certificate being used for the application. b) Letter of Admission/registration slip into the NABTEB programme by NABTEB.	In addition to 4 (i) candidate must provide the year and date of registration, <b>INDICATE AWAITING RESULT</b> and (ii) also upload Letter of Admission/registration slip, offered by NABTEB.	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1

S/N	QUALIFICATION	REQUIREMENT(S)		GRADING (POINTS)
		CERTIFICATE/STATEMENT OF RESULT HOLDERS	CANDIDATES ON AWAITING RESULT	
I	<b>NABTEB Advanced National Technical Certificate (ANTC)</b>	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of NABTEB certificate being used for the application. b) Letter of Admission/registration slip into the NABTEB programme by NABTEB.	In addition to 4 (i) candidate must provide the year and date of registration, <b>INDICATE AWAITING RESULT</b> and (ii) also upload Letter of Admission/registration slip, offered by NABTEB.	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1
J	<b>NABTEB GCE-A' Level (2015 – 2021) Only certificates obtained from 2015 to 2021 and on the existing database of the Board, would be accepted for Direct Entry admission. From 2026, it would no longer be accepted</b>	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of NABTEB certificate being used for the application. b) Letter of Admission/registration slip into the NABTEB programme by NABTEB.	Totally non-existent	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1
K	<b>Higher Islamic Studies Certificate (HIS) by NBAIS To be accepted for Direct Entry admission for studies into Arabic, Islamic and Shar'ia related only.</b>	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload: a) Copy of NBAIS certificate used in the application. b) Letter of Admission into the NBAIS Programme by NBAIS.	In addition to 4 (i) candidate must provide the year and date of registration, <b>INDICATE AWAITING RESULT</b> and (ii) also upload Letter of Admission, offered by NBAIS.	i. A – 5 ii. B – 4 iii. C – 3 iv. D – 2 v. E – 1
L	<b>International Baccalaureate (IBN) For foreign certificates only.</b>	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must provide the year and date of registration and also upload a copy of certificate being used for the application	Not acceptable	
M	<b>National Registered Nurse /National Registered Midwife (NRN/NRM)</b>	In addition to 4 (i), candidate must upload: a) Copy of certificate being used for the application b) Letter of Admission offered by the awarding Institution, for the qualification obtained	Not acceptable	i. Distinction – 16 ii. Upper Credit – 12 iii. Lower Credit – 10 iv. Pass – 6

iii. For those who desire to upgrade from UTME to DE, only candidates with 2023 qualifications (in view) and who also uploaded the required Awaiting Result documents would be allowed to do so (with effect from 2024 registration).

iv. **ALREADY REGISTERED CANDIDATES (2023 DIRECT ENTRY)**  
The one hundred and twenty-seven (127) candidates who had earlier registered for the 2023 Direct Entry, before the exercise was suspended, would be requested to return to the registration centres and update their application, so as to comply with the new registration processes.

Signed  
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### Nigeria Post-secondary Education Data System (NIPEDS)

Following the enormity of the challenges associated with the A 'level qualifications and stakeholders determined efforts to address them, an A 'level bank was instituted under the chairmanship of the former Vice-Chancellor of Bayero University, Kano, Prof Muhammad Yahuza Bello. The Data Bank has now been renamed "Nigeria Post-secondary Education Data System (NIPEDS)".

The conversion to NIPEDS is to streamline the functions of the A 'level bank in line with international standard thereby bringing total sanity to the entire process of A 'level qualifications that has been fraudulently manipulated by some candidates to gain undue advantage in securing admission into Year Two of the University Degree programmes.

Signed  
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## INNOVATIONS IN THE UTME AND A CALL FOR UNDERSTANDING

It will be recalled that the Board has gradually upgraded its operational processes since 2017, and as is usual with change, it came with some challenges including resistance. Given public support and understanding, the Board since 2018 has reached the cruising level. However, there is always room for improvement and the Board has decided to move to the next stage of its technological transformation.

The next stage requires all hands to be on deck as we take some crucial steps. The Board has instituted some measures which are to be deployed during the 2023 UTME exercise. Despite the fact that the innovations have been tested and certified, yet it is not unlikely that some hiccups might spring up when the new technology is deployed live and nationwide. We therefore solicit your support and understanding as we promptly address any unforeseen circumstances. Hardly can there be growth without audacity and courage.

One major feature of the new dispensation is that no examination would be allowed to take place after one hour of its scheduled start time because the Board has discovered that some of the problems reported at the centres are contrived to delay the commencement of a session in some centres with a view to securing undue advantage for the delayed candidates.

Consequently, any session that, for whatever reason(s), could not take-off within one hour of its schedule is automatically rescheduled. When such occurs, affected candidates are expected to file out of the examination hall into the waiting hall and await the new scheduled time and place which most

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likely would be the same or following day. Candidates are expected not to disrupt subsequent sessions but to simply await information on reschedule. Parents have constituted major intrusion into the examination process. While we appeal for parents to keep-off the examination venues, we would not hesitate to sanction the candidates and (parents) whose parents obstruct the smooth running of the centre.

The rescheduling does not permit a candidate who was initially marked absent during the screening to be part of the rescheduled session since the questions meant for such absentees have been withdrawn and not available for the rescheduled session.

In addressing possible rescheduling, an extra session has been created for every centre on every examination day.

**Signed**  
**REGISTRAR**

## ...2023 UTME: JAMB Commends MTN and AIRTEL for Quality Service Delivery



The Registrar of JAMB, Prof. Is-haq Oloyede at a meeting with some officials of MTN in Abuja.

two telecommunications companies.

The Board had, in a letter of commendation, thanked the two Telcos for their exceptional services in the just-concluded 2023 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination(UTME).

The decision to commend the two telecom giants was taken shortly after a meeting of the Board with some top functionaries of MTN on Thursday, 4th May, 2023, in Abuja. It was during the meeting that the

Board disclosed its plans to upgrade its service to a new general platform on account of the necessary commitments it had earlier extracted from MTN to further boost its service delivery. Accordingly, the service upgrade is scheduled to commence after the Board might have delivered on its already-accepted commitments from other agencies and departments as well as its 2023 Staff Promotion Examination scheduled to hold between 17th and 18th May, 2023. Consequently, the Board has disclosed its determination not to entertain any third-party commitments until the completion of the planned upgrade of its Board's dedicated service platform. Furthermore, the Board has announced that, as part of its continuous strive for excellence and the need to safeguard the sanctity of its examinations, it is perfecting

plans to migrate its physical SIMs to virtual ones as a matter of course and had secured the commitment of the Telcos to that end.

In his remarks, Mr. Adewale S. Sulaiman, the General Manager, MTN, expressed his delight for being privileged to be part of the success stories of the Board over the years adding that the Telco was passionate about quality service delivery at all times.

He noted that JAMB was one of the first among other agencies to engage the services of MTN for the transmission and conduct of its examinations adding that the Telco had leveraged on its experiences working with JAMB to take on those equally-challenging engagements. He urged the management of the Board to always bring up any identified challenges that might crop up for speedy resolution.

## JOINT ADMISSIONS AND MATRICULATION BOARD

### LIST OF CBT CENTRES DELISTED AFTER THE CONDUCT OF 2023 MOCK-UTME EXERCISE DUE TO TECHNICAL DEFICIENCY

S/N	STATE	CENTRE NAME
1	AKWA-IBOM	AKWA IBOM STATE UNIVERSITY, ICT CENTRE. IKOT AKPADEN, MKPAT ENIN LGA, AKWA IBOM STATE
2	AKWA-IBOM	GESTRIC INFORTECH AND MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE CTR 2, NO 74 ORON ROAD, UYO AKWA
3	ANAMBRA	ANPLUS INTERGRATED SERVICES, AFOR MARKET BYPASS, AGULU - NNEWI ROAD, ADAZI -
4	BENUE	ASHI POLYTECHNIC CBT CENTRE, ASHI POLYTECHNIC, ANYIIN, LOGO LGA, BENUE STATE
5	BENUE	FAZTLINK COMPUTERS RN39 IYORCHIA AYU ROAD BENUE STATE LIBRARY, WURUKUM MAKURDI
6	BENUE	MAKURDI COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY ICT CENTRE, OPP BSU COLLEGE OF
7	DELTA	CREATIVE DEMONSTRATION SCHOOLS, 17 OGBE STREET, OFF FIRST MARINE GATE ROAD, WARRI,
8	ENUGU	UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA, ENUGU CAMPUS, CBT TETFUND CENTRE, ENUGU, ENUGU STATE
9	FCT-ABUJA	DIGITAL BRIDGE INSTITUTE NO. 8 P.O.W MAFEMI CRESCENT UTAKO, ABUJA, FCT
10	FCT-ABUJA	LA-VOGUE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, KARSHI, BY CHRIST CATHOLIC CHURCH, KURUDU,
11	IMO	ICT (CREATIVE)SCHOOL ABOH MBAISE LGA IMO STATE
12	KANO	BUTALE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (BIT) ALONG GWARZO ROAD AFTER NYSC SECRETERIAT, KANO,
13	KOGI	FEDERAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (FCE) OKENE CENTRE ONE (1) CBT EXAMINATION CENTRE
14	KOGI	FEDERAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (FCE) OKENE CENTRE TWO (2) CBT EXAMINATION CENTRE
15	LAGOS	MASSINO COMPUTER LTD. 35, ASSEMBLY HALL ROAD, LIMCA BUS STOP, TOGA, BADAGRY
16	NASARAWA	ROYAL MIDLAND CBT, KM 6, ABUJA-KEFFI ROAD, KORODUMA (ONE MAN VILLAGE), KARU
17	PLATEAU	AL-IMAN SCHOOL,NO. 3, DOGON DUTSE, JOS, PLATEAU STATE.
18	PLATEAU	BIODIRA MULTI BIZ CONCEPT, BRITISH AMERICA JUNCTION BY NO 4 LIBERTY BOURLEVARD JOS,



# WAEC DECRIES MISINFORMATION FROM SCHOOLS, CREATES DIRECT PLATFORM FOR CANDIDATES

**I**n its bid to stem the high rate of misinformation by its partnering schools, the West Africa Examination Council (WAEC), has launched a platform for candidates to interact directly with the examination body.

According to a statement made available by the examination body, the platform, which is a self-service portal for candidates through the CHATBOT platform, was instituted to enable them to access their entries independently.

It would be recalled that the scenario that led WAEC to embark on this course of action has borne out the truism of the position of the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) that many elite schools

are in the habit of intruding into some operational processes of the Board, which are not school-based, thereby resulting in the distortion of the data of many of their students taking the Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME).

As a consequence, most of these candidates end up not sitting the examination while those that were able to take the examination parade records that do not correlate with their original biodata, which invariably makes it difficult for them to further their studies. Hence, the experience of WAEC, which is a school-based examination, with regard to the negative activities of these intruding schools, lends credence to the assertion of the

Board that urgent steps had to be taken by parents and other stakeholders alike to address the situation.

For the purpose of emphasis, the UTME conducted by JAMB is not a school-based examination unlike the WASSCE conducted by the WAEC and the Senior Secondary Certificate Examination (SSCE) conducted by the National Examination Council (NECO). It is, therefore, on account of this that the Board has, times without number, been calling on schools to allow their students undertake their UTME processes from registration to examination on their own so as to eliminate all issues pertaining to mutilation of their data.

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## ...Schools are the Albatross of UTME Candidates

errors in such, thus making the candidates arrive late at their centres as they would be busy searching for their centres or even come to the centres but at the wrong time, thereby missing their sessions.

### b. Mass Transportation of Candidates

Another disturbing scenario is the mass transportation of candidates from their schools in one or few buses, on the examination day, to their various centres with many of them consequently arriving their centres late as they would have to drop them one after another with the last batch more often than not, being the victims. Parents are, therefore, urged not to abdicate their responsibilities as these schools sometimes failed to give their wards the attention required even after the payment of huge sums of money.

### c. Mismatch of Data

One of the grievous implications of the intruding act of these schools is the rate of data mismatch resulting from group registration. This

happens when a school collects huge money from parents in the name of UTME processing. In trying to justify the amount collected from parents, they would convey their students to registration centres in groups. It is in the process of group registration that the template which they use to enter candidates' data are mixed up leading to data mismatch after UTME registration. Therefore, it is vital to stress that the UTME registration process is an individual exercise that requires the candidate paying absolute attention during registration and not for a teacher to fill a template for all students under his care.

### d. Facilitation of Examination Malpractice

Most of these schools are the hubs of examination malpractice. It is clear from experience that a number of these schools, which offer tutorial services are simply platforms for negotiating malpractice.

### e. Abuse of Candidates' Trust

A study conducted by the Board on

candidates, who went to wrong centres or appeared at their centres at the wrong time, indicated that 90% of them were misdirected or inadvertently provided with wrong information by their schools thereby depriving them the opportunity of sitting the examination.

The Board has also received credible reports from Lagos, Ogun, Kaduna States and the FCT, where School Principals would print their students' examination notification slips and hold on to them while giving these candidates wrong and misleading information.

For these and many reasons, the Board is, for the umpteenth time, calling on parents and the schools concerned that its UTME is not a school-based examination and, as such, schools should stay away from the Board's processes, starting from registration to the conduct of the examination, to prevent the unnecessary stress that many candidates are regularly being subjected to.

# ATTENTION!!!

**Serialisation of guidelines for the 2022 admissions exercise continues.**

**Second series.**

## CESSATION OF ILLEGAL/IRREGULAR ADMISSIONS

- 🌐 All applications of admissions to **First Degree, National Diploma, National Innovation Diploma and the Nigeria Certificate in Education into Full-Time, Distance Learning, Part-Time, Outreach, Sandwich, etc.**, must be processed **ONLY** through the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB).
- 🌐 No Institution should advertise or sell “application forms” for admissions into the programmes. Institutions should advertise candidates to apply to them through Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB). Duplication of application forms is **NOT** allowed.
- 🌐 Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB) and the three (3) Regulatory Agencies (National Universities Commission (NUC), National Board for Technical Education (NBTE) and National Commission for Colleges of Education (NCCE) will ensure that all Tertiary Institutions comply with this policy directive. Other Professional Regulatory Agencies will also play a role in sanitizing the process.
- 🌐 The duration of all Non-Full Time Studies must be maintained as approved by the Regulatory Agencies. This is generally not less than one hundred and fifty percent (150%) of the equivalence of Full Time.

### **ADVERTORIALS**

- 🌐 Institutions that desire to place advertisement can do so with the requirement that candidates who sat for the current **UTME** (or **DE** candidates) should change to their institutions as First (1st) Choice rather than requesting the candidates to purchase another application form or apply. This is to prevent the issue of double registration which is a violation of the mandate of JAMB.
- 🌐 It should be reiterated that no Institution should advertise or sell “application forms” for admissions into the programmes listed above. Institutions should advise candidates to apply to them through Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB). Duplication of application forms is **NOT** allowed.