

My first term experience in Therbow School

Therbow School (derived from the name of the founder, Theresa Bowyer) is one of the most famous schools in Zaria. It is well known due to its well qualified teachers with good teaching attitudes. The school has three sections, namely the nursery, the primary and the secondary sections, and there are over two thousand pupils and students altogether. The little experience I have of the school so far tells me that the staff members are working accurately and tirelessly. They are trying their best in order to see that their students are highly trained both physically and emotionally. This gives me the opportunity to be well trained and reach a high level of education.

The school has sports and games like high jumping, football, basketball, volleyball etc., which help students develop their physical fitness. Personally, I am only interested in football. The school also has other things like laboratories, a library, an art studio, a bookshop and other infrastructures which will help the students to study.

As a science student who wants to study medicine, I'm offered twelve subjects. Some of these subjects gives me difficulties but I'm trying my best to cope. Class work and home work are being given, which determines one's attitude to his or her studies. Home work gives me the opportunity to go through my notebooks, revise them and do other activities which will help me in my studies. I don't play with my studies for I know why I'm here and I know the benefit of education.

In the hostel where we Najude children live, the food I eat is well prepared by the matron, who is specialized in cooking. The environment of the house is very comfortable and satisfactory without any disturbance, and we are provided with the necessary material like foams and pillows, bathing buckets, soap, etc.

Concerning my academic performance, I am doing well. I am trying my best to be successful to make my parents and my sponsors happy. I promise to be hard working and obedient to my parents, teachers, elders, seniors and sponsors all the time. I promise not to disgrace any of the ones mentioned above.

In conclusion, as I have said in my scholarship application letter, my dream is to become a doctor. My goal is to become a well qualified and trained doctor who will help the whole world and all people in Nigeria in general, not only his community or family. I thank my former school management (Najude Pioneer School), my sponsors and my parents for all the good things they have done for me. May God bless them all, Amen.

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