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One Vision, One Victory

Institutional Development and Infrastructure Enhancement



The new 100 seater modern computer laboratory building



The dormitory

The school partnered with Samoni Laundry Services to introduce a structured and affordable laundry service for students. This initiative is intended to promote personal organization while allowing learners to dedicate increased time to academic and co-curricular activities.

The Fashion and Design department has undergone significant upgrades to meet the evolving interests and skill-development needs of students pursuing creative and vocational pathways. The improvements are expected to foster innovation, and craftsmanship competence.

During the holiday period, selected wings in both the boys' and girls' dormitories were renovated to improve aesthetics, hygiene standards, and overall student comfort. The enhancements contribute to a conducive residential environment supportive of rest and academic focus.

Construction of a modern 100-seater computer laboratory is nearing completion and is expected to be finalized in the coming month. The facility will significantly enhance digital literacy, research capabilities, and integration of technology across subjects, thereby preparing learners for a digitally driven global environment.



UCE Performance: A Milestone Achievement

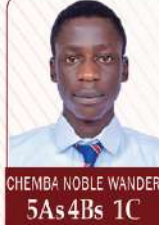


OUR UCE GIANTS

Congratulations

To all our UCE Students of 2025

All our learners qualified for the UCE Certificate



The Hub Of Holistic Excellence

The release of the 2025 UCE results on 13th February 2026 marked a significant academic achievement for the school. Viva College School attained:

- 2nd position in Jinja District
- 4th position in the Busoga Region
- 44th position nationally

Several departments registered outstanding performance. Special commendation is extended to the Biology Department for having the highest number of candidates attaining Grade A, Geography Department and the

History Department in that descending order.

This accomplishment reflects the dedication of our teachers, the resilience of our students, the support of parents, and the collective commitment of all stakeholders.

A Purposeful Commencement of Term I



Teaching staff presenting and brainstorming ideas during the 3days NCDC training held at the Viva main campus-Jinja

From 26th to 28th of January, 2026, members of the teaching staff participated in a three-day professional workshop facilitated by the National Curriculum Development Centre (NCDC) and the Uganda Revenue Authority (URA). The workshop focused on deepening understanding

of the aligned A'Level curriculum, integration of other subjects like Economics, Entrepreneurship, and related business disciplines, development of enriched teaching and learning materials and enhancement of learners' understanding of taxation and

its practical application. This engagement ensures that instruction remains aligned with national educational standards while equipping students with practical knowledge relevant to contemporary society.

Induction of Senior Leadership



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Senior Management Team



During the month, the school formally inducted new members into the Senior Management Team, including the Deputy Principal – Administration and the Dean – Upper School.

The induction ceremony was conducted by representatives of the Board of Governors in collaboration with the existing Senior Management Team. This strategic strengthening of leadership structures reinforces our commitment to effective governance and institutional excellence.

All heads of Departments, the Pastoral Team, and Class Teachers attended a two-day leadership workshop from 29th to 30th January. The workshop was aimed at strengthening mentorship, administrative efficiency, learner support systems, and institutional coordination. The training was instrumental in sharpening leadership capacity at all operational levels of the school.

Reporting of students to school

Term I officially commenced on 7th February 2026 with the reporting of Form Four and Form Six students, followed by Forms Two and Three on 8th February. Students returned in good health and high spirits, ready to embrace the academic year with renewed focus and determination.



Form One students reported on 14th and 15th February and subsequently participated in a structured three-day orientation programme from 16th to 18th February. The programme provided comprehensive guidance on academic expectations, discipline, school culture, and co-curricular

engagement. Students had the opportunity to interact with the Principal, Deputy Principals, and the Dean of the Lower School. Members of the Parents Executive Committee (PEC) also addressed the students, formally welcoming them into the Viva College School community

Form five students reported on Saturday, 28th and are expected to undergo a three-day orientation program in the first week of March to welcome and usher them fully into the school system and culture.

Co-Curricular Excellence and Competitive Spirit



Students to represent Viva College in the Science Olympiads



Kayla and Hailey to represent Viva College in the Speech Paragons

Students participating in the Science Olympiads and Speech Paragons continue to undergo structured online and in-person training sessions under the guidance of their coaches and patrons. The school remains confident in their ability to represent both Uganda and Viva College School with distinction on competitive platforms.

Inter-house competitions have also officially commenced following structured training sessions for both staff and students. The competitions aim to cultivate teamwork, discipline, and healthy rivalry across academic and co-curricular domains.

Observance of Spiritual Seasons

The month of February also marked the commencement of Ramadan for the Muslim community and the Lenten season for Christians. These periods are recognized as important times of reflection, discipline, and spiritual growth.

In consideration of the Ramadan observance, the Viva @ 10 celebration has been rescheduled to 28th March 2026 to ensure inclusivity and allow all members of the school community to participate fully

 Important Days For Term 1 -2026		
DAY	MONTH	CLASSES
1 Candidates' Parents Online Meeting With SMT Saturday, 7th	MARCH 2026	F.4 & F.6
2 Eid-El-Fitr (breaking fast festive day) Thur/Fri, 19th/20th	MARCH 2026	Muslim Students
3 Visitation / F.1 Parents Induction day Saturday, 21st	MARCH 2026	F.1, F.2 & F.3
4 Viva at 10 Celebrations (Viva Day) Saturday, 28th	MARCH 2026	Viva Community
5 Visitation / F.5 Parents Induction day Sunday, 29th	MARCH 2026	F.4, F.5 & F.6
6 Easter celebrations Sunday, 5th	APRIL 2026	All Students
7 Inter-House Sports Competitions Saturday, 11th	APRIL 2026	All Students
8 Closing Days Saturday, 25th	APRIL 2026	F.1, F.2 & F.3
Sunday, 26th	APRIL 2026	F.4, F.5, & F.6