



OUR VISION

- * To nurture children for excellence in both character and learning.
- * To be listed among the best schools in the world.
- * To see our children taking over the mantle of leadership in the nearest future
- * To have qualified, knowledgeable, dedicated enthusiastic and visionary teachers/staff
- * To have parents who are patriotic and advisory to the school management
- * To be a place where hope finds strength.
- * To be a place where dreams come true.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to provide an all inclusive standard education to our growing children, with the aim of preparing their minds towards identifying societal problems and critically think on how to solve the problems.

- * Getting qualified staff and training them towards achieving our set goal.
- * Maintaining good teacher – student- parent relationship

OUR SLOGAN

"Be at the right place, doing the right thing, at the right time".





WHAT GATEWAY SCHOOL IS KNOWN FOR

- * High academic standard.
- * An all-round education.
- * High moral standard.
- * Individualized and activity based teaching and learning.
- * Use of well blended local and foreign curriculum.
- * A very serene and conducive learning environment.
- * Well equipped classrooms, libraries, science laboratories, home economics and ICT laboratories.
- * Local and international excursion to educational places of interest. Sporting facilities

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

Gateway School, Enugu is a co-educational citadel of learning. Founded on September, 2003 by an unassuming young lady, full of wisdom and likes for grooming children of all ages. Gateway school houses and grooms children between the ages of one (1) year and 18 years. We have over the years groomed children who are outstanding in both character and learning. We are poised at providing the learners with an excellent blended curriculum (Nigeria, British and America), which aims at equipping the students and pupils with a good command of basic skills in the subjects they study and also instill in them confidence and love for learning. Thus, we have achieved and tend to improve through the use of THEMATIC approach to the breaking down of our curriculum and delivery of the topics in the various subjects. This approach inspires the interest and creativity of the learners. As it is tailored to meet individual learners needs. We believe in changing a child at a time through our countless innovative and exciting hands-on-play and learn activities which engage and inspire learners of all ages.



SECTIONS IN THE SCHOOL



Gateway School has three (3) sections namely:

Nursery

Primary

Secondary

Each of this sections is managed by a sectional head/Principal. A Supervisor is attached to the sections to over see the day to day running of the school. The Executive Director is also there, always working towards running of the entire school. All, having the goal of the school at heart.

GATEWAY SECONDARY SCHOOL

Gateway Secondary School is a coeducational day school, poised at nurturing children between the ages of 12 years to 18 years, in both character and learning. This section of the school was established in September 2003, it has over the years recorded a tremendous improvement in both structural and academic performance of her students. The school has a good number of laurel from both NATIONAL and STATE COMPETITIONS. The student are also there to show for the academic excellence of the school. We have our Alumni (Ex students) excelling in different fields of life, ranging from medical doctors, pharmacists, lawyers, to educators.

CLASSES IN THE SCHOOL

- Grade 7 (JSS 1)
- Grade 8 (JSS 2)
- Grade 9 (JSS 3)
- Grade 10 (SSS 1)
- Grade 11 (SSS 2)
- Grade 12 (SSS 3)





CURRICULUM

We use a carefully blended National, British and America curriculum for a maximum result.

SUBJECTS FOR JSS1 – JSS 3

English Study, Mathematics, Basic Science and Technology, CRS, National Values, French, Pre-Vocational Studies, Cultural and Creative Art, Igbo Language, Business Studies, History, Geography, Moral Instruction.

SUBJECTS FOR SSS1 – SSS 3

English Studies, Mathematics, Igbo Language, Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Geography, Agric Science, Government, Literature-in-English, CRS, Economics, Commerce, Civic Education, ICT (computer), History, Moral Instruction etc.

GATEWAY PRIMARY SCHOOL

This is a co-educational day Primary School established in September 2011, with the aim of grooming confident young boys and girls who will comfortably face the worlds growing challenges. We admit children of ages 6years to 11 years into Grade 1 to Grade 6.

CURRICULUM

We use a carefully blended National, British and American curriculum to get the best for our growing children. This helps to prepare them to fit in globally.

SUBJECTS

We offer the National approved subjects plus more.

English Studies

Verbal Reasoning
Phonics
Grammar
Creative Writing

Mathematics

General Maths
Mental Maths
Quantitative Reasoning

Basic science and technology

Basic Science
Basic Technology
HPE
(ICT) Computer

Prevocational Studies

Agricultural Science
Home Economics

C.R.S (Christian Religious Studies)

National Values

Social Studies
Civic Education
Security Education

Igbo Language

French
History
Geography
Cultural and Creative Art

CLASSES

Grade 1 - 6 years
Grade 2 - 7 years
Grade 3 - 8 years
Grade 4 - 9 years
Grade 5 - 10 years
Grade 6 - 11 years



GATEWAY NURSERY SCHOOL, ENUGU

This section of the school admits and nurtures children between the ages of 1 year and 5 years. We apply a whole lot of teaching techniques, using a hand full of both local and foreign materials to build confidence in the children and inculcate in them the necessary academic knowledge needed for them to transit smoothly into the grade classes.

CURRICULUM:

In this section, we use a well and carefully blended British and American Curriculum, mainly the Montessori Curriculum and the Jolly Phonics and Grammar scheme among others.

SUBJECTS:

Literacy, Sensorial, Jolly Phonics, Rhymes, General Knowledge, Igbo language, Numeracy, Practical life, Puzzles, CRS, Craft, French, Science.

CLASSES:

Treasure Trove	1 year +
Gold mine	2 years +
KG 1	3 years +
KG 2	4 years +
Reception	5 years +

SCHOOL TIME:

School opens each day by 7:30am and closes by 1:30pm for the Nursery and Primary and 2:00pm for the secondary section.

NB: The School runs an extension classes on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays that ends by 4:00pm. The extension classes normally start on the second week of resumption of each term. It runs to the revision week of the term with exception of the week for mid term test and daily classes starts by 8:00am for the Secondary and 8:30am and 9:00am for Nursery and Primary respectively.



TIME SCHEDULE:

7:30am	- Assembly for Secondary
7:45am	-Assembly for Nursery and Primary
8:00am	-Lessons start for Secondary
8:30am	-Lessons start for Primary
9:00am	-Lessons start for Nursery
10:50am	-Break for Nursery and Primary
11:00am	-Break for Secondary
1:30pm	-Nursery and Primary dismissal
1:30-2:30pm	-Nursery and Primary Siester
2:00pm	-Secondary dismissal
2:00pm-2:50pm	-Siester (Secondary)
2:30-2:55pm	-Snack time
3:00pm-4:00pm	-Extra Lesson for Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

FACILITIES:

Gateway School is housed in a purposely built rectangular shaped three storey building, comprising of:

- * Ten to twelve rooms on each floor by the four floors.
- * Two standard libraries
- * Two standard science laboratories
- * Two standard ICT laboratories
- * One Art Studio
- * Four to eight toilet facilities in each floor
- * Two big halls
- * Eight administrative offices
- * One sick bay
- * One hands- on activity room.
- * One home economics laboratory
- * Power from EEDC and a standby Generator.
- * A bore hole and three big tanks to store water
- * Fence all round the school and a big gate for security purposes
- * Comfortable seats, lockers and tables for students/pupils and staff
- * White boards and projectors for audio visual purposes
- * Sporting equipments.

All these facilities and more are provided to help learners achieve their designed goals.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES IN THE SCHOOL:

- * Press club
- * Student Parliament
- * Debating society
- * Dramatic societies
- * Readers/writers club
- * Puzzle club
- * Creative art
- * Science and technology club
- * Chess and scrabble club
- * Mathematics club etc.



NB: Every child in the school must belong to at least one club but not more than two.

BOOKS – TEXT AND NOTES

Every child in Gateway School should possess and make use of all the recommended textbooks by the school. Textbooks are not optional. For uniformity, every child is to buy and use only Gateway School customized notebooks. On this note, no other notebooks will be allowed for use in the school.

SCHOOL FEES:

Gateway School fees are liable to review when ever the need arises. Once this is done, the school communicates her parents through any of the school communication channels.

We don't encourage hidden charges. Everything about school fees is clearly stated. If for any reason whatsoever, there arise a need to contribute for any project or activity, parents will be duly informed through any of our communication channels.

NB: Cash payment of school fees is not allowed in Gateway School. All payments of school fees must be done through any of the underlisted school bank accounts of the parents choice. The account details are as follows:

Bank: **Zenith Bank**
 Account Name: Gateway Secondary School, Enugu
 Account Number: 1011406748

Bank: **Diamond Bank**
 Account Name: Gateway School, Enugu
 Account Number: 0038499815

Bank: **UBA**
 Account Name: Gateway Compre. Sec. School, Enugu
 Account Number: 1002977989





Timely payment of school fees is very important. Parents are to pay the children's school fees during the holiday and then present the teller to the bursar's desk for the issuance of the school fees receipt. Late payment of school fees is not allowed as it hinders the smooth running of the school.

HOME WORK:

We encourage children to read at home and ask that our parents help in reminding the children to do so because that is the surest way to success in education. Children also receive homework based on the topics taught and regular spelling to learn. Mental maths skills are also really important and we encourage children to practice numbers and timetables at home. We call on the parents to assist them by reminding them to do their take home assignment from time to time.

PROJECTS AND DISCOVERIES:

In order for us to achieve our set goals, PROJECTS AND DISCOVERIES go a long way in preparing our children for the global challenges that awaits them. On this note, parents are called upon to cooperate with the school in this area as parents have their role to play likewise the school. Some materials will be needed from time to time, parents should be ready to provide for their children. As the school sees to the manpower.

UNIFORMS:

Every child or student in Gateway school is expected at all times, to dress in the correct school uniform for the various days.

NB: Shaping of School Uniforms is prohibited. Any one caught will be penalised and asked to buy a new pair of uniform. Wearing wrong uniform or part of the uniform to school is not allowed. If the need be that a child will come to school in wrong uniform, the parent should write to inform the headteacher/principal on or before the child arrives school.

NB: Every Wednesday is our sports day. Students are to appear in sports wear or track suit as the case may be. Gateway school has a customised cardigan and pullover. If the need be that a child should keep warm while in school, make sure he/she wears any of the school cardigan or pullover. The track suit is not meant for this purpose.



HAIR STYLE:

In the policy of Gateway School, boys are meant to wear neat low cut hair at all times. The girls have the option of either wearing a neat low cut or weave an "all back" hair, always neat at all times.

STUDENTS CONDUCT IN SCHOOL:

We advocate that students/ pupils apply the Golden rule in their dealing with others in the school. By so doing, the school will be very peaceful for all to coexist. Each class at the beginning of an academic year, come together and agree on a common class code for effective learning, which every member of the class abides by. Copies are made and pasted in the class and some are sent to parents to help remind them of what they agreed on. Generally, unhealthy behaviours like bullying, stealing, sexual abuses of any kind, racism, fighting or other behaviours which is aimed at hurting another person or group of people is not allowed in Gateway school. Issues of this caliber could result to suspension or expulsion, as the case may be.

ABSENTEEISM:

We don't tolerate absenteeism for no good reason. If a child must be absent from school, the parent should request and complete an absence form which could be collected from the headteacher/principal or the directors secretary's office. But in a case of emergency, please call the headteacher/principal for notification and proper documentation.

LATENESS TO SCHOOL:

We frown badly at children coming to school late. It is very essential that children come to school everyday and on time for effective learning. Parents!, please inculcate the habit of punctuality, timeliness in your child/children while they are still young. Habitual late coming could lead to us suspending your child from school and it tells bad of a family. Every student/pupil should be in school on or before 7:30am.

PERSONAL HYGIENE:

As a popular saying goes, "cleanliness is next to godliness". The students/pupils are expected to always appear neat. This ranges from keeping their nails short and clean, a clean and well ironed uniform, neat shoes, well kept hair, to mention but a few. Our parents have a great role to play in order to achieve this goal.





MOBILE PHONE IN SCHOOL:

The use of mobile phones by students/pupils in the schools highly prohibited. No child is allowed to bring a phone to school. Parents can always communicate their children through the headteachers/principal or school administrator in case of emergency. If the need be that a child should come with a phone, the parent will have to inform the school and then complete a form with the supervisor who will keep it for the child.

NB: Any phone seized from a student/pupil will not be given back to the student. If a parent so wish to have it back, he/she will have to pay # 10,000 before collecting it.

NOISE MAKING IN CLASS:

Gateway school has zero tolerance to noise making. As such, every student/pupil is advised to respect this rule as serious disciplinary action will be taken against anyone found guilty of this offense. Learn to always talk on a very low tone whenever you are discussing with others. Remember our slogan "Be at the right place, doing the right thing, at the right time".

MEDICINE IN SCHOOL:

We can not administer drugs that are not prescribed by the Doctor to a child. If a child needs to take drug during the school period, the parent should take it to the sectional head's office and then complete a form authorising the administrative staff to dispense the drug to the child. In case of minor injuries, we administer first aid drugs. But on emergency, we transfer the child to a hospital the school is registered with (Ogechukwu Hospital), as we communicate the parents.

VISITING STUDENTS/PUPILS IN SCHOOL:

The school does not allow any person other than the parents or the guardian of a child to visit him/her while in school. If a parent or guardian so wish to visit his/her child in school, such person will have to go through the administrative office. It is the duty of the administrative staff to call on the child. Parents or visitors are not allowed to see a child in the class.

SCHOOL PARENT RELATIONSHIP:

Gateway school maintains at all times a cordial relationship with her parents. We hold our parents in a very high esteem and requires a reciprocated respect in return.

We have a good number of communication channels we use to disseminate information to our parents/guardian. These channels are among others.

News letter - Short Notes

Bulk SMS

Phone Call - Oral for older children etc. please give a maximum attention to school information and respond where necessary.

PARENTS COMPLAINTS:

Gateway school family needs the cooperation of our parents to serve them better. In case you have a complain regarding your child. You should first seek clarification from the class teacher, politely. If you are not satisfied, you can meet the sectional head who may direct your case to the supervisor or the Director if he/she cannot handle or treat the complain. Politeness is very important while laying your complain. Do not use abusive words on any of our staff. You can as well do a complain letter through the above channels stated above. If it is a complain concerning the school management, you can talk to the sectional heads, Supervisor or the Director as the case maybe, for prompt attention. For closer relationship of parents and the school, there are some programmes set out for parents to come in and interact with the teachers or the school authority on how to serve them better. Such programmes are OPEN DAY, PARENTS TEACHERS FORUM (PTF), PARENTS SEMINARS and WORKSHOPS, SCHOOL EVENTS.

DROPPING AND PICKING OF CHILDREN:

Parents, take note and be security conscious while dropping your children off to school in the morning, as you have cars moving in and out of the school compound. Ensure you drop your child in the school on or before 7:30am to give him/her the opportunity to participate in the morning school activities.

PICKING UP:

The school frowns at parents who are not time conscious. For safety reasons, you should take note of the dismissal time for the various days.

NB: Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, school closes by 1:30pm/2:00pm, and commences prep classes to close finally by 4:00pm for all the sections.

Wednesdays and Fridays, school closes by 1:30pm for Nursery and Primary and 2:00pm for Secondary Students. Parents should be around before time to pick up their child(ren) as late picking of child(ren) will not be entertained. Any child not picked up 15 minutes after closing time will pay #500 for every 15 minutes spent extra in school. Help us to serve you better. Remember this teachers have other things to attend to for the day. We are not interested in the money. Do not risk the life of your children.





PARENT'S ATTENDANCE TO SCHOOL FUNCTIONS/EVENTS:

It is in the best interest of parents to collaborate with the school in the training of their child(ren), as the training of a child is the combined effort of both the school and the parents.

There are several platforms, that parents presence are needed in the school, like the OPEN DAY and PARENTS TEACHER'S FORUM (PTF). This gives the parents the ample opportunity to supervise their child(ren) school work and have one-on-one interaction with the class teachers. Parents are also encouraged to make out time to attend other social functions like the Graduation Ceremony, Cultural Day, Christmas Party, End of Year Thanksgiving, Orientation Ceremony etc.

Every New Parents are expected to attend the school orientation ceremony for their child(ren). If in any case you cannot attend the function, it is expected of you to write a letter of excuse and submit to the head teacher on or before the date of the meeting.

Nevertheless, it is of utmost importance you attend, as your child (ren) needs your support and encouragement.

EXAMINATION AND CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENTS:

In Gateway School we nurture and groom our students/pupils to inculcate the habit of residing and studying at all times. We start from day one of resumption to start building up the component of the final score of 100% in every subject, which we see at the end of the term. The assessment comprises of the following components amongs others:

- Attendance
- Note coping
- Home works
- Class works
- Projects and researches
- Quizes and test
- End of term examination

We call on the students/pupils to start building their grades from the first day of resumption of school. There is no room for a lack lustre attitude, students are advised to study hard as any student that scores below average (50%) would be required to repeat the class. This is not expected of our student/pupils, as the teachers are ready to help every child attain a maximum height.

RESULTS:

Be informed that Gateway School's Students/Pupils end of term/year results are normally uploaded online and scratch card/code numbers are made available for checking of results.

**THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING GATEWAY SCHOOL .s.,
GOD BLESS YOU.**

