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2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION

NOTICE TO MATRICULANTS

Matriculation Date: Wednesday, 11 March, 2026

We congratulate matriculants on your admission into the premier University, the First and the Best. Matriculation is a very important ceremony in students' academic voyage in the University of Ibadan as it signifies your official admittance to the Tower of Learning. Therefore, please read this notice very carefully and ensure that the instructions therein contained are strictly adhered to.

1. Attendance at the International Conference Centre is mandatory for all fresh students of the 2025/2026 Academic Session. Parents and visitors are not allowed to bring food into the International Conference Centre; neither will there be any form of partying or social gathering during the period.
2. Parents and visitors are to log on to www.ui.edu.ng to connect to the Matriculation proceedings online.
3. Matriculants are expected to collect academic outfits before the Ceremony from their respective Faculties as from Monday, 9 March, 2026 after presenting the University receipt showing the stipulated payments for the 2025/2026 session.
4. Please note that academic outfits will not be distributed at the matriculation venue.
5. Academic outfits should be returned to the Faculty Officers not later than 48 hours after the Ceremony. Failure to do so will attract a surcharge of N1000.00 (One Thousand Naira) only per day.
6. Any damage done/caused to the academic outfit attracts a surcharge of N20,000.00 for the gown and N10,000.00 for the cap as the case may be.
7. Matriculants should note that failure to return their academic outfits, as and when due, is a misconduct and shall be so treated.
8. Matriculants are advised to arrive at the International Conference Centre at 8.00 a. m. on this day and must be properly dressed for the ceremony. Please note that matriculants who are not properly dressed will not be allowed into the main hall. The tassels (cords) of the caps should be

worn to the right throughout the period of the programme. Faculty Officers will be seated with matriculants of their respective Faculties to ensure orderliness during the ceremony.

9. Female matriculants are requested to hold their caps in place with hair pins.
10. Matriculants in each Faculty are expected to be seated by 9.30 a.m. in the sections provided for them in the Hall. After the Academic Procession, no matriculant will be allowed into the Hall. Matriculants who are nursing mothers are to be seated in the gallery for their own convenience.
11. Matriculants are expected to stand when the Academic Procession enters/leaves the Hall and when the National Anthem/University Anthem are being sung or played. Matriculants are requested to please be orderly and wait till the end of the Ceremony.
12. Matriculants should note that matriculation ceremony is a solemn one. Therefore, movement in and out of the hall during the ceremony will not be allowed.
13. Matriculants are to sign the matriculation register immediately after the ceremony at their respective Faculties while matriculants from the College of Medicine are to sign the matriculation register at the International Conference Centre.
14. Matriculants are to download the Affidavit in support of the Matriculation Oath from the University website (www.ui.edu.ng) after the Matriculation Ceremony. The forms are to be duly completed and submitted at matriculants' respective Faculties.

Wishing you a very successful period of learning in this great Institution.

Thank you.

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