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Safe Recruitment and Knowledge Transfer

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SSS gives the unique opportunity to change the education landscape and perceptions about learning, which will pay dividends for generations to come"
Dr Bisi Esuruoso

Collaboratively, we build safe education solutions that empower stakeholders through ethical guidance and insight into safe education supplies and provisions, putting parents and guardians in the driving seats on safe practices in schools.

Why SSS (Safe Schools Supplement)?

Welcome to the 1st edition of the Safe Schools supplement in the Guardian Newspaper. Children's safety and education remain our priority as advocates for safety in schools. The Safe School Alliance (SSA) is an advocacy group that is promoting the need to recognise proactive measures as crucial for school safety. **The School Safety Supplement is sponsored by the SSA and it offers a wide range of ethical guidance and tips to ensure that education stakeholders are in the know about school safety needs and schools are meeting their legal obligations and creating a safe and stimulating learning environment for members of the school community and visitors.** For schools, it is important to ensure that they have a comprehensive SMS (Safety management system) in place to protect the wellbeing of their staff and students. We would be bringing you ethical guidance on all aspects of safety as it relates to the education sector. Members of safe school alliance are volunteers and are subject matter experts (SMEs) in different fields of endeavour who are committed to child safety & wellbeing. **Support safe schools by collaborating** with us to keep our children safe and well while in school. Send all enquiries to info@pie2you.com. Be on the lookout for SSS, published once each term: May, September and January each year. **The SchoolMother**

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Support us or find out how you can collaborate with SSS (Safe Schools Supplement) or make a commitment to read each edition

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SSS IS ABOUT BEING DELIBERATE IN CREATING SAFETY AWARENESS FROM THE SCHOOL GATE TO THE TOILETS, CLASSROOMS, DINING HALL, PLAYGROUND, INDOORS & OUTDOORS.

School traffic management, organisation of the school day, information sharing, CAPACITY BUILDING in school teams, networking & participation of all, structured & clutter-free environment, appropriate safety signs on display etc.

Ensuring secure and safe learning environment

Regulating the education sector on safety

Happy Children's Day

Tips to keep children safe

1. Supervise closely: Always keep a watchful eye on children, especially in public places or crowded areas.
2. Teach basic safety rules*: Educate children on basic safety rules, such as holding an adult's hand while crossing the street, not talking to strangers, and not playing with sharp objects.
3. Use safety gear: Ensure children wear appropriate safety gear, like helmets, seatbelts, and knee pads, when engaging in activities like biking.
4. Create a safe environment: Ensure the physical environment is safe, free from tripping hazards, and with secure furniture and appliances.

27th May

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- Beacon of Safety Award by Lagos
State Government through Safe
School Lagos (SSLAG) 2023.
- CONRAD Challenge, 2023 and 2024
Finalist. We had three teams of five
students each who won a total value
of the scholarship of \$900,000 in
both years.
- US Consulate Women's History Month
Quiz Competition, March 2023, 2nd
place out of nine top schools.
- 2023 Winner of World Environment
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- Top 10 winners of the Society for
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young competition, 2024.
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Together, we can create a brighter future for these children. Let's make this Children's Day one to remember!

#ChildrensDay #SupportChildren #GiveBack

CONGRATULATIONS

All the Safe Schools listed below have attained the Gold Standard for the SSLAG (Safe Schools Lagos) Compliance Obligations known as the BOS Status. BOS Stands for Beacon of Safety. At the well-attended conference and dinner where the Awards were conferred unto them by Mr Governor, Babajide Sanwoolu on the 26th of September 2023 at the Civic Centre, Victoria Island Lagos.

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Interested candidates should send their CVs and a covering letter to members@pie2you.com

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Quote ref: SSS HT222- Head teachers: Lekki, VI, Ikoyi, Mainland

Quote ref: SSAR 111-Alumni relations manager and officer: Ikeja

Quote ref: SP001- Counselors: VGC, Ikoyi, Opebi, Lekki

Quote ref: SSS E3001-English educators: Lekki, VI, Ikoyi, Mainland

Quote ref: SSM 401-Maths: Lekki, VI, Ikoyi, Mainland

Quote ref: SCT 777-Class teachers: Lekki, VI, Ikoyi, Mainland

Quote ref: SSER 01-Medical doctors: Ikeja & Isolo

Quote ref: SSER 02-Nurses: Lekki, Surulere, Victoria Island and Mainland

Quote ref: SSMT 111- Music educators: Opebi, Lekki, Surulere

Quote ref: SSAR 112- Art educators: Various locations on the Island and mainland

Quote ref: SSH/HE 333-Home Economics: Lekki

Quote ref: SSH/L 500- French: Mainland and Island

Quote ref: SSS 009- Swimming instructors: Lekki

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Deadline for application is July 20th 2024.





DO YOU KNOW YOUR DUTY OF CARE?

Safety Alerts

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- All school trips
- Interhouse sports
- Christmas parties
- Founders day

And so on...

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When it comes to legal requirements for school trips, the fundamental principle is simple: schools owe the same duty of care to their pupils as a reasonably careful parent. Duty of care exists to ensure trips are enjoyed safely and should not be seen as a reason to avoid them altogether.

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We need more parents to get involved and help us police this schools

Mon 12 Feb

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PARENT

Good morning. So that it is not in casualistic situations alone that we would hear their voice. We hold parents hangout monthly



Safe Schools Lagos Team after the Annual Safety Audit exercise was conducted at Down College.

SAFETY AUDIT TEAM

DOWN COLLEGE

Thanks SSLAG team. Having you at Down College all through yesterday

SSLAG is a very good initiative.

A SUPER TEACHER

SSLAG is a very good initiative.

Thank you bro

Education District VI came to the C-BC last week Wednesday at Folorunso Coker Hall Alimosho

Well done for the good work

EDUCATION DISTRICT OFFICER VI FROM DISTRICT VI LAGOS

You are welcome

Keep it up

Thank you ma

DOWN COLLEGE

14 Feb

We received a notice of safety audit already at Down College Lagos and we are looking forward to it. Thanks SSLAG

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Safe School Alliance

Tracked SMS Documentation

Implementation of an effective TSM (Tracked Safety Management System) is pertinent to meeting school safety obligations for school owners, leaders and managements. The Safe Schools Lagos Framework was adopted by the Lagos State Government and Launched in April 2022. This have increased school safety awareness in schools in the state but there is still much to be learned in terms of development and implementation of an effective SMS.

Included in your Tracked SMS

- SSLAG Framework and Safety Obligations
- SMS Support Checklist
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The Compliance Journey: A Deliberate Approach

THE framework highlights a four-pronged approach to compliance, beginning with a deliberate intent evaluation and advocacy (CBC). This is followed by the implementation of safety plans, including the establishment of a safety committee, mandatory safety supplies, and the creation and dissemination of knowledge transfer materials and policies.

2. SSLAG Compliance Drive: The Framework in Action
 The framework emphasizes advocacy through various channels including CBC meetings, parent engagement events, vendor workshops, student conferences, and safety competitions. Knowledge transfer is facilitated through INSET training days, FAST programs, driver training, food handlers' courses, facilities management training, and security personnel training.

3. Compliance Monitoring and Enforcement
 The framework establishes a system for compliance monitoring and enforcement through the implementation of mandatory safety supplies, adherence to Ministry of Education guidelines, safety recruitment clearances (SRC), emergency preparedness and response plans (EMP & RA), and standard annual safety audits.

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Safety Domain: Online Safety

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BOS (BEACON OF SAFETY) STATUS

This is the GOLD standard for SSLAG and it is primarily to showcase schools that are constantly demonstrating exceptional standards for school safety protocols.

It is an award that such schools would be decorated with and earn the right to be listed in the SSLAG League Table of the first 100 outstanding schools in terms of safety and wellbeing.

Amongst other things, The SSLAG compliance framework states that to earn this status such schools must belong to an advocacy group for safety, why we recommend the Safe School Alliance Membership.

Therefore, Schools desirous to achieve the BOS status must be

1. passionate about safety in schools
2. Support their pupils and school teams to remain safe and healthy
3. Follow SSLAG BOS route for the Compliance Journey and show genuine commitments to stakeholders' engagement

There are specific requirements to follow which in turn give huge benefits to the school.

For more inquiries, contact members@pie2you.com

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Why School Safety Audits?

The present administration in Lagos State is keen to ensure all school children are always safe. As such the education sector must be prepared to show their level of awareness and compliance for school safety. A secure and safe learning environment potentially allows students and staff to focus on the business of learning. Safe schools Lagos (SSLAG) allows all stakeholders to play active roles in keeping children safe.



Babajide Sanwo-Olu
Governor, Lagos State

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MRS JUMOKE MICHAELS

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Jumoke is a graduate of Food Technology, from the prestigious Kaduna Polytechnic College of Science and Technology, Kaduna State (Now Kaduna State University), a versatile and adaptable.

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Professional Matters

By Jumoke Michaels & Associates

Hello all, welcome to the first edition of Professional Matters in the SSS (Safe schools Supplement). The SSS shall be published once termly as follows: May, September and January. First and foremost, let me enlighten our audience on the goals of the State Government to keep school children safe. After which I will be introducing our team.

In Lagos State, a comprehensive school safety framework was launched on the 22nd April 2022 called SSLAG (Safe Schools Lagos) <https://safeschoolslagos.ng>. The project Lead is **SchoolRun Academy**, responsible for content development, advocacy and the transfer of knowledge and capacity building of education stakeholders. **SSLAG** is an acronym for Safe Schools' Lagos. It is a Compliance Drive initiative that is developed as a follow up on the 10-Standards School Safety Guidelines that were initially launched in 2013 by the Lagos State Government. The **vision** is to create a safety culture and compliance within all Educational and allied Establishments where children are congregated either for Religious purposes, Learning or Fun. The **mission of SSLAG** is to make schools safe By Preventing avoidable risks, raising general safety awareness amongst school teams, protecting pupils from harm, demonstrating the SDG 4. We shall be covering topics bordering on Physical, Food, Transportation, Safer recruitment, Safe education transitions, Psychosocial, Fire, Offsite & Events' safety, Child protection & safeguarding, Sporting & Recreation; Hostel & Boarding, staff safety, parental partnership and Disease prevention & controls in school. So there are implications for schools. The **safety obligations for schools is to employ an effective safety management system (SMS) which is a fail-safe approach to student safety. In order to ensure schools are doing enough to protect their students from security & safety issues. To support stakeholders navigate this new but important endeavour are a number of associates that were handpicked by the Safe School Alliance to provide guidance from their wealth of experience and knowledge.**

HOLISTIC APPROACH TO ENSURE CHILDREN'S SAFETY IN SCHOOL



Who are our SMEs' (Subject Matter Experts).

Now let me present our editorial team who are subject matter experts in different domains of safety, education and related fields.

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As from next edition we shall be bringing you hot topics on safety in schools. Watch out for insightful articles such as: who is responsible for school safety?

: Safe Education relocations and transitions
: How to ensure safe supplies in schools
: what are safe recruitment clearances. And much more!
The next Edition is published in September 2024 be on the lookout!!
I am yours truly, **Jumoke Michaels**, Director of Communication & Compliance for the Safe Schools Alliance (SSA). Till then, stay safe and productive!!!

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PROFESSIONAL MATTERS The SMEs' Unveiled

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