

Love and help the PWDs

**Husinah Nambozo, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents Junior P/S Mbale**

People with disability (PWDs) are special members of our society and deserve love, care, and respect. Living with disability does not mean someone cannot do anything. These people can still think, learn, and achieve great things. We should help them when they need support, such as crossing the road or carrying things. At school, pupils living with disability should be given equal chances to learn and play with others. Parents, teachers, and leaders should also protect the rights of these people and ensure they have access to education, healthcare, and jobs.



Thank you for the holiday extension

**Joel Bwanika, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents Junior P/S Mbale**

I would like to thank our government for extending the school holiday. This extra time gives our parents an opportunity to look for school fees and other school requirements.

Many parents struggle to raise fees on time, and this extension has reduced their stress. During this time, parents can work harder in gardens, businesses, and casual jobs to support our education.

The holiday extension has also helped us revise what we learnt and prepare better for exams. We promise to study hard and make good use of this chance. Thank you government for this arrangement.



Get ready for school

**Pius Waninga, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents Junior P/S Mbale**

Getting ready for school is very important. As the new term approaches, we should prepare amply because a well-prepared child feels confident and ready to learn.

Parents also help by buying school supplies and reminding us of school rules. We should wash our uniforms, and label our books. Preparing early helps us avoid stress on the first day of school.

We should also prepare our minds by resting well. Waking up early, sleeping on time, and revising a few lessons can help us start the term well. Let us get ready for school and work hard to achieve our dreams.

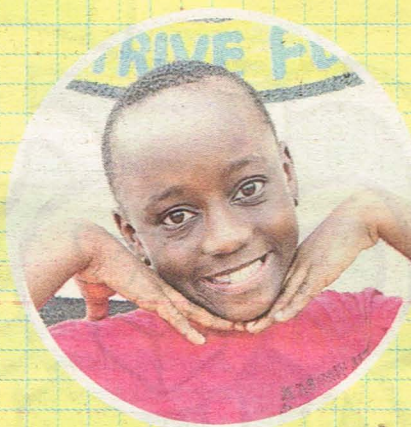


How I spent my holiday

**Suzan Kyaslime, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents P/S Mbale**

This holiday, I have tried to be productive and use my time well. I helped my parents with home chores such as cleaning the compound, fetching water, and washing utensils. This taught me responsibility and teamwork.

I also revised my books and read storybooks to improve my reading skills. Reading helped me learn new words and understand lessons better. I learnt new skills such as planting vegetables and taking care of poultry. These activities helped me understand the importance of hard work. I also attended church and developed good morals.



Congratulations President Museveni

**Hafuswa Nandudtu, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents P/S Mbale**

Congratulations to President Museveni upon being re-elected to lead our country again. As children, we are happy because leadership brings hope and direction to the nation.

We believe leadership comes from God, and we pray that God gives you wisdom, patience, and a kind heart to lead Uganda well. We hope that you will continue supporting education so that we can study in good classrooms with enough teachers. We also pray that you remember children in rural areas who walk long distances to school and families that struggle to pay school fees.



We had a great time during Internet outage

**Millicent Kwabukha, 12, P.7,
Bright Parents P/S Mbale**

When the Internet was shut down during the election, we had enough time to spend with our parents and guardians. Without phones and social media, as families, we talked more, shared ideas, and played together.

In that period, my mum also taught me life skills such as cooking, cleaning, among others. She shared stories about their childhood, which made us laugh and taught us valuable lessons. We also played games with my elder siblings, which made us happy and active. I learnt that although the Internet is useful for learning, too much of it can distance families.

