

COLLEGE CHRONICLE

EVERY STITCH TELLS THE STORY

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As the Lesotho College of Education (LCE) prepares for its 31st Graduation Ceremony, the Leseling Tailoring Unit is making its own contribution to the celebration one stitch at a time.

For the third consecutive year, LCE is producing its own graduation regalia. This year marks a special milestone: for the first time, caps, gowns, stoles and hoods are all designed, manufactured and sold entirely by the Leseling Tailoring Unit. More than graduation attire, the regalia

represents LCE's identity, pride and growing self-reliance. Every graduate wearing the professionally crafted regalia becomes an ambassador of the College, proudly carrying the LCE brand into the world.

Behind every gown is a story of skill, teamwork, attention to detail and commitment to quality. The Unit's work also contributes to the College's sustainability agenda by strengthening internal capacity, creating practical opportunities and reducing reliance on external suppliers.



Crafting LCE graduation regalia with pride

As the Class of 2026 takes the stage, LCE will celebrate not only the achievements of its graduates but also the hands that helped make the occasion special.

Every stitch tells a story of excellence, professionalism and LCE pride.

LCE Engages Learners at the 1st Annual Pre-Exam Career Expo

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LCE engages learners on career opportunities.

On Saturday, 15 August 2026, Lesotho College of Education (LCE) joined learners, educators and other stakeholders at the 1st Annual Pre-Exam Career Expo, hosted by Mind Liberation Consultancy. The expo created a welcoming space for learners to ask questions, explore

different career options and start thinking about the paths they would like to take after school.

LCE took the opportunity to introduce learners to its programmes and share more about opportunities in education and teacher training. It was also a chance for the College to connect with prospective students, hear their interest and

help them better understand what a career in education can offer.

By taking part in events like this, LCE continues to engage with young people, encourage informed career choices and support them as they take the next step towards their future.

A NEW JOURNEY BEGINS: LCE WELCOMES ITS FIRST ODL COHORT

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17 August 2026 marked a special moment in the history of the Lesotho College of Education (LCE) as the College welcomed its first-ever Open and Distance Learning (ODL) intake for the Bachelor of Education in Primary Education (BEPE) and Bachelor of Education in Primary Education Foundation (BEPF) programmes

The day brought together the pioneering students who are now part of a new chapter in LCE's long-standing journey of preparing educators. For many of them, it was more than simply attending an orientation, it was the beginning of a journey towards becoming the teachers and leaders they aspire to be.

Welcoming the students, LCE Rector, Dr Solomon Chibaya

reminded them that although distance learning may sometimes feel like a journey taken alone, they are never truly alone.

He reminded the students that they now belong to an institution with more than 50 years of experience in teacher education, as well as a global community of distance learners who share the same commitment and passion for learning.

"We invest to see you flourishing," Dr Chibaya told the students, emphasising the College's commitment to their success and development.

He encouraged the pioneering cohort to embrace the journey with courage, acknowledging that the road ahead may come with its own challenges. More importantly, he urged them not to measure their journey only

by grades or certificates, but by the kind of educators and leaders they are becoming.

For this first cohort, 17 August will remain a day to remember, the day they became pioneers of LCE's ODL journey.

As they begin this new chapter, the LCE family welcomes them with one message: you are not alone, your journey matters, and your future as an educator starts here.



Welcoming LCE's first ODL cohort.

Celebrating Women, Strength and Resilience

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Honouring the women who inspire, lead and make a difference; Maseru Campus

On 28 August 2026, the College celebrated the close of Women's Month with Women's workshops held at both the Maseru and Thaba-Tseka campuses.

Organised by the Director Human Resources, Ms Khama, the workshops celebrated women's

strength, resilience and achievements, while creating space for reflection and meaningful conversation.

The sessions featured Father Hlompho Hlaha as guest speaker, who shared reflections on faith, dignity, respect and the importance of supporting and empowering women.

The celebrations ended with a simple reminder: empowering women is a shared responsibility.



Celebrating women, strength and resilience. Thaba-Tseka embraced the theme with enthusiasm.