

SECOND YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER REPORT

The just ended semester left me with a lot of experiences about how life in the university really was. This is because last academic year was spent doing the university required courses which were just basic. This time around it was Orthotics and Prosthetics Sciences; the beginning of the modules. On campus, we had access to Wi-Fi connection for studies, got course mates to study with in groups and get clearer understanding to subjects, we also had easy accessibility to the regional hospital facilities which were some short distance away from the hostel. We also had lectures to seek for better understanding of some courses.

The courses we offered for the semester were; Orthotics Science II, Prosthetics Science II, Mobility and Rehabilitation Aids, Biomechanics II, Fundamentals of Electricity and Electronics, Health Law and Ethics, Medical Sociology, Healthcare Systems in Ghana. It was studied comprehensively using lectures from different departments. We wrote series of tests (Interim assessment) and I did well in almost all the interim assessment as well as the end of semester exams. The courses I found interesting in the course of the semester was Mobility and Rehabilitation Aids, Orthotics and Prosthetics Science which involves the designing, The one I found challenging was Fundamentals of Electricity and Electronics but with the aid of my friends and other studying materials I was able to overcome it. One other challenge was the fact that I do not have or use a laptop. Every part of our studies, lecture slides, teaching materials storage, assignment research, typing and presentation has got to do with a computer device. I only had a phone which gets frozen up most often when it's used for a long period and multi tasks. The internal and external memories get full too that I have to constantly change and get a new one or clear off some valuable files to get new ones to read. This always slows down my rate and attitude towards learning. I sometimes have to resort to my colleagues' laptop which in most times becomes a burden to them since everybody is relying on his or her device to meet the demanding nature of the program. This semester gave much time for my social life. With these new experiences I hope to prepare well for the next semester and produce much better results and still develop my social life as well. I am always grateful to the heads, hands and heart that always come together to fuel my stay and survival in the university. Next semester starts from early July to mid-October, 2023. Your labor in me has and will never be in vain.

Below are some pictures of our practical section



