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## **Eid El Kabir Greetings from the Vice-Chancellor to the University of Ibadan Muslim Community**

Dear Members of the University of Ibadan Muslim Community,

As we approach the blessed occasion of Eid-El-Kabir (Eid al-Adha), it is with great joy and heartfelt warmth that I extend my sincerest greetings and felicitations to all Muslim staff, students, and members of our university community.

Eid-El-Kabir is a time of profound spiritual reflection, sacrifice, and gratitude. This sacred occasion reminds us of the virtues of faith, obedience, compassion, and generosity exemplified by Prophet Ibrahim (AS). He was tried, tested and found to be absolutely loyal to the Almighty. These are values that resonate deeply within our diverse and vibrant academic family. This sacred festival offers us an opportunity to renew our commitment to unity, peace, and mutual respect across all faiths and cultures represented at the University of Ibadan.

May I take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to the members of the community for their spirit of sacrifice and giving in our pursuit of knowledge; in fostering a nurturing environment for learning and in contributing positively to society.

On behalf of the entire university administration, I pray that Allah (SWT) accepts your acts of worship and rewards you with happiness and prosperity and may this Eid bring abundant blessings and good health to you, your loved ones and the entire community.

May the spirit of generosity and kindness continue to thrive within our community.

Eid Mubarak!

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