



11th February, 2020

Dear children,

I have a colleague who recounts the story of his lawyer daughter with much pride today. A few years back his daughter was taking the board exams. Like many other parents these days, he had several sleepless nights and stress-torn days, for he would sit with her and make her revise. When her results came out, my colleague was disappointed, because according to him she had performed averagely. When his daughter showed up bright-eyed at his office later that day with her report card, and saw her father's crestfallen face, here is what she had to say: "Don't feel bad Papa. You did your best"! I can't but help appreciate the gumption and spirit of this rare kid, for it reflects a true understanding of how board exams do not and cannot rule your life!

Schooling is not only about board exams. Now that I look back, I often wonder what I really took home from my school studies. I remember the picnics, the yearly fairs, sports and annual days, the friends and the fun, the sharing and the caring, the laughter and the tears. But in studies, I remember vague things, like in History there were loads of dates which I had memorized then, but really cannot recall today. I would time and again tell my friends, "Do anything in life, but refrain from creating history. Kids of the next generation will never forgive you". In geography, I would often curse the Americas for having a completely different set of flora and fauna as compared to Africa. Why could the world not be uniformly simple? With Mathematics, I was like an Alice in Wonderland. In Physics I understood its applications very well, but practiced inertia or "staying-atrest-unless-force-is-applied". Chemistry for me was just trillions of different combinations of the English alphabet and the Arabic numerals. But Biology was a subject that aroused my curiosity. I loved the subject so much that just for fun I would write autobiographies of a red blood corpuscle or a mitochondrion. I found my niche there. It was in the Art room and in extra-curricular activities that I tended to outshine more than in academics. I loved the fact that I could create anything on a blank canvas with a bunch of colours at hand, or tax my mind for the Just A Minute debates or a game of dumb charades, or remember the longest dialogues while acting on stage. I think these are what made me outgoing enough to try out adventurous activities, such as a life in bureaucracy! What I don't remember however, is what questions were asked in my board exams or how did they go.

I am sharing all this with you because I want you to know that we adults do not get to where we are today by being good at every subject and every activity in our school days. Schooling is surely about exposure to various subjects, but it is much more about learning to become a life-long learner and about acquiring values and skills.

You are 21st century kids! Your future employers may not always bother too much about the marks you get in school. They will want to know instead, whether you are capable of working hard or are a creative person. Some may want to check out your critical thinking and problem-solving abilities. Others may focus on good communication or collaboration skills. But all will want to know if you are honest and principled in your dealings, are gender sensitive and a good citizen, are inclusive and can be a part of a team. Known or unknown to you, I am certain that you have already imbibed





these and many more skills and values, and therefore, as far as your future is concerned, you have already passed in flying colours!

You have also scaled many peaks in your life; from crawling you learnt to walk, from gibberish you learnt to talk, you learnt to make friends, do teamwork, read, write, play, paint, dance, sing, search internet, cook, do gardening, respect your elders, imbibe your culture, and the list goes on and on. Each of these have helped hone your personality to become the incomparable gem that you are today. Exams are just one among the thousands of things in that list; really, they are not as big a deal as they are made out to be. They are just milestones in your journey towards discovering the real potential and uniqueness in you. And like every other thing in that list that you have learnt to do, it all begins with one belief: I can do it!

A creative future of your own making, bedecked with your values and competencies, awaits you just around the corner. Therefore, armed with the knowledge of all your inimitable capabilities, now go forth and attack your worries, lay them to rest, work hard and do your best.

Kiddos, you've totally got this!

Best of luck and God bless you.

Chairperson CBSE







Date: 13-02-2020

Dear Parents,

I wonder if you have watched a very sensitively crafted TV commercial these days, where a father is driving his young school going daughter in his car. The daughter is visibly upset and is pulling herself apart in her mind, as she feels that her exams did not go off very well, and she would therefore not rise up to the expectations of her father. The father's instincts are strong. He gauges what she is going through, and immediately feels bad that he has not made his daughter strong enough to handle the difficulties that may arise in her life suddenly and without a hint. What a powerful message!

It is true that commercials in India often revolve around powerful social messaging. But that alone is not the point here. This example is actually very subtle and a true reflection of changing mind-sets of parents in the 21st century. We sincerely hope that you as a parent understand the need for changing with the times. School education no longer revolves around academic disciplines as the area of focus; in fact, the focus now is on developing a specific skill, that is, a love for learning. As parents, you contribute to your child's learning growth curve if you fan their curiosity from the time they are toddlers, and encourage them to develop an enquiring mind and be creative as they grow older. This then lays the foundation for developing an innovative nature and entrepreneurship, two of the most crucial 21st century skills for the children of a nation such as ours.

To lead them into become innovators and entrepreneurs, you must recognize the unique potential of your own child, rather than compare with others. Your friend's child may be good at mathematics and want to become an engineer, but your child may be good at theatre and may want to become a film-maker. The number of possible careers is unlimited, hence the limitations of our minds as parents, must not become the limitations for our children in achieving great heights.

I urge you not to achieve your own aspirations vicariously through your child. I also earnestly request you to empower your child to face life head-on. Like the parent realises in the commercial mentioned above, when we adults face so many ups and downs all through life, why should we expect our children to always be on the upward swing! Therefore, ensure that your child develops that confidence in your rock-solid support, if ever she needs to cope with adverse situations without being disheartened or disillusioned.

With your strong backing, we are sure your child will put in her best in her board exams this year, and not let stress about her future overwhelm her present. Bless your children from our side and wish them good luck for their exams. Meanwhile, here are some things that you need to ensure for your board exam-appearing child:

1. You along with your child must <u>check the location of exam centre at least a</u> <u>day prior</u> to the commencement of the examination. To know correct location, you can use our <u>Exam Center Locator App</u> (available for Android phones).

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- 2. Ensure your child goes to the examination center **wearing school uniform** only, and carrying school ID card.
- 3. Your child must <u>reach the examination centre by 9.45 am and definitely before 10.00 am. Please note that entry into the examination center is not permitted after 10.00 AM.</u> To ensure this, your child must leave your residence for examination center keeping in view distance, traffic, VIP Visits in the city, weather conditions, etc.
- 4. Take care that your child is <u>adequately rested</u> on the day of exams and is taking nutritious food throughout.
- 5. Check that your child is <u>carrying only admit card</u>, <u>school Identity Card</u>, <u>Pen</u>, <u>Pencil</u>, <u>Eraser</u>, <u>Scale</u>, <u>Sharpener</u>; all these must be carried in a <u>transparent</u> <u>pouch</u> in which contents are visible from the outside.
- 6. Make doubly sure that your child is **not carrying mobile**, **wallet**, **purse**, **etc** to the examination center.
- 7. Alert your child to <u>follow all instructions given by invigilators</u>, <u>especially</u> <u>those regarding the method of writing Roll Number</u> in Answer Book.
- 8. Discuss with your child about the <u>consequences of indulging in unfair means</u> <u>or unethical practises during examination</u>, and make them pledge not to do so.
- Explain to your child and make them commit to <u>not indulge in spreading</u> <u>rumors and not believing in fake videos and messages</u> uploaded on social media.
- 10. Make your child aware of the constant need to **maintain discipline in the examination centre**
- 11. <u>If your child comes under Benchmark Disabilities</u>, then be aware that the Board has made provisions for your child as per circular number No. CBSE/COORD/112233/2019 dated 12th April, 2019
- 12. <u>If your child is a Diabetic</u>, then be aware that the Board has made provisions for your child as per circular number CBSE/Coord/ASC/112567/2046 dated 21.02.2017

The most important messaging and work that can be done on a child, is within the walls of your own home. That child of yours is watching you and wants to be just like you. Here is wishing you all the best for treading softly, lovingly, carefully, patiently, encouragingly, ethically with your child and for always being the person that you want your child to be!

Chairperson CBSE



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FOR CLASS X & XII EXAMINATIONS, 2020

PERMITTED ITEMS

- (a) Admit Card, School Identity Card
- (b) Stationery item i.e. Transparent Pouch, Geometry/Pencil Box, Blue/Royal Blue Ball Point/Gel Pen, Scale, Writing Pad, Eraser, Analogue Watch and Transparent Water Bottles.
- (c) Metro Card, Bus Pass.

BARRED ITEMS

- (a) Any stationery item such as textual material (printed or written), bits of papers, Calculator, Pen Drives, Calculator, Log Table (shall be provided by the centres), Electronic Pen/Scanner, etc.
- (b) Any communication device such as Mobile Phone, Bluetooth, Earphones, Microphone, Pager, Health Band, Camera, etc.
- (c) Other items like Wallet, Goggles, Handbags, pouches, etc.
- (d) Any eatable item opened or packed, except for diabetic candidates
- (e) Any other item which could be used for unfair means.







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Date: 26.02.2020

URGENT PRESS NOTE

Reference is invited to the press note dated 25.02.2020 notifying the cancellation of examinations scheduled on 26.02.2020. In continuation of the same and considering the request of Directorate of Education, Govt. of Delhi and to avoid inconvenience to students, staff and parents, the Board has decided to postpone the following subject exams scheduled for 27.02.2020 in **North East Part of Delhi**:

Class XII	001 English Elective	
	101 English Elective C	
	301 English Core	

Details of Exam Centres where these exams have been postponed are available at www.cbse.nic.in.

However, the exams in rest of Delhi shall be conducted as scheduled.

The next date of exam for affected students will be notified shortly.

Anurag Tripathi Secretary, CBSE

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List of Centres of class XII Exam Scheduled on 27.02.2020 to be Postponed

S. No.	Centre No.	CENTRE_NAME	Centre District
1	2539	ST.LAWRENCE PUB SCH DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
2	2540	ARWACHIN INT. SCHOOL PKT-B DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
3	2541	SIDDHARTH INT. PUBLIC SCHOOL DILSHAD GARDEN DLI	NORTH-EAST
4	2542	QUEEN GLOBAL INT SCH DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
5	2544	HINDON PUB SCH B-3/411 33 FOOTA RD HARSH VHR DL	NORTH-EAST
6	2693	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL NEW SEEMA PURI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
7	2694	GOVT BOYS SEC SCHOOL GH BLOCK OLD SIMAPURI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
8	2719	GOVT BOYS SEC SCH F1 F11 NAND NAGARI EXTN DL	NORTH-EAST
9	2721	GOVT SARVODAYA BAL VIDYALAYA E-BLK NAND NAGRI DL	NORTH-EAST
10	2537	GREENWAY MODERN SCH DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
11	2538	NUTAN VIDYA MANDIR SSS DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
12	2685	GOVT BOYS SS SCH J&K BLK DILSHAD GARDEN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
13	2686	GOVT SARVODAYA BAL VIDYALAYA DILSHAD GARDEN DLI	NORTH-EAST
14	2687	MOTI RAM MEM GLS S S S P&N PKT DILSHAD GARDEN DL	NORTH-EAST
15	2699	GOVT GIRLS S S SCH W JYOTI NGR SHAHDARA DLI	NORTH-EAST
16	2720	GOVT BOYS S S SCH JANTA FLATS NAND NAGRI DLI	NORTH-EAST
17	2722	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH A-BLOCK NAND NAGRI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
18	2723	B P GOVT SARVODAYA BOYS SSS B-BLK NAND NAGRI DLI	
19	2724	RAJKIYA PRATIBHA VIKAS VIDYALAYA NAND NAGRI DLI	NORTH-EAST
			NORTH-EAST
20	2526	HANSRAJ SMARAK SCH OPP.PKT-E DILSHAD GARDEN N DL	EAST NORTH FACT
21	2543	DAV PUB SCH PKT-C LIG FLATS EAST OF LONI RD DL	NORTH-EAST
22	2695	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL SABOLI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
23	2705	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH VIJAY PARK MAUJPUR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
24	2707	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL EAST GOKALPUR LONI RD DL	NORTH-EAST
25	2708	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL NO 1 GHONDA DELHI	NORTH-EAST
26	2709	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH GOKALPUR VILLAGE DELHI	NORTH-EAST
27	2710	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL GOKAL PURI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
28	2711	C R GOVT SARVOD KANYA VIDYALAYA NO 2 GHONDA DL	NORTH-EAST
29	2713	DR ZAKIR HUSAIN MEMORIAL S S S JAFRABAD DELHI	NORTH-EAST
30	2714	SARVODAYA BAL VIDYALAYA JAFRABAD DLI	NORTH-EAST
31	2725	CR DAS GOVT.SARVODAYA GIRLS SSS NEW SEELAMPUR DL	NORTH-EAST
32	2728	GOVT BOYS SR SECONDARY SCHOOL NEW USMANPUR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
33	2546	VICTORIA PUB SR SEC SCH BRIJPURI WAZIRABAD RD DL	NORTH-EAST
34	2548	SARDAR PATEL PUB SR SEC SCH KARAWAL NAGAR DLI	NORTH-EAST
35	2551	MRL SR SEC SCH 319 PRAKASH VIHAR KARAWAL NGR DLI	NORTH-EAST
36	2553	NEW SANDHYA PUB SCH CHANDU NGR KARAWAL NGR RD DL	NORTH-EAST
37	2715	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH KARAWAL NAGAR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
38	2717	GOVT SARVODAYA BAL VIDYALAYA KHAJURI KHAS DELHI	NORTH-EAST
39	2718	GOVT.BOYS SEC SCHOOL MUSTAFABAD DELHI	NORTH-EAST
40	2688	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL SUNDER NAGARI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
41	2681	PT MMM GOVT SARVODAYA BOYS S S S BRAHMPURI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
42	2682	GOVT BOYS SENIOR SEC SCHOOL BRAHAMPURI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
43	2683	GOVT BOYS SENIOR SEC SCHOOL BRAHM PURI DLI	NORTH-EAST
44	2700	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL BABARPUR SHAHDARA DLI	NORTH-EAST
45	2706	R D J K GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH BHAJAN PURA DLI	NORTH-EAST
46	2732	GOVT. BOYS SR SECONDARY SCHOOL SONIA VIHAR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
47	2733	GOVT.BOYS SR SECONDARY SCHOOL TUKHMEERPUR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
48	2734	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL NO-2 TUKHMIR PUR DL	NORTH-EAST
49	2738	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH 1 C-BLK YAMUNA VIHAR DLI	NORTH-EAST
50	2535	NAVJEEWAN ADARSH PUB SCHOOL GAUTAM PURI DLI	NORTH-EAST
51	2536	LITTLE FLOWERS PUB SSS SHIVAJI PK SHAHDARA DL	NORTH-EAST

S. No.	Centre No.	CENTRE_NAME	Centre District
52	2545	SIDDHARTH INTL PUB. SCH LONI RD SHAHDARA DLI	NORTH-EAST
53	2704	S K V DDA FLAT EAST LONI ROAD SHAHDARA DELHI	NORTH-EAST
54	2726	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL NO 2 NEW SEELAMPUR DEL	NORTH-EAST
55	2727	GOVT BOYS SEC SCH MARGINAL BAND N. SEELAMPUR DLI	NORTH-EAST
56	2730	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH SHASTRI PARK DELHI	NORTH-EAST
57	2731	SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA SHASTRI PARK DL	NORTH-EAST
58	2735	N G R GOVT SARVO BOYS SSS GAUTAMPURI USMANPUR DL	NORTH-EAST
59	2659	GOVT SARVODAYA GIRLS SSS-1 B N NGR SHAHDARA DLI	East
60	2547	GYANDEEP VIDYA BHAWAN SR SEC SCH YAMUNA VIHAR DL	NORTH-EAST
61	2550	NAVYUG HAPPY PUB SCH MUKAND VIHAR KARAWAL NGR DL	NORTH-EAST
62	2684	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL DAYALPUR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
63	2692	GOVT CO-ED SR SEC SCHOOL NEW JAFRABAD DELHI	NORTH-EAST
64	2716	GOVT BOYS SR. SEC SCHOOL KHAJOORI KHAS DELHI	NORTH-EAST
65	2736	G SARV BAL VIDYALAYA NO-1 B-BLK YAMUNA VIHAR DL	NORTH-EAST
66	2737	G. SARVODAYA BAL VID NO.2 B-BLOCK YAMUNA VIH DLI	NORTH-EAST
67	2739	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH-2 C-BLK YAMUNA VIHAR DLI	NORTH-EAST
68	2740	RAJKIYA PRATIBHA VIKAS VID. YAMUNA VIHAR DELHI	NORTH-EAST
69	2660	GOVT BOYS SR. SEC. SCH VISHWAS NAGAR DL	East
70	2689	GOVT BOYS SEC. SCH. G.T. ROAD SHAHDARA DELHI	NORTH-EAST
71	2690	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCHOOL MANDOLI DELHI	NORTH-EAST
72	2691	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL MANDOLI EXTN DELHI	NORTH-EAST
73	2698	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH NO 2 MANSROVER PARK DLI	NORTH-EAST
74	2701	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH SHIVAJI PRK SHAHDARA DLI	NORTH-EAST
75	2702	GOVT BOYS SR SEC SCH GT RD SHAHDARA DELHI	NORTH-EAST
76	2703	GANDHI MEMO GOVT SARVODAYA BOYS SSS SHAHDARA DL	NORTH-EAST
77	2658	GOVT GIRLS SR SEC SCHOOL KANTI NAGAR DELHI	East
78	2619	GOVT SARVODAYA GIRLS SSS NO 1 GANDHI NGR DLI	East
79	2620	GOVT SARVODAYA BAL VIDYALAYA GANDHI NAGAR DELHI	East
80	2621	R S KANYA VID.SHANKAR NAGAR (GANDHI NAGAR) DELHI	East





PRESS RELEASE

25.01.2020

ALERT AGAINST FAKE NEWS/FRIVOLOUS INFORMATION ON SOCIAL MEDIA/NEWS PLATFORMS

The Class X/XII annual examinations of Central Board of Secondary Education will commence w.e.f. 15 February 2020. The Board has made all necessary arrangements for the smooth and fair conduct of examinations.

It is being noticed that that certain unscrupulous elements intend to spread rumors by hosting fake videos/messages on News platforms/ Social Media platforms like YouTube, Face Book, twitter etc. to spread confusion and panic amongst students, parents, schools and general public.

The mischievous elements involved in such activities are hereby warned and advised to restrain themselves from such unlawful activities of spreading rumours. In case, any such information comes to the notice of the CBSE, immediate remedial action as necessary and measures as per provisions of law will be taken by the CBSE.

The Board also appeals to public in general to cooperate with the Board for the smooth conduct of exams 2020 and not to participate in spreading of rumours and not believe in baseless information.

Secretary CBSE

