All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: National Education Policy 2020 – regarding

As you are aware that the National Education Policy (NEP), 2020 has been approved by the Union Cabinet on 29th July 2020 which aims to address the many growing developmental imperatives of our country and is aligned to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. The National Education Policy, 2020 is built on the foundational pillars of Access, Equity, Quality, Affordability and Accountability.

Recognising the critical and crucial role of the teachers in the successful implementation of NEP, the Ministry of Education is organising an Online Competition for teachers on ‘Preparation of Communication Material’ and inviting views/suggestions/comments of Principals/Head Teachers/Teachers on implementation of various recommendations of NEP.

I. Online Competition for Teachers on ‘Preparation of Communication Material’

The Ministry of Education in partnership with MyGov is organising an Online Competition for Teachers on ‘Preparation of Communication Material’ relating to National Education Policy (NEP-2020). The participating teachers will have to prepare communication material on different themes of NEP 2020 related to school education. The 10 best selected entries will be forwarded to NCERT for National Level Selection. The entries submitted by the teachers may be used by the Ministry of Education in future and the submission of entry will be treated as the permission for the same on behalf of the participant teacher.

The complete guidelines regarding the competition are given in annexure A.

II. Call for Suggestions for Effective Implementation of NEP 2020

The Department of School Education and Literacy has invited views/suggestions/comments on each theme of the NEP 2020 related to school education from the school Principals/Head Teachers/Teachers from all over the country on how to take the implementation process of NEP 2020 forward.

All suggestions received shall be examined by a team of experts from NCERT. If required, Principals/Head Teachers/Teachers whose suggestions are found useful for incorporating in NCF or in the implementation plan shall be individually contacted.
Principals/Head Teachers/Teachers should register themselves on the link [https://innovateindia.mygov.in/nep2020/](https://innovateindia.mygov.in/nep2020/) and then give suggestions based on their own experiences and learnings on as many areas as they deem fit. The dates for uploading suggestions are 24th August 2020 to 31st August 2020.

The complete participation guidelines along with the important dates in this regard are given at [https://innovateindia.mygov.in/nep2020/](https://innovateindia.mygov.in/nep2020/)

School Heads are requested to bring the information in the notice of all concerned and ensure maximum participation in both the programmes for the successful implementation of NEP 2020.

(Dr. Joseph Emmanuel)  
Director (Academics)
Copy to the respective Heads of Directorates, Organizations and Institutions as indicated below with a request to disseminate the information to all the schools under their jurisdiction:

1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, SJS Marg, Delhi-110016.
3. The Additional Chief Secretary(School Education), Government of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim – 737101
4. The Principal Secretary(School Education), Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar
5. The Principal Secretary (School Education), Government of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-1104.
6. The Principal Secretary(School Education), Union Territory Secretariat, Sec- 9, Chandigarh
7. The Principal Secretary (School Education), Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair
8. The Principal Secretary (School Education), Govt. of Odisha
9. The Principal Secretary(School Education), Govt. of Chhattisgarh
10. The Principal Secretary(School Education), Govt. of Tripura
11. The Principal Secretary(School Education), Govt. of Haryana
12. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi
13. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160017
14. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
15. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
16. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair - 744101
17. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
18. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A–Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
19. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202,Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
20. All Regional Directors/Regional Officers of CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions for compliance.
21. All Regional Director/Heads/ In-Charges, CBSE-COE with request to disseminate the information
22. The Head Public Relations , CBSE
23. EO to Chairperson, CBSE
24. SPS to Secretary, CBSE
25. SPS to Director (Information Technology), CBSE
26. SPS to Director (Academics) CBSE.
27. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
28. SPS to Director(Training & Skill Education), CBSE
29. SPS to Director(Professional Exam), CBSE
30. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
Annexure A

Guidelines for Online Competition on ‘Preparation of Communication Material’ on NEP 2020

Themes for the Competition

1. Early Childhood Care and Education: The Foundation of Learning
2. Foundational Literacy and Numeracy: An Urgent & Necessary Prerequisite to Learning
3. Curtailing Dropout Rates and Ensuring Universal Access to Education at All Levels
5. Teachers and Teachers Education
6. Equitable and Inclusive Education: Learning for All
7. Efficient Resourcing and Effective Governance through School Complexes/Clusters
8. Standard Setting and Accreditation for School Education
9. Re-imagining Vocational Education
10. Adult Education
11. Promotion of Indian Languages, Arts and Culture
12. Online and Digital Education: Ensuring Equitable Use of Technology

Communication Format

The communication material can be in one of the following formats:

1. Film: Duration-1 to 2 minutes, in MP4 format
2. Posters: Poster size: 12" X 8"
3. Infographics: In the form of Power Point Presentation or Slides

Levels of Competition:

School Level: The competition will be held at school level first between 5th September to 25th September 2020. The best selected entry at the school level should be uploaded at the following link on 26th September 2020:

https://forms.gle/iUSKoJdiDD7dZT4E9

All the entries received from the schools will be assessed by CBSE for selecting 10 best entries, irrespective of theme and format.

National Level: The 10 best entries selected by CBSE will be forwarded to NCERT for national level selection.