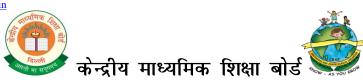
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Subject: Live telecast of the Mars Orbit Insertion or Mars Capture Manoeuvre of the Indian Mars Orbiter Mission

Dear Principal,

The Board advocates inculcation of scientific temper as envisaged in the Constitution of India. The development of scientific temper not only takes place inside classrooms and laboratories rather it encompasses the whole gamut of events that take place in the daily lives of students. One such opportunity will arise when the Indian Mars Orbiter Mission launched on November 5, 2013 will enter the 'Mars Sphere of Influence' on **September 22, 2014**.

Further, as per the notification issued by the Department of Space, Government of India, the crucial Mars Orbit Insertion or Mars Capture Manoeuver will take place on **September 24, 2014, between 06:45 hrs and 08:45 hrs IST**. The live coverage of the 'Mars Orbit Insertion' activities will be available on **Doordarshan's national channels**.

It is a proud and rare event that has the utmost importance for the mission, as well as for increasing the morale of the scientific community, students and citizens of India. The programme will provide important scientific knowledge to the students and whet their curiosity. **Therefore, the Board advises schools to make necessary arrangements for the students to view the programme collectively in their classes to enable them to cherish this rare scientific event.**

The school may bring this information to the notice of all the students and teachers concerned.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-

(Dr. Sadhana Parashar)

Director (Academics, Research, Training and Innovation)

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