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CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

(An Autonomous Organization under the Union Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India) "Shiksha Sadan", 17, Institutional Area, Rouse Avenue, New Delhi-110002.

CBSE/ACAD/Dir. (ART&I)/2014

Circular No. Acad-36/2014 Dated: 1st October, 2014

All the Heads of Institutions affiliated to CBSE,

Subject: Verification of Evidence of Assessments (EAs) of Class IX/X students for Term I of the Academic Session 2014-2015

Dear Principal,

Effective assessment of students is the key to the success of any education system. With the introduction of series of education reforms the Central Board of Secondary Education is deeply committed to ensure fair and effective assessment of its students which is also feasible, practical and stress free leading to their wholesome personality development.

With the purpose to ensure reliability and validity of assessment practices at school level, the Board has over the last few years initiated collection and verification of the 'Evidence of Assessments (EAs)' conducted at school level. These Evidences of Assessments and the marks awarded are verified by the subject evaluators appointed and empanelled by the Board at the Regional level. The subject evaluators would submit their report on these EAs vis-a-vis award of marks. Their report will help in verifying the school based assessments as well as provide feedback to the Board.

As is evident by now, not all schools are selected for sending evidences in each term. The schools shortlisted by the Regional Office only will be requested to send the **Evidences of Assessments for FA-I, FA-II and evidences of Co-Scholastic assessment** of Classes IX/X of Term-I (Session 2014-2015). In formative assessment, these evidences will be collected in five subjects: Hindi, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Science. As in the previous terms, the Board will appoint the **City Coordinators** in different cities where the selected schools will be required to send their evidences.

The schools are requested to visit the <u>Microsite on Evidence of Assessments</u> and refer the following:

- Detailed list of the schools selected for sending EAs for Term-I (subject and class assigned, details of City Coordinators/ Regional Office where the evidences are to be sent)
 Note: The list will be uploaded by 15th October. 2014.
- 2. Guidelines for the schools
- 3. FAQ's

- 4. Instructions to schools for online updation system
- 5. Flow-chart on Evidences of Assessment
- 6. Analysis and findings of the previous terms along with the summary

SELECTION OF SAMPLES FOR SENDING EVIDENCES

Evidence of Assessments comprise of the performance of five students taken from each of the three categories i.e. top, middle and bottom levels of achievements in formative assessments.

- 1. Add the final marks of FA-1 and FA-2 of all students of Class IX /X (all sections) and arrange them in decreasing order of marks
- 2. Divide the total number of students in three groups as follows:
 - a. Top one-third students,
 - b. Middle one-third students, and
 - c. Bottom one-third students.

For example: If there are 100 students in Class IX/X in a School, the three groups may consist of 33, 33 and 34 students after they have been arranged in decreasing order of marks.

- 3. Pick up the top five students from the first group, the last five students from the third group and any five students from the middle group.
- 4. This set of fifteen students is your sample for which 'Evidence of Assessments' are to be sent in formative assessment as well as co-scholastic assessment.

Thus, your school, if selected, should be submitting Evidences of Assessments of fifteen students. This is applicable only to one subject and one class which will be communicated to you by the Regional Office/Microsite.

TYPES OF SAMPLES TO BE ENCLOSED

FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT

The school is required to send details about all the FA-1 and FA-2 tasks in the assigned subject which should include the break-up of marks as well as the parameters of assessment. If the nature of the Evidence of Assessments (EAs) is such that it cannot be sent such as seminars, group discussion, models, charts etc, a brief write-up be prepared by the teacher on the assignment and sent along with marks awarded (Refer to Annexure II for the format of the write up). This should include the details of the tasks assigned to students individually or in groups as well as the strategies adopted and the parameters used for assessment. The schools should send only such tasks that have been taken into account for arriving at the grades for FA-1 and FA-2.

• CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT

In case of co-scholastic assessment, please send write-ups, photographs, anecdotal records, CDs of the performance of selected 15 students. A mention may be made about the activities being undertaken for Life Skills, Work Education, Visual and Performing Arts, Attitudes and Values and Co-Curricular Activities, along with the assessment tools used, mode and indicators of assessment. (*Refer to Annexure II for the format of the write up*)

Note: The 15 students selected for Co-Scholastic assessment will be same as for the Formative Assessment.

After you are informed by the Regional Office, please ensure that all the 'Evidence of Assessments (EAs)'in the assigned subject along with the evidences of Co-Scholastic Assessment are sent through speed post or hand delivered (at school's cost) to the concerned Regional Officer/City Coordinator

latest by 31st October, 2014. It is essential that the checklists for collection of evidences (Annexure I, III and IV) are packed separately.

The schools may note that they will be asked to send their evidences only once during an academic session. However the Board may ask the low scoring schools of the previous term and the schools which have not sent their Evidences of Assessment in the previous term to send their evidences again. In case of any queries kindly contact Mrs. Sugandh Sharma, Addl. Dir./ Associate Professor at 011-23220155 or email at sugandh.cbse@gmail.com with a copy to Professor & Director (Arti) at directoracad.cbse@nic.in.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-

(Dr. Sadhana Parashar)

Director (Academic, Research, Training & Innovation)

Encl: Annexure I - Checklist for Collection of Student Data – SBA

Annexure II - Format of Write-up (Formative Assessment/Co-Scholastic Assessment)

Annexure III - Calculating percentage of attendance

Annexure IV - Checklist for sending Attachments/Details of Packets sent

Annexure V- Packing and Despatch Procedure of evidence of assessments

Annexure VI - Receipt of Delivery of Assessment of CCE –Term-I, 2014-15

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:

- The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-110016.
- 2. The Commissioner, NavodayaVidyalayaSamiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309.
- 3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054.
- 4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160 017.
- 5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim 737101.
- 6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
- 7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair 744101.
- 8. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, JungleeGhat, P.O.744103, A&N Islands
- 9. The Secretary, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3 Rohini, Delhi-110085.
- 10. 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.
- 11. All Associate Professor & Additional Directors/ Advisors/ Consultants/ Assistant Professor & Joint Directors/ Assistant Professor & Deputy Directors/ Deputy Director (Examination & Reforms) of CBSE
- 12. The Research Officer (Technology) with the request to put this circular on the CBSE websites.
- 13. The Assistant Librarian, CBSE
- 14. The Public Relations Officer, CBSE
- 15. The Hindi Officer, CBSE
- 16. PS to Chairman, CBSE
- 17. PS to Secretary, CBSE
- 18. SO to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
- 19. PS to Director(Special Exams and CTET), CBSE
- 20. PA to Professor & Director (Academics, Research, Training & Innovation), CBSE
- 21. PA to Director (Information Technology)
- 22. PA to Director (EDUSAT)

Director (Academic, Research, Training & Innovation)

<u>CHECKLIST FOR COLLECTION OF STUDENT DATA – SBA</u> <u>CLASS IX/X: TERM-I, 2014-15</u>

1.	School Details:		
	i) Name of the School:		
	ii) Complete Address of the School	·	
	iii) CBSE's School Code:		
	iv) Name of the Principal:		
	v) Phone No. (School):		
	vi) Mobile No. (Principal):		
	vii) Email Id.:		
	viii) Website, if any:		
2.	 Subject/s of which Evidences of Asse i) English ii) Hindi iii) Mathematics iv) Science v) Social Science 	ssments are being sent {Please tick (√)}	
3.	Class for which Evidences of Assessmin in IX ii) X	nent are being sent {Please tick (√)}	
4.	Number of students in Class IX/X:		
5.	Number of students per section in Cl	ass IX/X:	
6.	Number of tasks in Formative Assess	sments.	
••	i) FA-1		
	ii) FA-2		
	11) 111 2		
7.	Number of written tasks in Formative i) FA-1 ii) FA-2	ve Assessments:	
8.	Criterion used in awarding final grad	des in Formative Assessments:	
i)	Best score of Individual and Group ac	tivity averaged with written assessment	
ii)	Best of All		
iii)	Average of selected tasks		
iv)	Any other criterion		

9. Type of tasks/activities in FA-1/FA-2

(The evidences sent must include the breakup of marks on different rubrics/parameters of each activity undertaken.)

FA-1/FA-2

S.NO.	TASK/ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION
1.	Written/ Pen- Paper test	Topics covered:
2.	Individual Activity	Nature of activity: Topics covered: Indicators of Assessment:
3.	Integrated Group Project (Multidisciplinary across subjects – English, Maths, Science, Social Science, Hindi)	Subjects integrated: Topics covered: Indicators of Assessment:
	or Any Group Activity	Nature of activity: Topics covered: Indicators of Assessment:
Other Comments:		

The details of one written (Pen/paper test), one individual activity and one group activity (including integrated group project) that have been taken into account for arriving at the grades for FA-1/FA-2 may be given.

10. Evidence of Assessment in Co-Scholastic Areas:

Report of Activities done (one page for each activity) to be attached - (*Refer to Annexure II for the format of the report/ write up*) indicating the following:

- a. Assessment tools used
- b. Mode of Assessment: Individual teacher/Team of teachers
- c. Measures employed to boost students' performance
- d. Indicators of Assessment used (in one page for each activity to be attached)

11. List and samples of students who have been selected for sending Evidence of Formative and Co-Scholastic Assessment (please refer to Annexure III for filling up the % of attendance)

Atte	ndan ce (%)															
Types of evidences	enclosed (Photograph s/CD/Scrap Book etc)															
	Cor- Curricu lar Activiti es															
	Attitud es and Values															
Grades	Visual and Perfor ming Arts															
	Work Educati on															
	Life Skills															
	SA-I (30)															
Marks	FA-1 + FA-2 (20)															
Ma	FA-2 (10)															
	FA-1 (10)															
Name of students &	Roll No./ Registration No. assigned by the Board															
	S. No.	1.	2.	3.	4.	S.	9.	7.	%	9.	10.	11.	12.	t 13.	14.	15.
Top level of Achievem ent (Top 05 students)			Middle level of	Achievem ent (Mid	05 students)			Bottom level	Achievement	(Bottom US						

12. List of CBSE published resources for Co-Scholastic Areas:

NAME OF THE PUBLICATION	PRICE	$\sqrt{1}$
CCE Manual for Teachers' – IX-X – 2011-13 (Under revision)	110.00	
CCE Manual for Teachers' – VI-VIII (Under revision)	110.00	
Formative Assessment teachers' Manuals (All subjects) (Under revision)	-	
Teachers' Manual on Life Skills – IX – X	246.00	
Life Skills Education – VI	36.00	
Life Skills Education – VII	45.00	
Life Skills Education – VIII	70.00	
Gender Sensitive Pedagogy – Teacher's Manual	130.00	
Values Education - A Handbook for Teachers	250.00	
Revised School Health Manual Vol. –I	70.00	
Revised School Health Manual Vol. –II	10.00	
Revised School Health Manual Vol. –III	130.00	
Revised School Health Manual Vol. –IV	140.00	
Environmental Education IX - Teachers Manual (Under revision)	40.00	

Environmental Education IX - Teachers Manual (Under revision)	40.00	
¹ Put a $$ against the publications which are available in the school's library for	ready refere	nce of the
teachers.		
13. Have the teachers attended any training programme conducted by C	BSE or an	empaneled
agency?	YES	NO
14. No. of teachers trained by CBSE or an empaneled agency?		
The Board recognizes training programmes conducted only by the Board its agencies (<u>Details of empanelled agencies</u>). In case you are not trained by any of <u>Training Management website</u> and get yourself registered for the trainings corits empanelled agencies.	f these, you n	ay visit the
I certify that the information given is correct and has been personally verified.		
Date:		
SIGNATURE OI	F HEAD OF	SCHOOL
NAME:	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	•••••
COMPLETE ADDRESS		•••••
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SEAL OF HEAD OF SCHOOL

FORMAT OF THE WRITE-UP (FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT/ CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT)

	FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT	FA-1/FA-2	
TYPE OF ASSESSMENT		Life Skills Work Education	
ASSESSIVIENT	CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT	Visual and Performing Arts	
	CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSIVE VI	Attitudes and Values	
		Co- Curricular Activities	
ACTIVITY CONDUCTED			
DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITY			
TOOLS USED			
PARAMETERS/ INDICATORS OF ASSESSMENT			
MODE OF ASSESSMENT (Individual Teacher/ Group of Teachers)			

	Sl. No. of the Student (As per Table 10)	Marks/Grade Awarded	Remarks about Achievement
	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
	4.		
	5.		
	6.		
STUDENTS' PERFORMANCE	7.		
FERFORMANCE	8.		
	9.		
	10.		
	11.		
	12.		
	13.		
	14.		
	15.		
MEASURES EMPLOYED TO BOOST STUDENTS' PERFORMANCE			
NATURE OF EVIDENCE ENCLOSED (Photographs, CD's, etc.)			

CALCULATING PERCENTAGE OF ATTENDANCE*

	Sl.	Name of Student	Month 1: Total no. of days:		Month 2: Total no. of days:		Average % of	
	No. Name of Student		No. of days attended	% of attendance	No. of days attended	% of attendance	attendance	
	1.	1.						
Top level of	2.	2.						
Achievement (Top 05	3.	3.						
students)	4.	4.						
	5.	5.						
	6.	1.						
Middle level of	7.	2.						
Achievement	8.	3.						
(Mid 05 students)	9.	4.						
students)	10.	5.						
	11.	1.						
Bottom level of	12.	2.						
Achievement	13.	3.						
(Bottom 05 students)	14.	4.						
students)	15.	5.						

Note*: The attendance record of selected students is to be sent for any two months out of April, July, August of Term I, 2014-15.

CHECKLIST FOR SENDING ATTACHMENTS/DETAILS OF PACKETS SENT

Please mark $\sqrt{\text{against those sent/received:}}$

S.NO.	PACKET NO.	ATTACHMENT	√ (by School) (1)	√ (by Subject Evaluator) (2)
1	1	Samples of evidences of assessments of 15 students for FA-1/FA-2 (Question paper, Answer sheets of unit test / class test, pictures, CD etc.)		
2	Formative Assessment	Write-ups on evidences of Formative Assessments that cannot be sent (if applicable)		
3		Copy of the Teachers' Diary/ Notes		
4	2	Write-ups and samples of activities done under Co- scholastic areas		
5	Co- scholastic	Write-ups on activities and indicators of assessment used for Co-scholastic Activities.		
6	Assessment	Student portfolio/Observation Scale/ Anecdotal Records used for co- scholastic areas and Activities		
7		Checklist for collection of Student Data (Annexure I and Annexure IV)		
8	3 Checklist	Photocopy of the Attendance register of any two months of Term-I, 2014-15 (April/July/August) highlighting the selected 15 candidates and Annexure III		

Note: This checklist is an important instrument for keeping track of the number and type of evidences sent by the school.

- For the school sending evidences: Please $\sqrt{ }$ carefully against the type of evidences sent in column 1, pack it along with the checklist in packet 3 and a copy of this checklist may be retained by you.
- The subject evaluators will $\sqrt{1}$ in column 2 after verifying the type of evidences received at the Nodal Centre.

Date:	
	SIGNATURE OF HEAD OF SCHOOL
	NAME:
	COMPLETE ADDRESS
	SEAL OF HEAD OF SCHOOL

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PACKING AND DISPATCH PROCEDURE OF EVIDENCE OF ASSESSMENTS

The Principal shall collect all the Evidences of Assessment. These should then be personally checked by him/her with the list of candidates whose Evidences of Formative Assessments in the assigned subject and Co-Scholastic Assessment are being sent. These shall comprise of the following:

(a) Packets containing Evidences of Formative Assessment (FA tasks and write ups on tasks that cannot be sent) and Co-scholastic Assessment must be packed separately, and address on the parcels containing these be written with the **colour of the ink** as under to easily distinguish the type of assessment the parcels belong to:

Packet 1: Formative Assessment - Black Colour Packet 2: Co- Scholastic Assessment - Blue Colour Packet 3: Checklist for collection of Student data - Red Colour

- (b) **Assessment-wise evidences** (for FA-1/FA-2 in the assigned subject and Co-scholastic assessment), should be collected and tied separately and placed inside separate envelopes with super scribing the following in bold letters on the top of envelop:
 - Name, Address and CBSE School Code of the School
 - Name of the subject (English/Hindi/Maths/Science/Social Science)
 - Assessment Type (Formative Assessment/Co- Scholastic Assessment/Checklist)
- (c) Packet should be marked as 1/3, 2/3, 3/3 for easy identification.
- (d) These packets (Assessment wise) should be packed in cloth, sealed and then packed again in cloth parcel(s) to be dispatched to respective Nodal Centres.
- (e) To distinguish parcels containing these materials related to CCE from being erroneously opened at the Nodal Centre, the following should be written in **Bold Letters with blue ink:**

'EVIDENCES OF SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT' TERM-I, 2014-15

(f) The Name, Address and CBSE School Code of the School should be written boldly at the Right corner of each packet in the Parcel.

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RECEIPT OF DELIVERY OF EVIDENCES OF ASSESSMENT TO THE COORDINATOR/BOARD'S REPRESENTATIVE

		sealed packets said to have following material		of School
No		pertaining to CCE 2014-15, Ter	rm I.	
	a)	Envelopes containing Evidence of Assessment Assessment and write-ups on evidence of FA sent, Attendance Records, Teachers' Diary, e	as that cannot be	One Packet
	b)	Envelope containing write- ups on activities of scholastic areas and indicators of assessment scholastic areas		One Packet
	c)	Checklist for collection of Student data - SBA	A	One Packet
Signa	ture of l	Board's Representative/City Coordinator's repre	esentative:	
		Name	:	
		Designation	:	
		Date	:	
		Time	:	

NOTE: Receipt to be prepared in duplicate

First Copy to be handed over/sent to the School Principal/Representative Second copy to be handed over to the concerned RO