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Subject: CBSE Expression Series 2015-16.

CBSE Expression Series is a 'Writing Series' initiated by CBSE in August 2014 as part of various activities conducted by the Board for the holistic development of students. For the year 2015-16, the 'CBSE Expression Series' are beginning from July 2015 onwards. The 'Expression Series' shall focus not only on the contribution of great leaders of India but also on several important issues related to women, society (both rural and urban) and nation. The details of the 'Expression Series' are as follow:

- The Series will be conducted on the second Friday and Saturday of the month.
- Topics will be uploaded on <u>www.cbseacademic.in</u> on the second Wednesday of the month.
- Entries, in form of Essays and Poems, can be submitted by students through online and offline link provided on <u>www.cbseacademic.in</u> or through mobile application.
- Students may submit their entries from schools as well as home.
- Entries can be submitted from 9.00 A.M. to 5.30P.M. on both the days.
- Students may express their thoughts and ideas in any of the **22 scheduled languages and English**.
- Selection will be based on originality and creativity. Students shall be contacted telephonically on the phone numbers provided by them to ascertain the originality of the entry submitted.
- The final winners shall be selected from three class categories, i.e. classes 1st to 5th, Classes 6th to 8th and classes 9th to 12th.
- An award of Rs. 2500/- will be given to the winners after submitting a bona-fide certificate from school.
- The winners shall be given a 'Certificate of Merit' and all participants shall get an online 'Certificate of Participation'.
- The winning entries will be compiled in a book/e-book for wider sharing of ideas and thoughts.
- The details of submission of entries are given at Annexure I, II, III & IV.
- To cater to the need of schools where the internet connectivity is limited, the Board has devised a registration-cum-response sheet (Annexure-IV), which may be downloaded, printed, photocopied for distributing to participants. After completion of activity, schools/ participants are required to scan it and send it to the links provided on www.cbseacademic.in or through the mobile application.

For any query, you may contact Dr. Praggya M Singh, Ass. Professor & Joint Director, at 011-23215130 or e-mail at praggyasingh.cbse@gmail.com.

With warm regards

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Copy with a request to respective Heads of Directorates/KVS/NVS/CTSA as indicated below to also disseminate the information to all concerned schools under their jurisdiction:

- 1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-110016.
- 2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, 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, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Islands.
- 9. The Secretary, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3 Rohini, Delhi-110085.
- 10. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A –Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001.
- 11. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010.
- 12. 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.
- 13. All Associate Professor & Additional Directors/ Advisors/ Consultants/Education Officers.
- 14. All Additional Director/ Joint Director/ Deputy Director/ Assistant Director, Vocational Cell.
- 15. The Officer in charge of I.T. with the request to put this circular on the CBSE websites.
- 16. All Assistant Professor & Joint Directors, CBSE
- 17. All Assistant Professor & Deputy Directors, CBSE
- 18. The Deputy Director (Examination & Reforms), CBSE
- 19. The Assistant Librarian, CBSE
- 20. The Public Relations Officer, CBSE
- 21. The Hindi Officer, CBSE
- 22. PS to Chairman, CBSE
- 23. PS to Secretary, CBSE
- 24. PS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
- 25. PS to Director (Special Exams and CTET), CBSE
- 26. PA to Professor & Director (Academics, Research, Training & Innovation), CBSE
- 27. PA to Director (Information Technology)

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Annexure I



Notes:

- 1. Entries sent through email will not be entertained at all.
- 2. Entries should not exceed 5MB in any format. Visually impaired students can also use the audio/video mode.
- 3. Those who use the online mode may register only once as multiple registration may lead to disqualification.
- 4. The entries should not exceed the word limit as mentioned.
- 5. The entries/ writings must be original.
- 6. The entries without the registration details will be disqualified. Plagiarism, if detected at any point of time, will lead to **disqualification of the prize**.
- 7. There will also be a telephonic interaction to ascertain the originality of the Entry.
- 8. Students can refer to as many resources as they can avail, however, the entries submitted must be in their own language.
- 9. Final entries shall be selected by a panel of experts.
- 10. No further communication will be entertained on the selected entries.
- 11. Each page of the entry submitted by the participant must have the contact details as given in the IV.



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Annexure III

Process flow for Offline Submission using Mobile Application

Schools are required to photocopy Annexure-IV and distribute to students interested in participating the series to fill in details.

All participants willing to participate may refer to following instructions:



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- 12. Entries received on the numbers other than the ones prescribed for a class category may be disqualified.

Annexure IV

<u>CBSE Expression Series Submission Form</u> (For Entries through offline link or Mobile Application Mode) <u>Registration/Response Sheet</u>

		Date:
Name of Participant:	Class:	Gender: M/F (tick one)
Differently Abled: Yes/No (tick one)		
Name of the School with complete address:		
Name of City/Village:	State:	
Contact Number of participant/parent (whichever is applicable): _		
Contact No. of School:		
Email address of participant/parent (whichever is applicable):		

Space provide to write (May use additional sheet with the same details as above):

Page No:			
Name of Participant/Student:		Class:	