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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, Delhi-110002

CBSE/ACAD/Addl. Dir.(R&I)/2016

Dated: 5th March, 2016 All the Heads of Institutions affiliated to CBSE,

Subject: Verification of Evidences of Assessment (EoA) of Class IX/X students for Term-II of the Academic Session 2015-2016.

Dear Principal,

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

With the purpose to ensure reliability and validity of assessment practices at school level, over the last few years the Board has initiated collection and verification of the 'Evidences of Assessment (EoA) conducted at school level. These Evidences of Assessment 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 it is evident by now, not all schools are selected for sending evidences in each term. The schools shortlisted by the Regional Office will be requested to send the **Evidences of Assessment for FA-3**, **FA -4 and evidences of Co-Scholastic assessment** of Classes IX/X of Term-II (Session 2015-2016). In formative assessment, these evidences will be collected in five subjects: Hindi, English, Mathematics, Science and Social Science. As the practice adopted in 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 Evidences of Assessment</u> and refer the following:

- 1. Detailed list of the schools selected for sending EAs for Term-II (subject and class assigned, details of City Coordinators/ Regional Office where the evidences are to be sent)

 Note: The list will be uploaded by15th March, 2016.
- 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

Evidences of Assessment comprise the performance of five students taken from each of the three categories i.e. **top, middle and bottom levels** of achievement in formative assessments.

- 1. Arrange all students of Class IX /X (all sections) in decreasing order of marks scored in FA-3 and FA-4 together.
- 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 'Evidences of Assessment' are to be sent in formative assessment as well as co-scholastic assessment.

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

EVIDENCES TO BE ENCLOSED

• FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT

The school is required to send details about the FA-3 and FA-4 tasks in the assigned subject; it should include the break-up of marks as well as the rubrics used for assessment. If the nature of the Evidences of Assessment (EoA) is such that cannot be sent like seminars, group discussion, models, charts etc. A brief write-up should 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 task assigned to students individually or in groups as well as the strategies adopted, the rubrics used for assessment and measures used to assess the student's performance. The schools should send only such tasks that have been taken into account for arriving at the grades for FA-3 and FA-4.

• SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT in Class IX (OTBA), Main Subjects only

The schools are <u>not</u> required to send evidences of Summative Assessment. They have to put only marks of SA-2 in the format provided. However, evidences are required to be submitted in OTBA (Class–IX). The school should submit the question paper of Class-IX (as received from CBSE) in the assigned subject along with the photocopies of pages where the OTBA questions have been answered by selected 15 students (whose FA samples have been enclosed).

*OTBA evidences are not applicable for schools which have been asked to submit evidences of Class X.

CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT

In case of co-scholastic assessment, please send write-ups, evidence of students outcome, photographs, anecdotal records, portfolios, CDs of the performance of selected 15 students. Please mention about those activities which were undertaken for Co-Scholastic Areas and Co-Curricular Activities, along with the assessment tools used, mode and rubrics of assessment. (*Refer to Annexure II for the format of write up*)

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

After you have been informed by the Regional Office, ensure that all the 'Evidences of Assessment (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 11th April, 2016. The schools are again urged to comply with the timeline so that feedback reports can be sent to them in time. It is essential that the checklist for collection of evidences (Annexure I, III and IV) is packed separately.

The schools may note that they will be asked to send their evidences only once during an academic session. Those schools, which are high scorers consequently (marks obtained are given in the bracket) in Term II (41,42) in 2013-14 and Term I (32,33) or Term II (35,36) in 2014-15 and (32,33) in Term I 2015-16 are not required to send the evidences of assessment for next four terms i.e. Term II 2015-16 and (Term I &Term II) 2016-17 and Term I 2017-18. 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 query kindly contact Mrs. Mridula Singh, Deputy Director at 011-23211200 or email at singhmcbse@gmail.com with a copy to undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/

(Smt. Sugandh Sharma)

Addl. Director (Research & 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-II, 2015-16

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, KendriyaVidyalayaSangathan, 18-Institutional Area, ShaheedJeet 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.
- All Associate Professor & Additional Directors/ Advisors/ Consultants/ Assistant Professor & Joint Directors/ Assistant Professor & Deputy Directors
- 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)

Addl. Director (Research & Innovation)

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<u>CHECKLIST FOR COLLECTION OF STUDENT DATA – SBA</u> <u>CLASS IX/X: TERM-II, 2015-16</u>

1.	School Details:	
	i) Name of the School:	
	ii) Complete Address of the School	<u>.</u>
	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	ssment are being sent {Please tick ($$)}
3.	Class for which Evidences of Assessri i) IX ii) X	nent are being sent {Please tick (\sqrt{)}}
4.	Number of students in Class IX/X:	
5.	Number of students per section in Cl	lass IX/X:
6.	Number of tasks in Formative Assess i) FA-3 ii) FA-4	sment:
7.	Number of written tasks in Formativ i) FA-3 ii) FA-4	ve Assessment:
8.	Criterion used in awarding final gra	des in Formative Assessment:
i)	Best score of Individual and Group ac	tivity averaged with written assessment
i) ii)	Best of All	
iii)		
iv)		

9. Type of tasks/activities in FA-3 & FA-4

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

FA-3 & FA-4

S.NO.	TASK/ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION
1.	Written/ Pen-Paper test	Topics covered:
2.	Individual Activity	Nature of activity: Topics covered: Rubrics for Assessment:
3.	Integrated Group Project or Any Group Activity (Multidisciplinary across subjects – English/ Maths/Science/Social Science/Hindi/ ICT/Visual & Performing Arts)	Subjects integrated/Nature of Group activity: Topics covered: Rubrics for Assessment:
O	ther 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-3 & FA-4 may be given.

10. Evidences 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 improve students' performance
- d. Rubrics used for Assessment (in one page for each activity to be attached)

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

	Atte ndan	(%)															
Types of	Types of evidences enclosed (Photograph s/CD/Scrap Book etc.)																
	<i>C</i> - V S	(30)															
	FA-3+	FA-4 (20)															
		Group Activity															
Marks	FA-4 (10)	Individual Activity															
Ma		Pen Paper Test															
	FA-3 (10)	Group Activity															
		Individua I Activity															
		Pen Paper Test															
Name of students & Roll No./ Registration No. assigned by the Board																	
	S. No.		1.	2.	3.	4	<i>5</i> .	6.	7.	%	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
			Top level of	Achievem ent (Top	05 students)			Middle level of	Achievem ent (Mid	05 students)			Bottom level	Achievement	(Bottom 05 students)		

11.~(B) List and samples of students who have been selected for sending Evidences of Co-Scholastic Assessment

Types of evidences	enclosed (Photographs/C D/Scrap Book etc)															
	Co-Curricular Activities															
	Attitude and Values															
Grades	Visual and Performing Arts															
	Work Education															
	Life Skills															
Name of students & Roll No./ Registration No. assigned by the Board (Same as 11A)																
S. No.		1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	.9	.7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
			Top level of	Achievement (Top 05	students)			Middle level	or Achievement (Mid 05	students)			Bottom level of	Achievement (Bottom 05	students)	

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	110.00	
CCE Manual for Teachers' – VI-VIII	110.00	
Formative Assessment teachers' Manuals (All subjects)	-	
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 I- VIII - Teachers Manual	40.00	
Integrating Co-scholastic Activities in teaching at Upper Primary Level – VI - VIII	55.00	

¹ Put a $\sqrt{}$ against the publications which are available in the school's library for ready reference of the teachers.

13. Have the teachers attended any training	programme conducted by CBSE?		
		YES	NO
14. No. of teachers trained by CBSE?			
The Board recognizes training programmes comby Board, you may visit the <u>Training Managent</u> conducted by the Board.	ž v		
I certify that the information given is correct ar	nd has been personally verified.		
Date:			
	SIGNATURE OF HEAD	OF THE	SCHOOI
	NAME:	•••••	•••••
	COMPLETE ADDRESS		

SEAL OF THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

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

	FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT	FA-3& FA-4
TYPE OF ASSESSMENT	CO-SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT	Life Skills Work Education Visual and Performing Arts Attitudes and Values Co- Curricular Activities
ACTIVITY CONDUCTED		
DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITY		
TOOLS USED		
RUBRICS FOR 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.		
TEM ORWANCE	8.		
	9.		
	10.		
	11.		
	12.		
	13.		
	14.		
	15.		
MEASURES EMPLOYED TO ENHANCE STUDENTS' PERFORMANCE (diagnosis of difficult areas, providing feedback & remediation) with evidences			
NATURE OF EVIDENCES ENCLOSED (Photographs, CD's,Student outcome, anecdotal record, portfolio)			

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CALCULATING PERCENTAGE OF ATTENDANCE

	Sl.	Name of Student	Month 1: Total no. o	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.					
N. 1 11 1 1	6.	1.					
Middle level of	7.	2.					
Achievement	8.	3.					
(Mid 05 students)	9.	4.					
students)	10.	5.					
D	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 October – January, of Term II, 2015-16.

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CHECKLIST FOR SENDING ATTACHMENTS/DETAIL 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-3&FA-4 (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 (Refer to FAQ no. 23)		
4	2 Co-	Write-ups and samples of activities done under Co-scholastic areas		
5	scholastic Assessment	Write-ups on activities and indicators of assessment used for Co-scholastic Activities.		
6		Checklist for collection of Student Data (Annexure I and Annexure IV)		
7	3 Checklist	Photocopy of the Attendance register of any two months of Term-II , 2015-16 highlighting the selected 15 students and Annexure III		
8		Student portfolios/Observation Scales/ Anecdotal Records		

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 EVIDENCES OF ASSESSMENT

The Principal shall collect all the Evidences of Assessment. These should then be personally checked by him/her with the list of candidates who's 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 evidences the parcels belong to:

Packet 1: Formative Assessment - Black Colour Packet 2: Co- Scholastic Assessment - Blue Colour Packet 3: Checklist - Red Colour

- (b) **Assessment-wise evidences** (for FA-3 & FA-4 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-II, 2015-16

(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 materia pertaining to CCE 2015-16, Te		of School
110		pertaining to CCL 2013 10, 10		
	a)	Envelopes containing Evidence of Assessment Assessment and write-ups on evidence of Fasent, Teachers' Diary, etc.		One Packet
	b)	Envelope containing write- ups on activities scholastic areas and indicators of assessmen scholastic areas.		One Packet
	c)	Checklist for collection of Student data – St Attendance Records, Student portfolios/Obs Anecdotal Records.		One Packet
Sign	nature of	Board's Representative/City Coordinator's rep	resentative:	
		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 Regional Officer