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CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

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All Heads of Institutions affiliated to CBSE

**Subject: Observing Vigilance Awareness Week, 2017 in Schools.**

In inviting reference to D.O.No 017/VGL/049/357786 dated 20.09.2017 from Secretary, Central Vigilance Commission (CVC), wherein the Central Vigilance Commission has decided that this year the Vigilance Awareness Week would be observed from 30<sup>th</sup> October to 4<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 on the theme “**My Vision-Corruption Free India**”(“मेरा लक्ष्य –भ्रष्टाचार मुक्त भारत”)..

2. As you are aware, the Central Vigilance Commission as the apex integrity institution of the country to promote integrity, transparency and accountability in public life, organises the Vigilance Awareness Week every year during the last week of October to coincide with the birthday of Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel on 31st October. Vigilance Awareness Week for the year is being organised from 30th October to 04th November, 2017 on the theme “My Vision-Corruption Free India”. Therefore, all schools are advised to observe Vigilance Awareness Week, Rashtriya Ekta Diwas and provide facilities for students to take the online “**Integrity Pledge**” available at [www.cvc.nic.in](http://www.cvc.nic.in) on a voluntary basis.
3. It is also desirable if schools organize various activities during Vigilance Awareness Week reflecting the aforementioned theme and ensuring maximum sensitisation of students on this issue. Activities to be conducted by schools are:
  - Slogan writing/ Cartoon making on ‘corruption free India’
  - Elocution on ‘How can Values education contribute in controlling corruption’
  - Street play on ‘How does corruption tarnish the image of country in the global perspective’
  - Debate on ‘Ethical practices in organisations bring down corruption’
  - Essay writing ‘Role of IT in making India corruption free’
  - Organize a Pledge Ceremony in school (Pledge enclosed as Annexure 1) on October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017
  - Participate in the ‘**Run for Unity**’ being organized at the state/district headquarters. Fitness and health condition of students should be kept in kind.
  - Administration of “Integrity Pledge” by the students, teachers and other staff member of the school on 30.10.2017 in the school as per the copy of the “Integrity Pledge” to be uploaded by CBSE.
  - Creation of “Integrity Club” in schools in order to sustain activities conducted in schools during VAW-2017, over a period of time and to ensure that ethical values are ingrained permanently in the minds of students.

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4. The report of activities, feedback in 150-200 words including one photograph may be uploaded on the link provided from 30-10-2017 to 04-11-2017 on CBSE Academics website. : [www.cbseacademic.in](http://www.cbseacademic.in)

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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. Secretary, Central Vigilance Commission, Satarkta Bhawan, GPO Complex, Block A, INA, New Delhi-110023
2. Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, ND-16
3. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
4. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
5. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160 017
6. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
7. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
8. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair - 744101
9. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Island
10. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
11. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A – Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
12. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
13. 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
14. All Additional Directors /Joint Directors/Deputy Directors/Assistant Directors, CBSE
15. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
16. The Assistant Librarian, CBSE
17. The Public Relations Officer, CBSE
18. EO to Chairperson, CBSE
19. SPS to Secretary, CBSE
20. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
21. SPS to Director (Information Technology), CBSE
22. SPS to Director (Special Exams and CTET), CBSE

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### सत्यनिष्ठा प्रतिज्ञा

मेरा विश्वास है कि हमारे देश की आर्थिक, राजनीतिक तथा सामाजिक प्रगति में भ्रष्टाचार एक बड़ी बाधा है। मेरा विश्वास है कि भ्रष्टाचार का उन्मूलन करने के लिए सभी संबंधित पक्षों जैसे सरकार, नागरिकों तथा निजी क्षेत्र को एक साथ मिल कर कार्य करने की आवश्यकता है।

मेरा मानना है कि प्रत्येक नागरिक को सतर्क होना चाहिए तथा उसे सदैव ईमानदारी तथा सत्यनिष्ठा के उच्चतम मानकों के प्रति वचनबद्ध होना चाहिए तथा भ्रष्टाचार के विरुद्ध संघर्ष में साथ देना चाहिए।

अतः, मैं प्रतिज्ञा करता हूँ कि :-

- जीवन के सभी क्षेत्रों में ईमानदारी तथा कानून के नियमों का पालन करूँगा ;
- ना तो रिश्वत लूँगा और ना ही रिश्वत दूँगा ;
- सभी कार्य ईमानदारी तथा पारदर्शी रीति से करूँगा ;
- जनहित में कार्य करूँगा ;
- अपने निजी आचरण में ईमानदारी दिखाकर उदाहरण प्रस्तुत करूँगा ;
- भ्रष्टाचार की किसी भी घटना की रिपोर्ट उचित एजेन्सी को दूँगा।

### Integrity Pledge

I believe that corruption has been one of the major obstacles to economic, political and social progress of our country. I believe that all stakeholders such as Government, citizens and private sector need to work together to eradicate corruption.

I realise that every citizen should be vigilant and commit to highest standards of honesty and integrity at all times and support the fight against corruption.

I, therefore, pledge:

- To follow probity and rule of law in all walks of life;
- To neither take nor offer bribe;
- To perform all tasks in an honest and transparent manner;
- To act in public interest;
- To lead by example exhibiting integrity in personal behaviour;
- To report any incident of corruption to the appropriate agency.



राष्ट्रीय एकता दिवस शपथ

मैं सत्यनिष्ठा से शपथ लेता हूँ कि मैं राष्ट्र की एकता, अखंडता और सुरक्षा को बनाये रखने के लिए स्वयं को समर्पित करूँगा और अपने देशवासियों के बीच यह सन्देश फैलाने का भी भरसक प्रयत्न करूँगा। मैं यह शपथ अपने देश की एकता की भावना से ले रहा हूँ जिसे सरदार वल्लभभाई पटेल की दूरदर्शिता एवं कार्यो द्वारा संभव बनाया जा सका। मैं अपने देश की आंतरिक सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने के लिये अपना योगदान करने का भी सत्यनिष्ठा से संकल्प करता हूँ।

RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS PLEDGE

I solemnly pledge that I dedicate myself to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the nation and also strive hard to spread this message among my fellow countrymen. I take this pledge in the spirit of unification of my country which was made possible by the vision and actions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. I also solemnly resolve to make my own contribution to ensure internal security of my country.