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CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

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Date: 23.08.2024

All the Heads of Schools
Affiliated to CBSE

Subject: "Awareness Campaign against drug abuse...Say no to drugs and yes to life"

Dear Principals,

The Narcotics Control Bureau (abbr. NCB) is an Indian central law enforcement and intelligence agency under the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. The agency is tasked with combating drug trafficking and the use of illegal substances under the provisions of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act.

Established in 1986, it is responsible for coordination with the Indian state governments and other central departments, implementation of India's international obligations with regard to drug trafficking, and assisting international and foreign drug law enforcement agencies.

Substance abuse has become a significant concern in contemporary times, depriving young minds of their most productive and promising years. It is imperative to cultivate a supportive environment in schools, families, and communities to mitigate the risks associated with substance use and to promote a culture of overall well-being and development.

Substance abuse, also known as drug abuse, is the use of a drug in amounts or by methods that are harmful to the individual or others. It is a form of substance-related disorder. Differing definitions of drug abuse are used in public health, medical, and criminal justice contexts.

In collaboration with NCB, CBSE is organizing an Awareness Campaign against substance abuse for students at Modern School, Vasant Vihar, New Delhi, on 28 August 2024 (Wednesday). Senior Officers from both NCB and CBSE would attend the event, which will focus on educating and engaging students and the broader school community on combating substance abuse and promoting a drug-free lifestyle.

We encourage all schools to participate in the campaign online, which will be live-streamed on the CBSE YouTube Channel.

Live-streaming Link: https://youtube.com/live/7FKdZ-U_rY

Date & Day: 28 August 2024 (Wednesday)

Time: 10:00 AM onwards

We also request that you disseminate this information among students, teachers, parents, and other stakeholders, encouraging them to participate in this important campaign online. Your involvement is vital in advancing our collective efforts to combat substance abuse.

Best wishes,

(Himanshu Gupta)
Secretary



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Copy to the respective Heads of Schools, Directorates, Organizations and Institutions as indicated below with a request to disseminate the information to all the schools under their jurisdiction:

1. The Director General, Narcotics Control Bureau, RK Puram, New Delhi- 110066
2. The Deputy Director General (Awareness), Narcotics Control Bureau, RK Puram, New Delhi- 110066
3. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-16
4. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
5. The Secretary, Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India
6. The Secretary, Sainik Schools Society, Room No. 101, D-1 Wing, Sena Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001
7. The Chairman, Odisha Adarsha Vidyalaya Sangathan, N-1/9, Near Doordarshan Kendra, PO Sainik School Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar, Odhisha-751005
8. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi- 110 054
9. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh- 160017
10. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
11. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791111
12. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair – 744101
13. The Director of School Education, Ladakh, Room No.101-102, Ground Floor, Council Secretariat, Kurbathang, Kargil - Ladakh
14. The Director of School Education, Andhra Pradesh, 3rd Floor, B block, Anjaneya Towers, VTPS Rd, Bhimaraju Gutta, Ibrahimpatnam, Andhra Pradesh – 521456
15. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector -3, Rohini, Delhi
16. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A –Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi- 110001
17. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
18. The State Project Director, Odisha Adarsha Vidyalaya Sangathan, N-1/9, Nayapalli, P.O. Sainik School, Bhubaneswar, District- Khorda, Odisha-751005
19. DS to the Chairperson, CBSE
20. All the Directors/ Controller of Examinations/ CVO, CBSE
21. 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.
22. All Joint Secretary/ Deputy Secretary/ Under Secretary/ Assistant Secretary, CBSE
23. All Head(s)/ In-Charge(s), Centre of Excellence, CBSE
24. Joint Secretary (IT Unit) with the request to upload this circular on the CBSE Website

Secretary