

केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन)

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To.

All the Principals/Heads of Institutions, Affiliated Schools, CBSE. (Through CBSE website)

Subject:

Fixation of CBSE affiliated schools as NIOS Exam. Centers for the conduct

of Public Examinations scheduled for April/May-2026.

Madam/Sir,

The National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS), an autonomous institution under the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Government of India, conducts Public Examinations twice a year April/May and October/November for Secondary (Class X), Senior Secondary (Class XII) and Vocational Courses. NIOS is the largest open and distance learning system in the country, catering especially to the educational needs of the most disadvantaged sections of society.

Every year, NIOS avails the services and infrastructure of CBSE-affiliated schools for the smooth conduct of its examinations. The next Public Examinations of NIOS are scheduled to be held in April/May 2026.

In this regard, you are requested to kindly extend your cooperation and provide your consent for hosting the Public Examinations by registering through the link: https://exams.nios.ac.in. The norms for establishing an Exam Centre are also available on the NIOS website. The portal for online submission of applications will remain open from 01.12.2025 to 31.12.2025.

Your support will assist NIOS in conducting the Public Examinations for its learners.

Looking forward to your continued cooperation & support.

With regards,

(Dr. Sanyam Bhardwaj) Controller of Examinations

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