



केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड
(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन)
CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION
(An Autonomous Organisation under the Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In the country, there are two National School Boards under the Ministry of Education, Government of India i.e. CBSE and NIOS. CBSE is offering education through face to face mode while NIOS is offering education through Open and Distance Education Mode. The following are the essential requirements for appearing in the Board examinations conducted by the CBSE:-

1. Class X and Class XII are two years programme comprising of Class IX and Class X and Class XI and Class XII respectively. Accordingly, all subjects should have studied for 2 years by a student to become eligible for appearing in the examinations.
2. It is mandatory for the students to have minimum 75% attendance.
3. In all the subjects offered by the CBSE, internal assessment is a compulsory integral part of the assessment as per NEP-2020. It is a 2 year long process. If a student does not attend school, his/her internal assessment cannot be done. In the absence of performance in internal assessment, a student's result cannot be declared. Such students even if they are regular students will be placed in 'Essential Repeat Category'.
4. CBSE offers additional subjects in Class X and Class XII. In Class X, students can offer 2 subjects in addition to compulsory 5 subjects and in Class XII, only 01 additional subject can be offered. Students offering additional subjects will study the additional subject for 2 years.
5. Even in affiliated schools, if a school has not taken permission from CBSE to offer any subject and they do not have teachers, labs etc., their students are not allowed to offer such subjects as main or additional subjects.
6. If a regular student has offered additional subject(s) in previous years and has been placed either in "Compartment" or "Essential Repeat" category, they can appear as a private candidate under compartment or Essential Repeat Category.
7. A student who is not meeting the above conditions is not eligible for examinations in additional subjects in Board examinations as a private candidate.

This is for the information of the stakeholders.


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