Some Useful Information



For class X & XII

Class X

- 1. The year, 2011 was the first year where one set of children appeared for School Based SA-2 and the other set for Board Based SA-2 and the same scheme would continue for 2012.
- **2.** For Board Based SA-2, a date sheet has been issued and examination would commence from 1st March, 2012 and would conclude on 26th March, 2012.

CLASS-X

Subject	Date of Exam
Mathematics	02.03.2012
English	16.3.2012
Science	20.3.2012
Hindi	22.3.2012
Social Science	26.3.2012

- 3. The syllabus for Class X Examination has been bifurcated and entitled Term-I and Term-II
- **4.** There would be no difference between students appearing for school based or board based SA-2.
- **5.** The question papers would be as per Sample Paper as well as last year Paper. Content coverage for both types of question papers (Board/School Based) would be the same.
- **6.** Conduct of separate paper in the subjects of Practical Skills in Science and Foundation of Information Technology has been done away with last year itself, in view of the introduction of CCE system and the fact that the practical aspects are being taken care of in the Formative Assessments.
- **7.** The Board is providing a separate question paper in enlarge print for blind candidates in Mathematics and Science. The board is also providing question paper in Braille for these candidates.
- **8.** In the case of School Based SA-2, the Board is providing question paper banks in the form of CD for English Communicative, English Language & Literature, Hindi-A, Hindi-B, Mathematics, Science, Social Science and Communicative Sanskrit. The schools would prepare their own date sheet and evaluation for SA-2 would be carried out in the schools by the teachers of the schools as per marking scheme provided by the Board through a CD. However, this year a **software** for downloading the question paper is also being provided.

- **9.** For SA-II of Class IX and X (School Based), the Board would issue time schedule for the conduct of the School Based Examination.
- **10.** In 2012 common certificate will be issued to all the candidates by the Board, whether appearing for the Board Based or School Based Summative Assessment-II.

A candidate who has passed at the Secondary School Examination under the Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation shall be issued Certificate of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation indicating the grades obtained in the subjects under Scholastic Area A and grades obtained in the subjects under Scholastic Area B and Coscholastic Areas.



Once the result has been declared, the student who would be **Eligible for Improvement of Performance (EIOP)** would apply to the Board for their improvement of performance (in both the cases).

11. In the case of Class-X, a candidate who wish to appear for 1st Chance of Improvement of Performance would apply as per the option exercised for the Main Examination held in March, the same year meaning thereby, if a candidate has appeared for Board Based, he/she would appear from the Board and if a candidate has appeared for School Based, he/she would appear from the school. However, for subsequent second, third, fourth, and fifth chances of Improvement of Performance, a candidate would apply at the examination to be conducted by the Board.

12. Verification of Grades:

- a) <u>Appeared for Board Based SA-II in March</u> Apply to the Board for Verification of Grades
- ✓ Within 05 Days from the Date of Declaration of Result, only Online, with requisite fee of Rs.300/- per subject.
- ✓ Within 21 days from the date of declaration of result either Online or Offline with requisite fee of Rs.200/- per subject.
- b) Appeared for School Based SA-II in March
- ✓ Apply to the School for Verification of Grades within 21 days from the date of declaration of result.
- c) <u>Eligible for First Chance Improvement of Performance, July, 2011 in One or All the Five Subjects under Scholastic Area A</u>

Appeared for Board Based Examination in March: To Apply to the Board through the School concerned & examination will be held by the Board from 16th July

Appeared for School Based Examination in March: To Apply to the School and Examination will be conducted by the School by July

Class XII

- **1.** For class XII a date sheet has been issued and examination would commence from 1st March, 2012 and would conclude on 16.4.2012
- **2.** The Board has ensured that sufficient gap has been provided between the two subjects offered by majority of students:

CLASS-XII

Science	Humanities	Commerce
English (01.3.2012)	English (01.3.2012)	English (01.3.2012)
	Hindi (19.3.2012)	Hindi (19.3.2012)
Physics (05.3.2012)	History (14.3.2012)	B. Studies (6.3.2012)
Chemistry (13.3.2012)	Economics (21.3.2012)	Accountancy (15.3.2012)
Biology (17.3.2012)	Geography (4.4.2012)	Economics (21.3.2012)
Mathematics (24.3.2012)	Pol. Sci.* (16.4.2012)	Mathematics (24.3.2012)

^{*}Exam in Political Science scheduled for 3.3.2012 has now been postponed to 16.4.2012.

If there is any concern related with gap in two particular subjects which is not as per last year. Then, it should be noted that Board has got 181 subjects in Class-XII and efforts are made to provide sufficient gap between the two subjects offered by majority of candidates.

- **3.** For March-2012 Examination, the Board has allowed students Bilingual medium for writing Board Examination in Hospitality & Tourism Course.
- **4.** From 2012 examination like last year, separate question papers in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics for Class XII will also be provided without visual input for Blind candidates

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATIONS

- **5.** For 2012 examinations, the Main answer book (without Graph) for Classes XII and X will contain 32 pages as against 40 and 32 pages respectively. Answer book (with Graph) both for Classes XII & X will contain 48 pages as per previous year.
- **6.** As per Bye-laws of the Board, the Board is extending a number of relaxations/facilities to these candidates:
 - Exemption to Blind, those suffering from vision, speech or hearing defects, Physically Handicapped, Autistic, Dyslexic, Spastic and candidates with disabilities as defined in the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995.
 - Free of Cost facility to use an amanuensis.
 - Option of studying one compulsory language as against two. This language should be in consonance with the overall spirit of the Three Language Formula prescribed by the Board.
 - Schools are expected to extend relaxations to these candidates in other classes also.

Additional time is given:

- For paper of 3 hours duration 60 min.
- For paper of 2 ½ hours duration 50 min.
- For paper of 2 hours duration 40 min.
- For paper of 1 ½ hours duration 30 min.
- 7. Regarding shortage of attendance every student must obtain 75% of attendance. There may be a relaxation of 15% in the case of illness or a student participating in national level sports' activities given an exemption up to 15%.
- **8.** Regarding the observations /complaint regarding a question paper of a subject, the Board has a provision to call the experts of a particular subject on the day of examination to come for a meeting in CBSE HQ at 11'O clock. The question paper of the day is provided to them and they go through the question paper and
 - analyze to ensure that the question paper is as per sample paper, blue print and design prescribed by the Board. They also analyze that the question paper does not contain any part which is out of syllabus and also certify that the difficulty level of the question paper is in order. Error of any sort is taken care of on the day of examination as well as at the time of finalization of the marking scheme. The Board takes all necessary steps to ensure that the question paper is error free and conforms to the blue print and design.
- 9. Like last year, the Board would be declaring the results in the month of May, 2012.