

Nagaland Board of School Education

Kohima

No. NBE-3/Ad-Tb(10)/2020/567

Dated Kohima the 22nd May 2020

To,

All the Heads of Registered Institutions of the Board.

Subject: **Class VIII syllabus for the academic session 2020.**

Sir/Madam,

This is to inform all the registered institutions of the Board that the **Class VIII Final examination for the Government schools only** will be conducted based on the syllabus given in the Annexure attached. This is based on the syllabus of Class VIII prepared by the SCERT. However, due to the unprecedented situation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent lockdown of the educational institutions, certain modifications have been done keeping in mind the interest of the students.

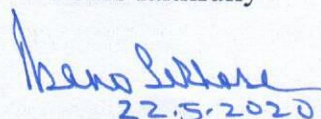
The Topics or Units which are not included in the *Annexure* for external examination have to be assessed by the schools internally based on the concept of CCE which is being followed by the Board. The marks for the internal assessment will remain the same i.e. 20 marks.

The schools will maintain a proper record of the internal assessment done and the marks secured by the students shall be submitted to this office along with the final result of the external examination.

The Board shall conduct the Class VIII Final Examination 2020 **based on the syllabus given in the Annexure only**. The marks for the final examination will remain the same i.e. 80 marks. The same marking pattern shall also be followed by the private schools for the conduct of Class VIII Final examination.

Schools are reminded and requested again to encourage their students to view the DD telecast of the lessons for Class VIII. All possible measures may kindly be initiated by the schools to support the students learning in these times of crisis. Secondly, guidelines issued by the Government of Nagaland from time to time should be adhered to.

Yours faithfully



(Mrs. Asano Sekhose)


Chairman

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Copy to:

1. The Principal Secretary to the Government of Nagaland, Department of School Education & SCERT, Nagaland, Kohima for information.
2. The Principal Director, School Education, Nagaland, Kohima for information.
3. The Director, SCERT, Nagaland, Kohima for information.
4. All the DEOs/Sr.SDEOs/SDEOs for information & necessary action.
He/She is requested to disseminate the contents of this letter to the Schools under his/her jurisdiction.
5. All the Principals/Headmasters of Centre Schools for information & necessary action.
He/She is requested to disseminate the contents of this letter to the Govt. Middle Schools under his/her centre.



(Mrs. Asano Sekhose)

Chairman

CLASS VIII

I. ENGLISH

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

1. PROSE

- a. The Best Christmas Present in the World
- b. The Tsunami
- c. Bepin Choudhury's Lapse of Memory
- d. The Great Stone Face –I
- e. The Great Stone Face –II

2. POETRY

- a. The Ant and the Cricket (adopted from Aesop's fables)
- b. The Last Bargain – Rabindranath Tagore
- c. The School Boy – William Blake

II. GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

1. GRAMMAR

- a. Appropriate Prepositions after Verbs
- b. Appropriate Prepositions after Nouns
- c. Appropriate Prepositions after Adjectives and Participles
- d. The Phrase and the Clause
- e. Sentences- Simple, Compound and Complex
- f. Active and Passive Voice
- g. Tenses

2. COMPOSITION

- a. Comprehension
- b. Notices and Messages
- c. Posters and Post cards
- d. Letter Writing
- e. Essay Writing

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III. HINDI

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

SECTION A – LITERATURE

Prose:

1. Papa ne do nibandh likhe
2. Bahane ki bimari
3. Van sampada evam sanrakshan
4. Football ke khilari
5. Karat-karat abhyas ke
6. Namak

Poetry:

1. Hum sab suman ek upavan ke
2. Pushpa ki abhilasha
3. Nar ho, na niraash karo man ko

SECTION B – GRAMMAR & WRITING

1. Grammar
2. Translation
3. Letter writing (Patra Lekhan)

IV. MATHEMATICS

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

Name of the Chapters

1. Rational Numbers
2. Linear Equations in one variable
3. Understanding Quadrilaterals
4. Practical Geometry
5. Data Handling
6. Squares & Square roots
7. Algebraic Expressions & Identities
8. Mensuration
9. Exponents & Powers
10. Direct & Inverse Variations
11. Factorisation

Mathematics textbook for Class VIII by National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT)

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V. SCIENCE

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

Chapter 2:	Micro-organisms: Friend and Foe
Chapter 4:	Materials: Metals and Non-Metals
Chapter 5:	Coal and Petroleum
Chapter 8:	Cell-Structure and Functions
Chapter 9:	Reproduction in Animals
Chapter 11:	Force and Pressure
Chapter 12:	Friction
Chapter 13:	Sound
Chapter 14:	Chemical effects of Electric current
Chapter 16:	Light
Chapter 18:	Pollution of Air and Water

VI. SOCIAL SCIENCES

CHAPTERS FOR EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT:

	Unit – I (History)
Chapter 1 :	Establishment of Company Powers
Chapter 2 :	Administrative Structure, Growth of Colonial Army and Civilian administration
Chapter 4 :	The Revolt of 1857-58
Chapter 6 :	Education and Social Reforms
Chapter 8 :	India after Independence
	Unit – II (Geography)
Chapter 10 :	Agriculture
Chapter 11 :	Industries.
Chapter 13 :	Mountains and Rivers of Nagaland (Only Map Work)
Chapter 14 :	Natural and Man-made Disasters
	Unit – III (Social and Political Life)
Chapter 15 :	The constitution - Its role and need of Laws
Chapter 16 :	The Judiciary.
Chapter 18 :	Economic presence of the Government

Note: *The subjects Nagaland Heritage Studies (English & Local Dialect), Life Skills Education and General Knowledge shall be internally assessed by the schools. The marks and grades secured by the student shall be taken into account for result preparation/declaration.*

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