



केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

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

CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

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All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: *Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya* – reg.

Dear Principal

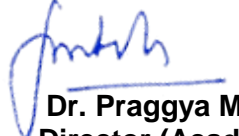
Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya, the National Digital Library for Children and Adolescents, an initiative by the Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, Government of India, aims to provide free access to high-quality books for children and adolescents across different geographies, languages, genres, and educational levels.

The application is available on Android and iOS platforms and is a digital toolkit for students, librarians, and teachers. It offers thousands of books well categorized in age-groups (3-8, 8-11, 11-14, 14-18) with age-appropriate stories, biographies, classics, science fiction, novels etc. It also has provisions for creating digital readers' clubs and interactive sessions and monitoring readers' progress.

Further, to help the schools adapt to the application, the Communications Team of *Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya* will conduct orientation sessions for schools, both online and in-person. For this purpose, a dedicated helpline number +91 9319703004 has been set up. The schools may nominate one Nodal Officer to attend the orientation sessions and events related to *Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya* application. Name of the Nodal Officer along with contact details (email and mobile number) may be sent to rashtriyaepustakalaya@gmail.com

You are requested to disseminate the above information among the students and teachers of your school and encourage them to take advantage of the *Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya* app for developing a habit of reading with access to thousands of free digital books. This will help in creating a generation of well-read citizens.

With Best Wishes


Dr. Praggya M Singh
Director (Academics)

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

1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18 Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-16
2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
3. The Secretary, Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India
4. The Secretary, Sainik Schools Society, Room No. 101, D-1 Wing, Sena Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
5. The Chairman, Odisha Adarsha Vidyalaya Sangathan, N-1/9, Near Doordarshan



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- Kendra, PO Sainik School Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar, Odhisha-751005
6. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
 7. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160017
 8. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
 9. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
 10. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair – 744101
 11. The Director of School Education, Ladakh, Room No.101-102, Ground Floor, Council Secretariat, Kurbathang, Kargil - Ladakh
 12. The Director of School Education, Andhra Pradesh, 3rd Floor, B block, Anjaneya Towers, VTPS Rd, Bhimaraju Gutta, Ibrahimpatnam, Andhra Pradesh – 521 456
 13. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector -3, Rohini, Delhi
 14. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A –Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
 15. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
 16. DS to Chairperson, CBSE
 17. Secretary/ Controller of Examinations/ All Directors, CBSE
 18. 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
 19. All Joint Secretary/ Deputy Secretary/ Under Secretary/ Assistant Secretary, CBSE
 20. All Head(s)/ In-Charge(s), Centre of Excellence, CBSE
 21. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this Circular on the CBSE Academic Website
 22. In-Charge, Library
 23. Record File

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