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All Heads of Institutions affiliated to CBSE

Subject: Release of CBSE Curriculum for the Academic Session 2026-27 for Classes IX-XII

1. The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) is set to release the Curriculum for the Academic Session 2026–27 for Classes XI and XII on April 1, 2026.
2. As CBSE is implementing the scheme of studies recommended in National Curriculum Framework for School Education (NCF-2023) in Class IX from this year, the Curriculum for Classes IX and X will be released on April 2, 2026. A special webinar will be conducted for clarification on the Scheme of Studies and other changes outlined in the initial pages of the Curriculum Secondary Part-I 2026–27.
3. The webinar will be organised in the auditorium at CBSE Headquarters, CBSE Integrated Office Complex, Sector-23, Dwarka, at 3:00 PM on April 2, 2026 for the release of the Class IX curriculum. The link of the webinar is <https://youtube.com/live/gtmhBBjT38o>.
4. The complete Curriculum documents for Classes IX–XII will be available at the usual place on the CBSE Academic Portal, i.e., the 'Curriculum 2026-27 tab' at https://cbseacademic.nic.in/curriculum_2027.html
5. All affiliated schools are requested to download the complete curriculum, including the initial pages, and share it widely with teachers and students for immediate reference. Schools are further advised to make necessary arrangements for implementing the changes in accordance with the guidelines provided in the initial pages.
6. Schools shall ensure strict adherence to the prescribed curriculum and the guidelines provided in the initial pages, as well as those specified within individual subject curricula. The curriculum reflects alignment with the vision and principles of NCF-2023, focusing on competency-based education, experiential learning, flexibility, and holistic development of learners.
7. Heads of Institutions are advised to sensitise teachers and organise special Parent-Teacher Meetings (PTMs) to apprise parents and students of the salient features of the curriculum changes and ensure effective implementation from the beginning of the Academic Session 2026–27.

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