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The Heads of all Schools affiliated to CBSE

## Subject: Release of CBSE Handbooks for Teachers and Students

Dear Principals,

I begin with a belief that you have taken necessary measures for the discussions on and implementation of various Handbooks made available on the CBSE websites vide Circular no.17/2019 dated October 1, 2019.

The Board believes that every stakeholder of CBSE (Student, Teacher, Parent, Principal and School Management) is an important part of the process of qualitative improvements being done. It has also been felt that there should be a resource which contains all information related to each of these stakeholders at one place.

With this aim, the Board is in process of preparing Handbooks for each of these stakeholders. In this Series, the *Handbook for Teachers* and the *Handbook for Students* have been prepared. These Handbooks have been released by the Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019.

1. <u>Handbook for Teachers</u>: With the focus on making students future-ready, it has been felt that in addition to being aware of the expectations from the teachers by the Board, our teachers must also be equipped with the information required by them regarding their learners and related to their career improvement and advancement. We believe that a well-informed teacher can do wonders in a classroom.

The *Handbook for Teachers* is a source of information to teachers for the procedures, policies, roles, responsibilities, awards and resources related to their professional life. Beginning from basic information about appointment and qualification, this Handbook also contains a range of information, such as, teacher self-evaluation framework, details about the board examinations, subjects offered, use of technology, disaster management procedures to be followed, awards that teacher may apply for, and several other important and much-needed information about CBSE policies in the matters involving teachers.

It is expected that this handbook will answer most of the queries pertaining to the professional lives of teachers with regard to their association with CBSE.

2. <u>Handbook for Students</u>: Students have so many questions related to pedagogy, subject choices, examination, CBSE activities, procedures etc. To address all their queries, CBSE has prepared the *Handbook for Students* containing details about the matters pertaining to academics, examination, personality enhancement activities, disaster management, cyber safety and other usual administrative procedures related to subject and date of birth change. This Handbook will, thus, be a one-stop solution for students.

Both these Handbooks are now available at CBSE website. You are requested to ensure that the information about these Handbooks is given to all teachers and students of your school. You are also requested to download these Handbooks and arrange for a discussion on each.

Discussions/ activities on the Chapters of the *Handbook for Students* can be planned for students. Participation in these discussions/ activities can be credited for the Portfolio for internal assessment. For any query in this regard, you may write to <u>cbseapp1920@gmail.com</u>.

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