

केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

(मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन)



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All Heads of Institutions affiliated to CBSE

Subject: Voluntary Khadi-Wearing Day in CBSE Schools

Dear Principal,

Mahatma Gandhi said in *Young India* (14-5-1925; 27:14.), "Khaddar (Khadi) can unite us as nothing else can". Mahatma Gandhi also appealed to the nation to wear and encourage Khadi as a means of strengthening self-reliance and sustenance to rural India.

Khadi is, thus, the heritage fabric of India which not only provides employment opportunities to lakhs of rural artisans of our country but also promotes unity and equality. Moreover, Khadi is hand-woven and hand-spun skin- friendly fabric that does not leave carbon footprint.

Therefore, as part of Celebration of the 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, it is proposed that CBSE schools across the country may observe Khadi-Wearing Day, on a voluntary basis, once in a week/ fortnight/ month. All interested personnel in the schools may use khadi in their dresses or accessories or any other way as convenient.

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Secretary, CBSE

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
- The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida201309
- 3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
- 4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160017
- 5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim -737101
- 6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar -791 111
- 7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair 744101





- 8. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Çell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Island
- 9. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
- 10. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
- 11. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
- 12. The Under Secretary (EE-1), MHRD, Govt. of India, Department of SE&L, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-01
- 13. 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
- 14. All Joint Secretary/ Deputy Secretary/ Assistant Secretary / Analyst, CBSE
- 15. All Head(s)/ In-Charge(s), Centre of Excellence, CBSE
- 16. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
- 17. In-Charge, Library
- 18. The Senior Public Relations Officer, CBSE
- 19. PPS to Chairperson, CBSE
- 20. SPS to Secretary, CBSE
- 21. SPS to Director (Academics), CBSE
- 22. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
- 23. SPS to Director (Information Technology), CBSE
- 24. SPS to Director (CTET), CBSE
- 25. SPS to Director (Professional Examinations), CBSE
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