



COUNCIL FOR THE INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS

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To: All Heads of ICSE & ISC Schools

Subject: Conduct of the Compartmental & Improvement Examinations, Year 2020.

Dear Principal,

This has reference to the conduct of the Compartmental & Improvement Examinations for the ICSE (Class X) and ISC (Class XII) Year 2020. In this regard you are requested to please note the following:

1. Dates of the Compartmental Examination

The Compartmental Examinations for the ICSE (Class X) will be conducted on 6th & 7th October 2020.

The Compartmental Examinations for the ISC (Class XII) will be conducted on 6th October 2020.

2. Dates of the Improvement Examination

The Improvement Examinations for the ICSE (Class X) will be conducted from 6th to 9th October 2020.

The Improvement Examinations for the ISC (Class XII) will be conducted on 6th & 7th October 2020.

3. Timetable

Timetables for the ICSE (Class X) and ISC (Class XII) Year 2020 Compartmental and Improvement Examinations are attached (Enclosures 1 & 2).

4. Important Instructions

Considering the prevailing pandemic, Important Instructions to be strictly followed by the candidates appearing for the Examinations are attached (Enclosure 3).

5. Internal Assessment

For the Compartmental & Improvement Examination, it is mandatory for the candidates to appear for the Theory Paper.



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For **ICSE**, the internal marks of the subject, awarded to the candidate in the main examination will be carried forward. However, if the candidate was absent earlier during the internal assessment of the subject then the candidate, in addition to taking the Theory examination shall also submit the assignments / project work, which will then be assessed, and marks awarded. These marks are then to be submitted online through the CAREERS portal.

For **ISC**, the Practical / Project marks of the subject (where applicable), awarded to the candidate in the main examination will be carried forward. However, if the candidate was absent earlier either in Practical or during assessment of Project Work of the subject, then the candidate, in addition to taking the Theory examination shall also submit the Project Work and / or appear for Practical, which will then be assessed, and marks awarded. These marks are then to be submitted online through the CAREERS portal.

6. Instructions for Conduct of ISC Practical Examination

The Instructions for the conduct of the ISC Practical Examinations will be sent to the concerned Head of Schools online.

7. Centre Arrangements

The Centre of Examination for candidates appearing for the Compartmental Examination will be at the Convener School.

8. Admission Card with customized timetable

The Admission Card with customized Timetable will be made available online that can be downloaded by the Schools from the CAREERS Portal.

9. The Result Declaration

The result of the Compartmental & Improvement Examinations will be declared on Saturday, 17th October 2020 at 3:00 pm.

10. Issue of Statement of Marks and Pass Certificates for Compartmental Examinations

Those candidates who are successful at the Compartmental Examination and whose overall results have changed from PCNA (Pass Certificate Not Awarded) to PCA (Pass Certificate Awarded), must return the previous Statement of Marks in original to the Council through their school. On receipt of the same, the revised Statement of Marks and Pass Certificate will be sent to the candidates' school.

Candidates who are unsuccessful in the Compartmental Examination and do not qualify for the award of a Pass Certificate, must also return their original Statement of Marks to



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the Council through their school and will be issued a revised Statement of Marks which will reflect the updated result of the candidate as per the Council's record.

11. Issue of Statement of Marks and Pass Certificates for Improvement Examinations

Those candidates who had appeared for the Improvement Examination in specific subject/paper(s) and who have been awarded changed marks, must return the previous Statement of Marks / Pass Certificates in original to the Council through their school. On receipt of the same the revised Statement of Marks / Pass Certificates will be sent to the candidates' school. These marks will reflect the updated marks of the candidate in the subject/paper (s) for which he/she appeared as per the Council's record. **The marks obtained by the candidates in the Improvement Examination (s) shall be considered as their final marks.**

12. Unsuccessful / Absent candidates at the Compartmental Examination

Those candidates who are not successful or are absent at the Compartmental Examination:

- May re-appear for the ICSE / ISC Examinations in the following year 2021 Examination.
- In the said Examination, the candidate will be required to re-appear in all the subjects for which he/she is registered.
- These candidates will need to follow the Regulations & Syllabuses and textbooks prescribed for the concerned Year's Examination.

13. Those candidates who are absent at the Improvement Examination:

For those candidates who are absent for the Improvement Examination, there is no provision for the same to be held later. The imputed marks awarded to them will remain unchanged.

You are requested to kindly disseminate the above information to all concerned.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Enclosure as above



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ENCLOSURE - 1

INDIAN CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION (CLASS X)

TIMETABLE - ICSE YEAR 2020 COMPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION

DAY & DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	DURATION
Tuesday October 6	11.00 a.m.	Second Languages: Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Nepali, Odia, Telugu	3 hrs.
		History & Civics (H.C.G. Paper 1)	2 hrs.
		Mathematics	2½ hrs.
		Physics (Science Paper 1)	2 hrs.
		Commercial Studies (Group II Elective)	2 hrs.
		Environmental Science (Group II Elective)	2 hrs.
Wednesday October 7	11.00 a.m.	Chemistry (Science Paper 2)	2 hrs.

TIMETABLE – ICSE YEAR 2020 IMPROVEMENT EXAMINATION

DAY & DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	DURATION
Tuesday October 6	11.00 a.m.	Hindi (Second Language)	3 hrs.
Wednesday October 7	11.00 a.m.	Geography (H.C.G. Paper 2)	2 hrs.
Thursday October 8	11.00 a.m.	Biology (Science Paper 3)	2 hrs.
		Economics (Group II Elective)	2 hrs.
Friday October 9	11.00 a.m.	Group III Electives: Physical Education, Computer Applications, Commercial Applications	2 hrs.


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ENCLOSURE - 2

INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION (CLASS XII)

TIMETABLE - ISC YEAR 2020 COMPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION

DAY & DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	DURATION
Tuesday October 6	2:00 p.m.	HINDI	3 hrs.
		URDU	3 hrs.
		HISTORY	3 hrs.
		POLITICAL SCIENCE	3 hrs.
		ECONOMICS	3 hrs.
		COMMERCE	3 hrs.
		ACCOUNTS	3 hrs.
		MATHEMATICS	3 hrs.
		PHYSICS (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
		CHEMISTRY (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
		FASHION DESIGNING (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
		COMPUTER SCIENCE (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
		PHYSICAL EDUCATION (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
		ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	3 hrs.

TIMETABLE - ISC YEAR 2020 IMPROVEMENT EXAMINATION

DAY & DATE	TIME	SUBJECT	DURATION
Tuesday October 6	9:00 a.m.	ART – 5 CRAFT	3 hrs.
	2:00 p.m.	PSYCHOLOGY	3 hrs.
		BIOLOGY (Paper 1) Theory	3 hrs.
Wednesday October 7	2:00 p.m.	BUSINESS STUDIES	3 hrs.

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ENCLOSURE- 3

Important Instructions to be strictly followed by the candidates appearing for the Examinations

1. Candidates must reach the examination centre well ahead of time to ensure staggered movement and smooth entry to avoid overcrowding.
2. Candidates must maintain social distancing in their movement from the main school gate to the examination hall.
3. During entry to and exit from the examination hall, candidates are advised to do so in a staggered manner to maintain social distancing norms.
4. Candidates must use face masks/cover and carry their own hand sanitizer. The use of gloves is optional.
5. Candidates are required to bring their own writing stationery /art material and avoid sharing the same with other candidates.
6. Candidates are required to carry their Admission Cards to the Examination hall.
7. In addition to the time indicated on the Timetable for writing the paper, 15 minutes time is given for reading the question paper.
8. The question paper will be distributed to candidates at 8:45 a.m. / 1:45 p.m. to enable them to start writing at 9:00 a.m. / 2:00 p.m.
9. Candidates need to strictly follow all the safety instructions at the examination centre.

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