

केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

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All Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: Govt.'s resolve to eliminate measles and control rubella/ congenital rubella syndrome in India- schools' participation

India along with other WHO-SFAR countries, in September 2013, resolved to eliminate Measles and control Rubella/ Congenital Rubella Syndrome (CRS) by 2020. In alignment with that, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare is introducing Rubella vaccine in its Universal Immunization Programme (UIP) as Measles-Rubella (MR) vaccine. The vaccine will be introduced as Measles-Rubella Campaign, targeting children from 9 months up to 15 years, in a phased manner, followed by administration of the vaccine in routine immunization.

The campaign aims to rapidly build up immunity for both measles and rubella, and also provides a second opportunity for children left out in routine immunization. The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India, has approached the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, for supporting the vaccination campaign. The task being a mammoth one, the involvement of schools, teachers and principals is considered crucial for the success of the campaign. Accordingly, the schools affiliated with the Board are requested to participate in this national endeavour to support the Measles-Rubella (MR) help in nation's resolve to eliminate Measles and control Rubella by 2020.

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Joint Secretary & In-charge (ART&I)



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Copy to State Education Directorates, UT Directorates, Heads of /KVS/NVS/CTSA with request for suitable dissemination of the information to schools under their jurisdiction:

- The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi
- The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309.
- The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-54.
- The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-17.
- The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim 737101.
- 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.
- The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Islands.
- The Secretary, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini, Delhi.
- The Additional Director General of Army Education, A -Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-01.
- The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010.
- The Dy. Secretary, (UT), MHRD, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi (For information of compliance action taken)
- The Under Secretary, (EE-I), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
- 14. All Regional Directors/ Regional Officers of CBSE with request to send this circular to affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions and also follow the timeline and instructions for the event.
- All Additional Director/ Joint Director/ Deputy Director/ Assistant Director, Academic & Vocational Cell.
- The Officer in charge of I.T. with the request to put this circular on the CBSE website.
- 17. The Assistant Librarian, CBSE
- The Public Relations Officer, CBSE
- The Hindi Officer, CBSE
- 20. EO to Chairman, CBSE
- 21. SPS to Secretary/ Controller of Examinations/Director (Special Exams and CTET)/Director (NET)/ ED (JAB)/ OSD (NEET), CBSE
- 22. SPS to Director (Information Technology)

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