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All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: Knowledge and Awareness Mapping Platform (KAMP): An initiative of CSIR-NISTADS – regarding

A copy of the letter No. NIS/IR/letters/2019(16) dated August 05, 2019 of Dr. Ranjana Aggarwal, Director, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research-National Institute of Science, Technology and Development Studies (CSIR-NISTADS), Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India, on the subject mentioned above is enclosed for information and further necessary action. For complete details, please visit www.kamp.nistads.res.in

All schools are encouraged to motivate their students of class V to XII to enroll for National Assessment for Scientific Temperament and Aptitude.


(Dr. Joseph Emmanuel)
Director (Academics)

Encl: As stated above.

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
2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
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-160 017
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 Cell, 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 Secretaries/ Deputy Secretaries/ Assistant Secretaries/ Analysts (Academic, Training and Vocational Unit), CBSE
15. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
16. The Senior Public Relations Officer, CBSE
17. PPS to Chairperson, CBSE
18. SPS to Secretary, CBSE
19. SPS to Director (EDUSAT, Research and Development), CBSE
20. SPS to Director (Information Technology), CBSE
21. SPS to Director (Academics), CBSE
22. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
23. SPS to Director (SE & T), CBSE
24. SPS to Director (Professional Exams), CBSE

Director (Academics)



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Dr. Ranjana Aggarwal

Director

No. NIS/DIR/letters/2019(16)

August 05, 2019

The Chairman
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2, Community Centre, Shiksha Kendra,
Preet Vihar, Vikas Marg, Delhi-110092

Subject: **Knowledge and Awareness Mapping Platform (KAMP): An initiative of CSIR-NISTADS & M/s NCPL**

Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that "Knowledge and Awareness Mapping Platform" (KAMP) is an initiative and Knowledge Alliance of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research-National Institute of Science Technology and Development Studies (CSIR-NISTADS), Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India with our industrial partner, M/s NYSA Communications Pvt. Ltd., Noida, UP. The KAMP has been launched by Prof. K. Vijay Raghavan (Principle Scientific Advisor, Govt. of India) and Dr. Shekhar C.Mande (Director General, CSIR) on 3rd April 2019.

In view of the growing pace and complexity of knowledge system in the present times, it has been realized that there is a critical need to quantitatively assess the awareness and knowledge of students on various subjects regularly and objectively. Thus, KAMP has been initiated to identify and promote gifted and talented students of class 5th to 12th in the field of Science, Technology and Humanities across India. Based on the algorithm and design development on CSIR-NISTADS, KAMP would support in identifying the talent at primitive stage and nurturing them in their areas of strength. The outcome of the KAMP will provide a comprehensive assessment not only to the young students but also to schools, teachers and parents.

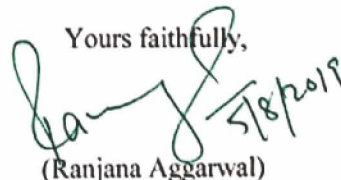
The details of the KAMP and implementation process are attached for kind perusal and reference. For more details please visit www.kamp.nistads.res.in or contact Secretary, KPMC at secretary@kamp.res.in

The vision is "To identify and capture Scientific and Technological temperament in students to make India Global Leader in the Field of Science, Technology and Humanities".

I request you to support this initiative of knowledge alliance in the affiliated schools to promote science awareness and technology amongst students.

With regards,

Yours faithfully,


(Ranjana Aggarwal)

STEPS TO IMPLEMENT KAMP-NASTA IN SCHOOLS

The enrolment for KAMP – National Assessment for Scientific Temperament and Aptitude (NASTA)-2019 will be open to all the students of classes Vth - Xth studying in schools affiliated to CBSE as well as other Boards in the country. The implementation of KAMP will be held in schools in following manner:

❶ SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Schools can enrol online through KAMP website <http://www.kamp.res.in>. Login credentials will be sent to the school on registered E-Mail ID. School Kit (Information Brochure, Student Registration Forms, Detailed Guidelines and Other Communication Materials) will be shared with schools.

❷ KAMP – NODAL OFFICER

Head of School is requested to assign KAMP-NODAL OFFICER (School Principal is Preferable) and submit his/her details on KAMP Portal while School Enrollment. KAMP Nodal Officer will be the Single Point of Contact (SPOC) for coordination with KAMP Officials and implementation of KAMP in the School.

❸ STUDENT REGISTRATION

The details of participating students will be uploaded by School on KAMP Portal through respective school's Login. Individual student registration will not be accepted from students and they can register only through their school. Required training for the same shall be provided to schools through KAMP support center.

❹ REGISTRATION FEE

Each participating student has to pay total Rs. 400/- "Registration Fee" to his/her school. After deducting Rs. 30/- per student (towards expenditure for conducting examination in their school premises), school has to pay total registration fee (i.e. Rs. 370/- * number of participating students) through online (Net Banking or Card Payments) or by generating payment deposit slip through school panel to pay through bank Transfer (RTGS/NEFT)

❺ ASSESSMENT/IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS

Preparation tips for students, Syllabus for NASTA, Sample Questions, Exam Conduction Guidelines, Assessment Pattern details can be accessed through <http://www.kamp.res.in>. Examination material will be delivered directly to school closer to the date of examination.

❻ ASSESSMENT REPORT

Assessment Report will be posted to schools and also available online. All participants will receive a comprehensive assessment report with an advisory report. School Assessment Report will be available with the comparative analysis with schools in their region and at other States.

❼ AWARDS, VISITS & CERTIFICATES

Post Assessment, National level, State Level and District Level Awards will be announced. Also selected students will get an opportunity to visit National/International, Science and Technology Institutions. The Awards will be given by Eminent luminaries of the Nation. Details of awards are available on KAMP Portal.

❽ KAMP – JUNIOR SCIENTIST CLUB (K-JSC)

Kamp- Junior Scientist Clubs will be formed in each district. Each participating school and student will become members of KAMP-JSC.

For any further information or implementation, concerned official may contact the Secretary- KAMP at secretary@kamp.res.in or KAMP operations and Coordination office on telephone no. +91 - 8750330055