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Date : November 6, 2020 Circular No. Acad-84/2020

All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

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

A copy of the letter No. NIS/IR/letters/2019(16) dated 20 October, 2020 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 Émmanuel) 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 Secretary School Education, Special Project Director-SSA /Directorate of Education/Director (SCERT) Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
- 4. The Secretary School Education, Special Project Director-SSA /Directorate of Education /Director SCERT UT Chandigarh.
- 5. The Secretary School Education, Special Project Director-SSA / Director of Education/Director (SCERT), Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok.
- 6. The Secretary School Education, Special Project Director-SSA / Director of Education/Director (SCERT), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
- 7. The Secretary School Education, Special Project Director-SSA / Director of Education/Director (SCERT), Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair.
- Director Schools, IAF Educational Cultural Society Air Headquarters (RKP) West Block-VI, R. K. Puram New Delhi – 110066
- The Principal Director, Director of Naval Education (Navy Education Society) H.Q. MOD (NAVY) West Block-V, II Floor, R.K. Puram New Delhi – 110066



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- 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 Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
- 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 Heads/ In-Charges, COEs of the Board with request to disseminate the information
- 15. All Joint Secretary/Deputy Secretary/Assistant Secretary, CBSE
- 16. In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
- 17. The Head Public Relations Unit, CBSE
- 18. EO to Chairman, CBSE
- SPS to Secretary, Director (IT), Director (Academics), Controller of Examinations, Director (SE&T) and Director (PE), CBSE

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

20 October, 2020

To Dr. Joseph Emmanuel Director (Academics) Central Board of Secondary Education 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

Dear Dr. Emmanuel,

I am pleased to inform you that **"Knowledge and Awareness Mapping Platform" (KAMP)** is an initiative and Knowledge Alliance of CSIR-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. (NCPL), Noida, UP.

The KAMP is designed for comprehensive assessment of the students to create awareness and encourage scientific temperament among the students. In this series KAMP conducted its first assessment as National Assessment of Scientific Temperament and Aptitude (NASTA)-2019, last year and total 30,290 students participated from 3,011 schools from 24 states of India for KAMP-NASTA 2019. The outcome of the KAMP-NASTA 2019 has provided a comprehensive assessment outcome not only to the young students but also to schools, teachers and parents,

Based on the feedback received from various students and schools on NASTA-2019, efforts are being made to enhance the reach of KAMP. The next assessment NASTA – 2020, is being conducted this year to identify and promote talented students of class 5th to 12th in the field of Science, Technology and Humanities.

The details of KAMP - NASTA 2020 and its implementation process are attached for kind perusal and reference. For more details and scheme for KAMP 2020, please visit http://kamp.nistads.res.in, or contact Secretary, KAMP at secretary@kamp.res.in

I request you to encourage this initiative of knowledge alliance in all schools to promote science awareness and technology amongst students.

With Regards,

Yours faithfully, (Ranjana Aggarwal)

STEPS TO IMPLEMENT KAMP-NASTA FOR Schools

The enrolment for KAMP - National Assessment of Scientific Temperament and Aptitude (NASTA)-2020 will be open to all the students of classes Vth - XIIth studying in schools affiliated to CBSE as well as other State Boards in the country. The implementation of KAMP will be held in schools in following manner:

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT а

All schools should enroll online through KAMP website http://kamp.nistads.res.in by 30th November, 2020. 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) are available on KAMP website http://kamp.nistads.res.in.

a 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 Enrolment, KAMP Nodal Officer shall be responsible to give wide publicity to this initiative amidst students, teachers and parents so as to activate the scientific instinct in students to find solutions to the day-to-day problems. They are requested to persuade every class teacher to motivate students to participate in large numbers.

ä STUDENT REGISTRATION

The details of participating students will be uploaded by School/Nodal Officer on KAMP Portal through respective school's Login. Required training for the same shall be provided to schools through KAMP support center. Individual student can also register directly through KAMP portal (for registered schools only).

REGISTRATION FEE 3

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). In case of direct registration/payment by students, school share(towards expenditure for conducting examination in their school premises) shall be refunded to school after the closure of registrations.

ASSESSMENT/IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS a

Preparation tips for students, Syllabus for NASTA, Sample Questions, Exam Conduction Guidelines, Assessment Pattern details can be accessed through http://kamp.nistads.res.in. Examination material will be delivered directly to school closer to the date of examination in case of offline mode. Schools may also choose to conduct online examination. Mock assessment facility will be provided under student login.

ASSESSMENT REPORT 0

Assessment Report will be available online under schools/institutions login. All participants will receive a comprehensive assessment report with an advisory under their respective student's login.

AWARDS, VISITS & CERTIFICATES ې

All participants will receive a "Certificate of Excellence/Participation" depending on their individual performance. "Certificate of Recognition/Excellence" for KAMP-Nodal Officer, School & Principal will be awarded based on the student's performance. Special awards, National & International Visits for State & National Level achievers. Information related to awards and certificates are available on KAMP website*.

KAMP - JUNIOR SCIENTIST CLUB (K-JSC) a,

Each participant will become a member of K-JSC. KJSC will a district level self-sustainable club. District Level Science Meets will be organized every year where young scientists (students) of member schools will showcase their projects. After evaluation by KAMP most promising science projects will be selected for KAMP-NATIONAL SCIENCE CARNIVAL and "National Young Scientist Award" will be presented to students for their contribution in S & T.

For any further information or implementation, write us at info@kamp.res.in or KAMP Operations and Coordination Office on telephone no. (91) 9319634387 , (91) 7303064387