

TIS/CIR/23/25-26

CIRCULAR
Class: IX

01 May 2025

Dear Parents

As we commence the academic session 2025-2026, we would like to inform you about the promotion policy in class IX, where we follow the assessment pattern as per the CBSE guidelines. We request you to go through the same, along with your ward, and ensure that they follow the same to attain their optimum potential.

Component	Weightage
Internal Assessment: 1. Weekly Test (35+35 marks) 2. Multiple Assessment (10 marks) 3. ALS/Subject Enrichment Activity (10 marks) 4. Portfolio (10 marks) A total of 100 marks will be reduced to 20 marks for the internal assessments.	20 marks
Mid-Term / End-Term Examination	80 marks
Total	100 marks

It has been observed that students take their Internal Assessment lightly and do not participate in subject enrichment activities or submit assignments on time. We would like to inform you that Internal Assessment has a **direct impact** on the **Final Result of your ward**. We would therefore advise you to kindly go through the following instructions carefully.

1. Examination

- Following assessments will be carried out throughout the session as per the schedule given below:

ASSESSMENT	MARKS	MONTH
Periodic test 1	35 + 35	May – August 2025
Mid Term Examination	80	September 2025
Periodic test 2	35 + 35	Nov 2025 – January 2026
End Term Examination	80	February 2026

- Multiple assessments will be conducted throughout the year
- The student has **to** appear for **each** of the weekly tests, Mid-Term Examination and End-Term Examination.
- Marks of Internal assessment will be added to the Mid-term Examination and End-Term Examination.
- End-Term Examination will be based on the complete syllabus of Class IX.
- If a student misses any test/ examination he/she will be awarded ZERO for the same.
- NO RETEST** will be allowed, under any circumstance, except if the student is representing the school in a co-curricular activity.

2. Pass Criteria

- In order to be declared as having passed Class IX Examination, a student **must obtain a minimum of 33% marks** in **both** the Internal Assessment **and** the Final Examination and in each of the five subjects individually.
- If a student scores less than 33% in two subject, it will be considered as compartment, and he/she will have to write the compartment exam and score a minimum of 33% in the same for promotion to Class X.
- If a student scores less than 33% in more than two subjects, he/she will be considered detained in Class IX.
- A printed performance profile will be given after the Mid-term and End-Term Examinations.

3. Co-Scholastic Assessment

- Co-Scholastic assessment will be based on a five point grading scale which will include Art Education and Health and Physical Education. Health and Physical Education will include assessment in individual games, group games,

physical exercises and a component of Social Empowerment through Work Education and Action, i.e the NSS activities undertaken by students in Classes IX and X.

4. Stream Allocation Criteria in Class XI

- In Class XI the factors deciding the allotment of stream and subjects will be the students' academic performance in the **Mid -Term and Pre-Board Examinations in Class X**, and their individual preferences. It is imperative that, as parents, you give due importance to your ward's academic performance throughout the year so that she/he qualifies for the stream she/he aspires for. The students are allowed to change their stream after Class X examination results in May, provided they score the grades required for the stream preferred by them.

The subject options in the three streams are as follows:-

S. No.	SCIENCE	COMMERCE	HUMANITIES
1	English Core	English Core	English Core
2	Physics	Accountancy	Political Science/ Home Science
3	Chemistry	Business Studies	History/ Painting
4	Math/ Psychology	Mathematics/ Information Practices	Geography/ Mathematics /Psychology
5	Biology/Economics/Computer Science/ Physical Education	Economics	Economics/ Physical Education/ Information Practices

Please Note: English Core is compulsory for all streams. Students opting for Science with Economics or Computer Science will have to compulsorily study Mathematics too. Economics / Psychology will be offered on first come first served basis at the time of registration, due to limited seats.

Marks requirement for stream allocation:

Stream	Science	Commerce with or without Math	Humanities (For opting Psychology and Economics only)
Requirement	English: 70% and above	English: 70% and above	English: 70% and above
	Mathematics: 75% and above	Mathematics: 75% and above	Mathematics: 65% and above
	Science: 75% and above		

Warm regards

(Mallika Preman)
PRINCIPAL

P.S. Kindly submit duly filled and signed consent form to the class teacher latest by Monday, 05 May 2025.

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CONSENT FORM
CLASS IX

01 May 2025

I _____ Parent / Guardian of _____ of Class & Sec. _____ have read the given information regarding Pass criteria, Periodic tests, Internal Assessment and Co-Scholastic Assessment. I will ensure that my ward will work hard and secure the required marks to be eligible for promotion to the next class.

Name of Parent

Signature of Parent

Date