



# केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

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**CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION**

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**All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE**

**Subject: Vidyanjali Program – reg.**

Dear Principal

As you are aware, the National Education Policy (NEP), 2020 envisages transformative change across all levels of education in India, through active involvement of community as well as private sector in the attainment of its goals and objectives. The *Vidyanjali* initiative is launched with an aim to strengthen the schools through community, Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and private sector involvement across the country.

*Vidyanjali* is implemented through the portal (<https://vidyanjali.education.gov.in>) hosted by Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, where any citizen of India/ PIO/ Organization registered in India, can directly connect with Government and Government-aided schools, and contribute in the form of Services/ Activities/ Assets/ Material/ Equipment etc. The aim of *Vidyanjali* is to act as facilitator by connecting contributors directly to the school. The effort is to bridge knowledge/ skill/ human resources gap in the schools by tapping the potential available outside the Government.

Further, the Department of School Education & Literacy has introduced a mentor/ mentee initiative also known as twining of school under *Vidyanjali*. This initiative enables the schools to be a mentor or mentee (based on school's choice) of other schools by contributing through hand holding in academic and assets/ material/ equipment-related activities. Since the initiative is based on activities, therefore, engagement of school under the initiative can be short or long-term. The date and timing of the activity may be agreed upon between the participating schools, as it is purely voluntary in nature.

The information brochure of *Vidyanjali* Program is available at:  
<https://vidyanjali.education.gov.in/assets/pdf/VidyanjaliBrochure.pdf>

The detailed guidelines are available at:  
[https://vidyanjali.education.gov.in/assets/pdf/Final\\_Guidelines\\_Vidyanjali\\_%20December.pdf](https://vidyanjali.education.gov.in/assets/pdf/Final_Guidelines_Vidyanjali_%20December.pdf)

The schools are requested to participate in *Vidyanjali* Program, so as to reap maximum benefits of this scheme and also to mentor atleast 1 or 2 schools in the nearby area. Further, stakeholders may also be encouraged to volunteer to contribute in the *Vidyanjali* Program.

With Best Wishes

**Dr. Joseph Emmanuel**  
Director (Academics)



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**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, Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India.
4. The Secretary, Sainik Schools Society, Room No. 101, D-1 Wing, Sena Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
5. The Chairman, Odisha Adarsha Vidyalaya Sangathan, N-1/9, Near Doordarshan Kendra, PO Sainik School Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar, Odisha-751005
6. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
7. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160017
8. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
9. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
10. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair – 744101
11. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Island
12. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector -3, Rohini, Delhi
13. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A –Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
14. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
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