



NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of the recommendations of the Examination Committee at its Meeting held on 07.12.2017, duly approved by the Governing Body at its meeting held on 15.12.2017, the following amendments have been made in the Examination Bye-Laws :

A. Rules regarding PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES :

Rule No.	EXISTING RULE	AMENDED RULE
17(c)	Physically and Visually Impaired students who have obtained minimum Grade D in at least five subjects (excluding the 6 th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A as per the Scheme of Studies, Grades in subjects under Scholastic Area B and in Co-Scholastic Areas under the Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation scheme in the Secondary School Examination conducted by the school affiliated to the Board or an equivalent examination conducted by any recognised Board in India at least two years before appearing at the Senior School Certificate Examination on producing reasonable evidence of having deficiency to attend normal institutions for the purpose of studies.	Candidates with disabilities as defined in THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ACT 2016 who have obtained minimum Grade D in at least five subjects (excluding the 6 th additional subject) in the Secondary School Examination or an equivalent examination conducted by any recognised Board in India at least two years before appearing at the Senior School Certificate Examination on producing reasonable evidence of having deficiency to attend normal institutions for the purpose of studies.
23(d)	EXEMPTION FROM EXAMINATION IN THE THIRD LANGUAGE: Visually impaired students, those suffering from speech or hearing defects. Dyslexic and candidates with disabilities as defined in the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995.	Candidates with disabilities as defined in THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ACT 2016 will be exempted from third language.



<p>24(i)</p>	<p>Spastic, Visually impaired, Physically Handicapped, Dyslexic, Autistic and Candidates with disabilities as defined in the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995 appearing for the Secondary School Examination or Senior School Certificate Examination is permitted to use a scribe or allowed compensatory time as given below or both</p> <p>For paper of 3 hours duration 60 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 2½ hours duration 50 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 2 hours duration 40 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 1½ hours duration 30 minutes</p>	<p>Candidates with disabilities as defined in THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ACT 2016 appearing for the Secondary School Examination or Senior School Certificate Examination is permitted to use a scribe or allowed compensatory time as given below or both</p> <p>For paper of 3 hours duration 60 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 2½ hours duration 50 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 2 hours duration 40 minutes</p> <p>For paper of 1½ hours duration 30 minutes</p>
<p>24(iii) & 46</p>	<p>Candidates with visual and hearing impairment, Spastic, Dyslexic, Autistic and candidates with disabilities as defined in the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995 have the option of studying one compulsory language as against two. This language should be in consonance with the overall spirit of the Three Language Formula prescribed by the Board. Besides one language any four of the following subjects be offered: <i>Mathematics, Science, Social Science, another language, Music, Painting, Home Science, Foundation of Information Technology, Commerce (Elements of Business), Commerce (Elements of Book Keeping and Accountancy), E-Typewriting(English), E-Typewriting(Hindi), Introduction to Computer Technology, any out of Retail(NSQF) and Information Technology(NSQF)</i></p>	<p>Candidates with disabilities as defined in THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ACT 2016 have the option of studying one compulsory language as against two. This language should be in consonance with the overall spirit of the Three Language Formula prescribed by the Board. Besides one language any four subjects from amongst the following groups can be offered:</p> <p>Group 1 <i>Mathematics, Science, Social Science, another language, Music, Painting, Home Science, Commerce (Elements of Business), Commerce (Elements of Book Keeping and Accountancy)</i></p> <p>Group 2 Any one of the following: <i>e-Publishing & e-Office, Introduction to Computer Technology, Foundation of Information Technology</i></p>



		<p><u>Group 3</u></p> <p><i>NSQF Subjects for Regular Candidates Only (except Automobile Technology):</i> Dynamics of Retailing, Information Technology, Security, Introduction to Financial Markets, Introduction to Tourism, Beauty & Wellness, Basic Agriculture, Food Production, Front Office Operations, Banking & Insurance, Marketing & Sales, Health Care Services.</p> <p>Note: Information Technology from Group 3 cannot be offered if any subjects from Group 2 is opted.</p>
25(i)	<p>Use of Scribe and Appointment of scribe</p> <p>(i) Scribe may be allowed in the following cases;</p> <p>(a) To a Visually impaired, Physically Handicapped, Spastic and candidates with disabilities as defined in the Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995. Autistic candidate is permitted to use the services of a Scribe or an Adult Prompter</p> <p>(b) On sudden illness rendering the candidate unable to write as certified by a Medical Officer of the rank not lower than Asstt. Surgeon.</p> <p>(c) In the case of an accident rendering the candidate unable to write the examination as certified by a Medical Officer of the rank not lower than Asstt. Surgeon.</p>	<p>Use of Scribe and Appointment of scribe</p> <p>(i) Scribe may be allowed in the following cases;</p> <p>(a) To a Candidate with disabilities as defined in THE RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES ACT 2016. Autistic candidate is permitted to use the services of a Scribe or an Adult Prompter.</p> <p>(b) On sudden illness rendering the candidate unable to write as certified by a Medical Officer of the rank not lower than Asstt. Surgeon.</p> <p>(c) In the case of an accident rendering the candidate unable to write the examination as certified by a Medical Officer of the rank not lower than Asstt. Surgeon</p>
25(ii)	<p>A person to be appointed as scribe should not have obtained his/her qualifications in the same subject(s) in which the candidate shall be appearing for the examination</p>	<p>There will be no restriction on educational qualifications, marks scored, age or scribe/reader/ lab assistant/adult prompter.</p>

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25(iii)	The candidate shall have the discretion of opting for his own scribe and shall have the flexibility in accommodating change in scribe in case of emergency. Candidate shall also have the option of meeting the scribe a day before the examination. The Centre Superintendent of the examination centre concerned shall forward to the Regional Officer concerned of the Board, a report giving full particulars of the candidate and of the scribe.	NO CHANGE
25(iv)	The Superintendent shall arrange a suitable room for the candidate for who as scribe is allowed and appoint one special Assistant Superintendent to supervise his examination.	NO CHANGE
25(v)	The services of amanuensis shall be provided free of cost.	NO CHANGE
25(vi)	The scribe shall be paid by the Board remuneration as prescribed from time to time.	NO CHANGE

B. Rules regarding Secondary School Examination :

Result criteria: Category of result will be reflected as Pass/Fail/Compartment

Existing Rule	Amended Rule w.e.f. 2018 Exams onwards
Rule 53 (iv) The 'Result' shall indicate the factual position of the candidate with the marks/grades obtained by a candidate alongwith his/her status i.e. Pass/Fail/Comptt. in respect of Senior School Certificate Examination and Eligible for Qualifying Certificate/Qualified for Admission to Higher Classes/Eligible for Improvement of Performance in respect of Secondary School Examination in a 'Gazette' kept in the office of the Board.	Rule 53 (iv) The 'Result' shall indicate the factual position of the candidate with the marks/grades obtained by a candidate alongwith his/her status i.e. Pass/Fail/Comptt. in respect of Senior School Certificate Examination and Pass/Fail/Comptt. in respect of Secondary School Examination in a 'Gazette' kept in the office of the Board.

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For Compartment:

Existing Rule	Amended Rule w.e.f. 2018 Exams onwards
<p>41.2 Eligibility for Improvement of Performance in Secondary Examination</p> <p>A candidate obtaining Grades E1 or E2 in any or all the five subjects (excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A, as per the scheme of studies, jointly examined by the School and Board shall be eligible for improvement of performance in any or all the five subjects.</p>	<p>41.2 Eligibility for Compartment in Secondary Examination</p> <p><u>i. Candidate offering 5 subjects:</u></p> <p>For candidate offering 5 subjects and failing in two of the five subjects of external examination shall be placed in compartment in those subjects provided he/she qualifies in all the subjects of internal assessment.</p> <p><u>ii. Candidate offering additional NSQF Vocational subject</u></p> <p>(a) A candidate failing in two of the six subjects of external examination shall be placed in compartment in those subjects provided he/she qualifies in all the subjects of internal assessment.</p> <p>(b) For a candidate who has offered a vocational subject as 6th subject and fails in any one of the three compulsory subjects i.e., Science, Mathematics and Social Science, the Vocational subject (offered as 6th additional subject) will replace one of the subjects and result of Class X Examination will be computed accordingly.</p> <p><u>iii. Candidate offering other Academic Elective as additional subject</u></p> <p>a) A candidate failing in two of the six subjects of external examination shall be placed in compartment in those subjects provided he/she qualifies in all the subjects of internal assessment.</p> <p>b) A language offered as an additional subject may replace a language in the event of a candidate failing in the same provided after replacement the candidate has English/Hindi as one of the languages; and</p> <p>The replacement shall satisfy the conditions as laid down in the Scheme of Studies.</p> <p>There will not be any replacement facility of other academic elective subjects offered by such candidates.</p>

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42. Improvement of Performance/ Compartment Examination for Secondary/Senior School Certificate Examination

(i) (b) A candidate who has appeared for the Secondary School Examination and obtained Grades E1 or E2 in any or all the five subjects (excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A, as per the Scheme of Studies, shall be eligible for improving his/her performance in any or all the five subjects and may reappear at the only chance of Improvement of Performance to be conducted by the Board in July/School by July, as per the option exercised for the Main examination held in March the same year. The candidates will be issued Statement of Subject wise Performance/Grade sheet cum Certificate of Performance provide she/he obtains minimum Grade D in atleast five subjects (excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A as per the Scheme of Studies and grades in the subjects under Scholastic Area B and Co-scholastic Areas.

(ii) (b) At the Secondary School Examination a candidate who does not obtain minimum Grade D in the five subjects (excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A at the only chance of improvement of Performance shall be treated to have not qualified the examination and shall be required to reappear in all the subjects at the examination to be held in March of the subsequent year, in order to qualify the examination. The syllabi and courses shall be as laid down for Summative Assessment II for the year of examination concerned. The candidates' grades obtained in all the Formative Assessments and Summative Assessment I at the Main examination shall be carried over for

42. Compartment Examination for Secondary/Senior School Certificate Examination

42 (i) (b) & (c), 42 (ii) (b), 42 (v)

(i) A candidate placed in compartment may reappear at the compartmental examination to be held in July/August same year and may avail himself/herself for the second chance in March/April next year and may further avail himself/herself for the third chance at the compartmental examinations to be held in July/August of that year.

(ii) A candidate who does not appear or fails at one or all the chances of compartment shall be treated to have failed in the examination and shall be required to reappear in all the subjects at the subsequent annual examination of the Board as per syllabi and courses laid down for the examination concerned in order to pass the examination.

(iii) Syllabi and Courses for the Compartmental candidates in March Examination shall be the same as applicable to the regular candidates of full subjects appearing in the March examination,

(iv) For subjects involving Internal Assessment, in case the candidate has passed in Internal Assessment, he/she shall appear only in theory part and previous Internal Assessment marks will be carried forward.

(v) The candidate who is placed in Compartment in the Secondary School Examination (Class-X) shall be admitted provisionally to class XI till he passes the first chance Compartmental Examination to be held in July/August of that year. His/her admission shall be cancelled if he/she fails to pass at the first chance Compartmental Examination.

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the only chance of improvement of Performance.

(v) A candidate who fails to obtain minimum Grade D in the five subjects (excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A at the Secondary School Examination conducted by the School/Board shall be provisionally admitted to class XI till he takes in the only chance Improvement of Performance to be held that year. His/her admission shall be treated as cancelled if he fails to obtain minimum Grade D in the five subjects(excluding the 6th additional subject) under Scholastic Area A at the Improvement of Performance Examination.

C. Rules regarding change in limitation period of cases pertaining to correction in name (C/N, M/N, F/N)/Date of Birth from one year to five year :

Existing Rule	Amended Rule
<p>69.1 (i)</p> <p>(Change in Candidate Name, Mother Name & Father Name)</p> <p>Applications regarding changes in name of surname of candidates may be considered provided the changes have been admitted by the Court of law and notified in the Government Gazette before the publication of the result of the candidate.</p>	<p>69.1 (i)</p> <p>(Change in Candidate Name, Mother Name & Father Name)</p> <p>Applications regarding changes in name of surname of candidates will be considered provided the changes have been admitted by the Court of law and notified in the Government Gazette before the publication of the result of the candidate. In cases of change in documents after the court orders caption will be mentioned on the document "CHANGE ALLOWED IN NAME/ FATHER'S NAME/ MOTHER'S NAME/ GUARDIAN'S NAME FROM ____ TO ____ ON (DATED) ____ AS PER COURT ORDER NO. ____ DATED ____."</p>

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<p>69.1 (ii) (Correction in Candidate Name, Mother Name & Father Name)</p> <p>Correction in name to the extent of correction in spelling errors, factual typographical errors in the Candidate's name/ Surname, Father's name / Mother's name or Guardian's name to make it consistent with what is given in the school record or list of candidate (LOC) submitted by the school may be made.</p> <p>Application for correction in name of Candidate/Father's/Mother's/ Guardian's name will be considered only within one years of the date of declaration of result provided the application of the candidate is forwarded by the Head of Institution. with the following attested documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">True Copy of Admission form(s) filled in by the parents at the time of admission duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.True Copy of the School Leaving Certificates of the previous school submitted by the parents of the candidate at the time of admission duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.True Copy of the portion of the page of admission and withdrawal register of the school where the entry has been made in respect of the candidate, duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.	<p>69.1 (ii) (Correction in Candidate Name, Mother Name & Father Name)</p> <p>Correction in name to the extent of correction in spelling errors, factual typographical errors in the Candidate's name/ Surname, Father's name / Mother's name or Guardian's name to make it consistent with what is given in the school record or list of candidate (LOC) submitted by the school may be made.</p> <p>Application for correction in name of Candidate/Father's/Mother's/ Guardian's name will be considered only within Five years of the date of declaration of result provided the application of the candidate is forwarded by the Head of Institution with the following attested documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">True Copy of Admission form(s) filled in by the parents at the time of admission duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.True Copy of the School Leaving Certificates of the previous school submitted by the parents of the candidate at the time of admission duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.True Copy of the portion of the page of admission and withdrawal register of the school where the entry has been made in respect of the candidate, duly attested by the Head of the concerned institution.The Board may effect necessary corrections after verification of the original records of the school and on payment of the prescribed fee <p>This rule will be applicable to all cases after Class X/XII 2015 examination onwards.</p>
<p>The Board may effect necessary corrections after verification of the original records of the school and on payment of the prescribed fee</p>	<p>Already covered in 69.1(ii)</p>
<p>69.2 (i) No change in the date of birth once recorded in the Board's records shall be made. However, corrections to correct typographical and other errors to make the certificate consistent with the school</p>	<p>69.2 Change in Date of Birth No change in the date of birth once recorded in the Board's records shall be made.</p>



<p>records can be made provided that corrections in the school records should not have been made after the submission of application form for admission to Examination to the Board</p>	
<p>69.2 (Correction in Date of Birth)</p> <p>i. Corrections to correct typographical and other errors to make the certificate consistent with the school records can be made provided that corrections in the school records should not have been made after the submission of application form for admission to Examination to the Board</p> <p>ii. Such correction in Date of Birth of a candidate in case of genuine clerical errors will be made under orders of the Chairman where it is established to the satisfaction of the Chairman that the wrong entry was made erroneously in the list of candidates/application form of the candidate for the examination.</p> <p>iii. Request for correction in Date of Birth shall be forwarded by the Head of the School alongwith attested Photostat copies of :</p> <p>a) application for admission of the candidate to the School;</p> <p>b) Portion of the page of admission and withdrawal register where entry in date of birth has been made along with attested copy of the Certificate issued by the Municipal Authority, if available, as proof of Date of Birth submitted at the time of seeking admission; and</p> <p>c) the School Leaving Certificate of the previous school submitted at the time of admission.</p> <p>iv. The application for correction in date of birth duly forwarded by the Head of school along with documents mentioned in byelaws 69.2(iii) shall be</p>	<p>69.3 (Correction in Date of Birth)</p> <p>A. Correction as per the school records:</p> <p>i. Corrections to correct typographical and other errors to make the certificate consistent with the school records can be made provided that corrections in the school records should not have been made after the submission of application form for admission to Examination to the Board.</p> <p>ii. Such correction in Date of Birth of a candidate in case of genuine clerical errors will be made under orders of the Chairman where it is established to the satisfaction of the Chairman that the wrong entry was made erroneously in the list of candidates/application form of the candidate for the examination.</p> <p>iii. Request for correction in Date of Birth shall be forwarded by the Head of the School alongwith attested Photostat copies of :</p> <p>a) application for admission of the candidate to the School;</p> <p>b) Portion of the page of admission and withdrawal register where entry in date of birth has been made along with attested copy of the Certificate issued by the Municipal Authority, if available, as proof of Date of Birth submitted at the time of seeking admission; and</p> <p>c) the School Leaving Certificate of the previous school submitted at the time of admission.</p> <p>iv. The application for correction in date of birth duly forwarded by the Head of school along with documents mentioned in byelaws 69.2(iii) shall be entertained by the Board only within Five Years of the date of declaration of result. No correction whatsoever shall be made on application submitted after the said period of Five Year.</p> <p>v. <i>This rule will be applicable to all cases after Class X/XII 2015 examination onwards.</i></p> <p>B. Correction as per Courts Orders.</p> <p>Applications regarding correction in date of birth of candidates will be considered provided the</p>



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entertained by the Board only within one years of the date of declaration of result. No correction whatsoever, shall be made on application submitted after the said period of one year

correction have been admitted by the Court of law. In cases of correction in date of birth in documents after the court orders caption will be mentioned on the document "CORRECTION ALLOWED IN DATE OF BIRTH FROM _____ TO _____ ON (DATED) _____ AS PER COURT ORDER NO. _____ DATED _____."

For details of various provisions, the Examination Bye-Laws and the subsequent amendments issued from time to time which are available on the CBSE Website under title "Examination" may be referred.

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