



08<sup>th</sup> March 2017

## Press Note

### Pre - Examination Highlights - 2017

Date of Examination Class XII	09.03.2017 to 29.04.2017
Date of Examination Class X	09.03.2017 to 10.04.2017 (Scheme II)/(Board Based)
	15.03.2017 onwards (Scheme I)/(School Based)

### Number of Registered Candidates:

Examination	Category	2016		2017		% Increase	
		School Based	Board Based	School Based	Board Based	School Based	Board Based
Secondary School Examination Class X	Boys	440459	452421	473339	515891	7.46	14.03
	Girls	292796	313617	308124	370615	5.24	18.17
	<b>Total</b>	<b>733255</b>	<b>766038</b>	<b>781463</b>	<b>886506</b>	<b>6.57</b>	<b>15.73</b>

Examination	Category	2016	2017	% Increase
Sr. School Certificate Examination Class XII	Boys	621259	638865	2.76
	Girls	446641	460026	2.91
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1067900</b>	<b>1098891</b>	<b>2.82</b>



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**Number of Registered Candidates (All Regions):**

**Class X**

Regional Offices	Secondary School Examination Class X 2017					
	School Based			Board Based		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Ajmer	49855	26837	76692	61058	41285	102343
Bhubaneshwar	15231	10102	25333	27404	20391	47795
Panchkula	82605	47432	130037	65600	45263	110863
Delhi	124144	114253	238397	70290	62910	133200
Guwahati	8535	5567	14102	27238	25883	53121
Chennai	14241	9912	24153	88565	65836	154401
Patna	39141	19409	58550	75947	39104	115051
Allahabad	74225	37420	111645	42754	22273	65027
Thiruvananthapuram	3269	2355	5624	33624	33040	66664
Dehradun	62093	34837	96930	23411	14630	38041
<b>Total</b>	<b>473339</b>	<b>308124</b>	<b>781463</b>	<b>515891</b>	<b>370615</b>	<b>886506</b>

**Class XII**

Regional Offices	Sr. School Certificate Examination Class XII 2017		
	Boys	Girls	Total
Ajmer	77861	53588	131449
Bhubaneshwar	33879	25048	58927
Panchkula	108591	75966	184557
Delhi	134137	124184	258321
Guwahati	27060	24814	51874
Chennai	33650	25364	59014
Patna	52579	28320	80899
Allahabad	83737	44163	127900
Thiruvananthapuram	18085	17410	35495
Dehradun	69286	41169	110455
<b>Total</b>	<b>638865</b>	<b>460026</b>	<b>1098891</b>



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**Total Number of candidates under Differently Abled category (All Regions) 2017**

**Class X**

Number of candidates under Differently Abled category (Class X)							
Regional Offices	Autistic	Visually impaired	Hearing impaired	Physically handicapped	Spastic	Dyslexics	Total
Ajmer	1	21	27	153	15	28	245
Bhubaneshwar	5	11	5	40	6	18	85
Panchkula	6	19	21	138	46	102	332
Delhi	12	438	195	466	80	473	1664
Guwahati	7	6	8	39	3	6	69
Chennai	14	40	36	198	22	389	699
Patna	2	6	16	104	15	3	146
Allahabad	2	16	33	132	17	14	214
Thiruvananthapuram	6	22	13	61	5	333	440
Dehradun	2	101	4	104	45	125	381
<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>1435</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>1491</b>	<b>4275</b>

**Class XII**

Number of candidates under Differently Able category (Class XII)							
Regional Offices	Autistic	Visually impaired	Hearing impaired	Physically handicapped	Spastic	Dyslexics	Total
Ajmer	4	24	11	118	8	19	184
Bhubaneshwar	5	10	4	41	4	3	67
Panchkula	4	21	15	123	29	45	237
Delhi	12	358	127	293	37	239	1066
Guwahati	4	11	6	30	0	2	53
Chennai	5	15	12	89	5	93	219
Patna	0	4	0	17	3	2	26
Allahabad	0	12	2	37	2	6	59
Thiruvananthapuram	0	7	4	35	5	308	359
Dehradun	0	33	12	95	12	75	227
<b>Total</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>2497</b>



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**Total Number of Schools and Centres**

**Class X**

Regional Offices	2016		2017	
	No. of Centres	No. of Schools	No. of Centres	No. of Schools
Ajmer	517	1917	578	2132
Bhubaneshwar	186	821	198	872
Panchkula	491	2653	506	2814
Delhi (Including Foreign)	691 (74)	2212 (171)	701 (70)	2230 (175)
Guwahati	323	860	338	886
Chennai	615	2155	649	2398
Patna	239	998	248	1054
Allahabad	209	1013	300	1393
Thiruvananthapuram	201	1227	199	1260
Dehradun	275	1453	259	1324
<b>Total</b>	<b>3747</b>	<b>15309</b>	<b>3976</b>	<b>16363</b>

**Class XII**

Regional Offices	2016		2017	
	No. of Centres	No. of Schools	No. of Centres	No. of Schools
Ajmer	476	1469	492	1542
Bhubaneshwar	170	514	186	563
Panchkula	445	1987	469	2109
Delhi (Including Foreign)	686 (65)	1775 (122)	680 (64)	1807 (126)
Guwahati	282	447	293	461
Chennai	459	874	466	935
Patna	214	604	218	633
Allahabad	207	730	289	998
Thiruvananthapuram	163	616	167	613
Dehradun	255	1105	242	1017
<b>Total</b>	<b>3357</b>	<b>10121</b>	<b>3502</b>	<b>10678</b>



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**Number of Registered Candidates in Delhi (School Category wise):**

Category	Registered Candidates					
	2016			2017		
	Class X		Class XII	Class X		Class XII
	School Based	Board Based		School Based	Board Based	
Independent	71646	33149	106711	71847	102130	103874
Delhi –Govt./Govt. Aided	146866	11025	148895	162734	11660	139631
<b>Outside India (Country wise breakup)</b>						
Gulf	3763	18403	14142	3735	19258	14639
Other countries	57	165	158	81	152	177

**Number of Examination centres Outside India (Gulf and Other countries):**

	Number of Examination centres			
	2016		2017	
	Class X	Class XII	Class X	Class XII
Gulf	65	56	63	58
Other countries	8	6	7	6

**Number of centres under Differently Able category (All Regions) 2017**

Regional Offices	2016		2017	
	Class X	Class XII	Class X	Class XII
Ajmer	151	130	169	141
Bhubaneshwar	87	18	52	51
Panchkula	169	143	157	145
Delhi	340	331	431	325
Guwahati	38	40	45	39
Chennai	242	132	255	112
Patna	96	69	102	19
Allahabad	88	83	113	42
Thiruvananthapuram	120	74	108	65
Dehradun	120	99	106	94



## Preparations for smooth conduct of 2017 Examinations

### OASIS as a facilitator

The CBSE Online Affiliated Schools' Information System (OASIS) was introduced with the intent to increase transparency and up scaling the facilities for public with the help of advance technology.

The information so collected through OASIS has been used for several crucial and important exam related activities while fixing up the centres based on the location, infrastructure, availability of academic and non-academic faculty for better supervision, invigilation and evaluation.

### Exam Centre Locator - another first by the Board

The information provided online by the schools through OASIS software has helped the Board in mapping the schools using the latitude and longitude information fetched from the geo tagged photographs of schools which has further been developed in the Exam Centre Locator software.

The Exam Locator App helps students to quickly know the exam centre on the basis of Roll Number. A student can easily find the address, images and geo location of the designated exam centre on the map and know how to reach. A student or a parent has to register once only either through mobile number or E-mail ID to receive an OTP (One time password) number. The OTP will help log on to the Centre Locator App. (The App can be downloaded from CBSE website also.)

### Other arrangements:

- The centre material has been dispatched to all the examination centres.
- Admit cards have been downloaded by all Schools.
- Full time observers will be appointed at sensitive centres by the Board.
- Arrangements with the state authorities and local police have been finalized to ensure trouble free examinations throughout the country.
- Centre Superintendent(s) have been asked to approach the local police authorities for ensuring that adequate police force is made available at the place of custody of the question papers and the examination centres. The state Law enforcing agencies have also been requested to provide adequate police force at the place of custody of question papers and the examination centres.



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- Scanned photographs of Private candidates have been provided on admission cards to avoid impersonation or any other possible use of unfair means.
- The sealed question paper packets will be opened in the presence of at least four Assistant Superintendents-**one of them would be from the school other than the examination centre as a witness.**
- CBSE has a 3 tier arrangement for surprise checking:
  - CBSE flying squads
  - Flying squads from Directorate of Education, Delhi
  - Special observers from outside.
- Observers have been appointed to oversee the conduct of practical examination for class XII this year also.
- **Chief Nodal Practical Supervisors** have been appointed this year also to monitor the proper conduct of practical examinations for class XII.
- **District level committees** were constituted to suggest schools with adequate infrastructure for fixing up of examination centres. This will facilitate smooth conduct of examinations.
- **Observation Schedules**: To give fair deal to the question papers and redress genuine grievances of the students, observation schedules have been sent to all the schools to record and forward their suggestions within 24 hours of the conduct of examination so that these can be considered by the expert group while preparing the marking schemes.
- **Mandatory evaluation**: Teachers selected for evaluation work have to report on the appointed date and time failing which a mention will be made in their annual records. Non-release of teachers by any school may lead to withholding the result of the defaulting institution. The Board may also consider and initiate disaffiliation proceedings. However, those extending willing and effective cooperation will also find a mention in their personal records.

### **Exemptions for the differently able candidates**

Details regarding exemptions for differently able candidates are available on the CBSE website [www.cbse.nic.in](http://www.cbse.nic.in) circular no. CBSE/COORD/112233/2016 dated 24.01.2017.

**The Chairman Sh. R K Chaturvedi and Controller of Examinations, Sh. K K Choudhury extend their warmest wishes to all the candidates for success in the forthcoming examinations.**

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