

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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INTERNATIONAL SYLLABUS

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) affiliated schools abroad are likely to follow international syllabus;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the timeframe fixed in this regard;
- (c) whether any committee has been constituted in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether there is any proposal to introduce international syllabus in CBSE schools in India; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof including the subjects proposed to be changed for giving the syllabus, an international character?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a)&(b): Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has started a Pilot Project on CBSE-International from session 2010-11 in 27 schools including schools from Middle East, Japan, Malaysia and Singapore.

(c)&(d): A Core Advisory Committee has been constituted for policy decision on CBSE-International. Committees have also been constituted for preparation of syllabus and study materials for CBSE-International.

(e)&(f): CBSE has decided to introduce the CBSE-International curriculum, prepared by CBSE itself, in approximately 3-5 schools of each region of CBSE as a Pilot Project, from the session 2013-14.