

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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CBSE EVALUATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the present CBSE evaluation system of children reading in class IX, X, XI and XII has become extremely academic-oriented and knowledge intensive giving little time/ room for extra curricular activities;
- (b) if so, whether CBSE is planning to restore the earlier annual board examination system of class X and XII; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c): Under the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) scheme of curriculum and assessment adequate emphasis is given on the extracurricular activities for classes IX-XII in CBSE affiliated schools. Co-curricular activities are prescribed under Literary & Creative Skills, Scientific and Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Skills, Information and Communication Technology (ICT), Skills and Organizational & Leadership Skills. Co-curricular activities are made compulsory for students of classes IX-XII in CBSE affiliated schools. Currently, CBSE has no fructified planning to Restoring the Board Exam System for 10th class. CBSE has been conducting annual board examination for 12th class.