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To,
The Heads of all recognized
Secondary Schools
within the jurisdiction of this Board.

Sub: Pattern of assessment for Grade 9 and 10 for NSQF sector from the academic year 2026-27 regarding....

Sir/Madam,

Clarification regarding the distribution of marks for the Theory and Practical component including internal assessment for Grade 9 and 10 for NSQF subjects are as follows:

1. Pattern of Assessment for Grade 9 NSQF (Practical)

External Practical Assessment 50 Marks			Internal Assessment 20 Marks		Total
External Practical Assessment (Hands on Skill)	Portfolio Assessment	Viva Voce Assessment	1 st Term Assignment	2 nd Term Project	
30 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	70 Marks

2. Pattern of Assessment for Grade 9 NSQF (Theory)

Theory 1 st Term A	Theory 2 nd Term B	Total A+B/2
30 Marks	30 Marks	60/2=30

3. Pattern of Assessment for Grade 10 NSQF (Theory & Practical)

Theory Board Exam	External Practical Assessment 50 Marks			Internal Assessment 20 Marks	
	External Practical Assessment (Hands on Skill)	Portfolio Assessment	Viva Voce Assessment	1 st Term Assignment	2 nd Term Project
30 Marks	30 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks

Therefore, All Heads of Schools are hereby informed to disseminate this information to all concerned and the copy of this circular should be displayed at a prominent place on the notice board of the school for the information of concerned.

Yours Faithfully,

(Serma Cynthia Gonsalves)
Secretary

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