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

Sub:-Regarding revised Scheme of Private Candidates and ITI Candidates
(Applying for Equivalency) of SSC /HSSC.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is informed that Board has revised Scheme of Private Candidates and ITI Candidates (applying for equivalency) from this Academic Year 2021-22. Private Candidates appearing for SSC/ HSSC and ITI Candidates (applying for equivalency) of SSC/HSSC will have to answer Internal Assessment in notified Schools in their respective Talukas near their residence.

❖ AGE CRITERIA

- The age for registration for Private Candidate shall be 16 years for SSC Examination as against to 17 years of age and 18 years for HSSC Examination as against 19 years of age not later than 01st March of the ensuing examination year e.g. if a candidate wishes to appear for March 2022 Exam the completed age should be 16 years not later than 01st March 2022 in case of SSC Examination.

❖ PATTERN OF ASSESSMENT FOR CLASS X & CLASS XII (PRIVATE CANDIDATES AND ITI CANDIDATES FOR EQUIVALENCY).

- The private candidates and ITI Candidates (applying of Equivalency Certificate of Class X and Class XII) shall be under Internal Assessment Scheme.
- List of Schools notified for Internal Assessment is attached herewith.
- 60% of registration fees in respect of Private Candidates and ITI Candidates will be granted to the notified schools/Higher Secondary Schools to conduct internal assessment and other guidance pertaining to the examination to the registered Private Candidates and ITI Candidates.

❖ FLEXIBILITY OF SUBJECTS

A. For ITI Candidates (SSC & HSSC): Currently two languages i.e. First Lang (English) & Second Lang (Hindi/Marathi/Konkani) are offered to the ITI candidates for equivalency certificate. The choice of subject shall be given as under:-

- Instead of First language candidate can select English Communication Skill.
- Second Language

B. For Private Students (SSC): The choice of subject shall be given as follows:-

- First Language or English Communication Skill.
- Second Language Hindi.
- Third Language.
- Mathematics subject.
- Science subject.
- Choice from Pre-Vocational Subjects in place of Social Science subject to availability in the notified school.

C. For Private Students (HSSC): The choice of subject shall be given as follows:-

- First Language or English Communication Skill.
- Second Language.
- Any Four non-practical Subjects.

❖ DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS (INTERNAL ASSESSMENT & TERMS).

(NON-PRACTICAL SUBJECTS)

FIRST INTERNAL TEST	SECOND INTERNAL TEST	THIRD INTERNAL TEST	FIRST TERM	SECOND TERM	TOTAL
A	B	C	D	E	F
20	20	20	40	40	100
$A+B+C = 60/3 = 20$					

(PRACTICAL SUBJECTS)

FIRST INTERNAL TEST	SECOND INTERNAL TEST	THIRD INTERNAL TEST	FIRST TERM	SECOND TERM	PRACTICAL	TOTAL
A	B	C	D	E	F	G
20	20	20	35	35	20	100
$A+B+C = 60/6 = 10$						

- **The Internal Assessment component will carry 10 or 20 Marks.**
- **The Terminal Exams will carry 70 or 80 Marks.**
- **The practical component will carry 20 Marks.**

❖ INTERNAL ASSESSMENT TESTS:

- **First Internal Test** (Formative Test) to be conducted by second week of August 2021. Duration will be of 01 hour.
- **Second Internal Test** (Formative Test) to be conducted by second week of October 2021. Duration will be of 01 hour.
- **Third Internal Test (Innovative Test)** in the form of presentation/ project / Practical / Unit Test / reading / group assignment. To commemorate India's 75 years of Independence and 60 years of Goa Liberation Day, students to submit an article or any activity on the progress or development of India & Goa at the State, National and International level as a part patriotism on the subject preferably on Education/ Agriculture/ Health / Science & Technology / IT / Economics/ History/ cooperation / Art & Culture etc.,. This activity will carry 10 marks out of 20 Marks of third test. This may be included in any one of the six subjects. Test to be completed mid-February 2022.

❖ **TERMINAL EXAMS 2021-2022:**

➤ **First Terminal Exam:**

- Paper will be in the form of MCQs based 01 mark questions to be conducted in November-December 2021 covering 50% of the portion and of 90 minutes duration.
- Exam will be conducted by the Board under the supervision of External Centre Conductors and Observers appointed by GBSHSE.
- The responses of students will be captured on OMR Sheets which after scanning may be directly uploaded at Board's Portal or alternately may be evaluated and marks obtained will be uploaded by the school on the very same day.
- Marks of the First Term Examination will contribute to the final overall score of the students.

➤ **Second Terminal Exam:**

- Paper will be in the form of subjective questions (case based/situation based, short answer/long answer type) to be conducted in March-April 2022 covering 50% of the portion and of 90 minutes duration.
- Exam will be conducted by the Board at the Examination Centre fixed by the Board.
- In case the situation is not conducive for normal descriptive Examination a 90 minutes MCQs based Exam will be conducted at the end of Term II also.
- Marks of the Second Term Examination would contribute to the final overall score of the students.

❖ **The Syllabus is uploaded on the Board website under header 'Student' – 'Study Material'.**

The content of this Circular should be brought to the notice of all concerned.



(Geraldina L. Mendes)
Secretary

Copy to:-

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2. The Director of SCERT, Alto Betim-Goa
3. Heads of Sections of this Office.

TALUKA WISE LIST OF SCHOOL FOR ENROLMENTS OF PRIVATE & ITI EQUIVALENCY CANDIDATES

(SSC/HSSC) INTERNAL ASSESSMENT SCHEME 2021-2022

Sr. no.	Name of Taluka	Name of the Schools	Address	SSC/HSSC
1	Bardez	L. D. Samant Memorial High School	Alto Porvorim Bardez Goa.	SSC
		Dr. Ambedkar Higher Secondary School	Colvale Bardez Goa	HSSC
2	Tiswadi	People's High School	Panaji Goa	SSC
		Fr. Agnel Higher Secondary School	Pilar, Tiswadi Goa	HSSC
3	Pernem	Shri Bhagawati High School	Pernem Goa	SSC
		Harmal Panchakroshi Higher Secondary & Institute of Vocational Studies	Harmal, Pernem Goa	HSSC
4	Bicholim	Shri Shantadurga Vidyalaya	Pirna, Bardez Goa	SSC
		Government Higher Secondary school	Sankhali	HSSC
5	Sattari	Government High school	Valpoi, Sattari Goa	SSC
		Government Higher Secondary school	Valpoi, Sattari Goa	HSSC
6	Ponda	Government High School	Sadar, Ponda Goa	SSC
		S. S. Samiti's Higher Secondary School	Kavlem, Ponda Goa	HSSC
7	Canacona	Government High School	Shrithal, Canacona Goa	SSC
		Government Higher Secondary School	Canacona Goa	HSSC
8	Salcete	Government Multipurpose High School	Borda Margao Salcete	SSC
		Infant Jesus Higher Secondary School	Colva Salcete Goa	HSSC

9	Sanguem	Union High School	Sanguem Goa	SSC
		Government Higher Secondary School	Sanguem Goa	HSSC
10	Quepem	Holy Cross Institute	Quepem Goa	SSC
		Pope John Higher Secondary School	Quepem Goa	HSSC
11	Dharbandoda	Government High School	Dayanandnagar Dharbandoda	SSC
		(Bhausahab Bandodkar Shikshan saunsthas) Vishweshwar Shankar Laad Higher Secondary School	Piliem, Dharbandoda	HSSC
12	Centre of CWSN Student	Sanjay Centre for Special Education	Porvorim Bardez Goa	SSC/HSSC


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