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Directorate of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1



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To

- The Deputy Director of Higher Education, All the Districts in Himachal Pradesh.
- 2 All the Principal/Headmaster, Govt./Pvt.Sen.Sec./High Schools in HP.

Subject: -

Regarding TAMANNA - An aptitude Test for Senior School students.

In pursuance to Government of India letter No. F.No. 11-20/2020-Sch.4 dated 28/10/2020, which has been received alongwith its enclosures through the Secretary (Edu.) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, on the subject cited above.

In this regard, the National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) and the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) have developed TAMANNA (Try And measure Aptitude And natural Abilities) - An aptitude test for Senior School Students to support students in making choices regarding educational/vocational courses as well as career related decisions. It will help the students and their parents also to make choices regarding educational/vocational courses as well as career-related decisions.

In view of above, the students may be encouraged to take the test. School-wise report about the students who have taken this test may please be sent to NCERT through e-mail Id: tamanna.ncert@ciet.inc.in on the prescribed format. Therefore, the copy of above mentioned letter alongwith enclosures and format is enclosed herewith for taking further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

Encls: As above

(Dr. Parmod Chauhan),

Addl. Director of Higher Education (C).

Himachal Pradesh

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Copy for information and further necessary action is forwarded to:-

The Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of H.P w.r.t. letter No. EDN-B-A(4)-1 2020 dated 16-02-2021 for information please.

2 Technical Officer, IT Cell, with the directions to upload this letter on the

Departmental website.

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Addl. Director of Higher Education (C),

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Government of India

Ministry of Education
(Department of School Education & Literacy)

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 28th October 2020

To,

The Secretaries (School Education) of all the States and Union Territories

Subject: TAMANNA - An Aptitude Test for Senior School students-reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that the National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) and the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) have developed TAMANNA (Try And Measure Aptitude And Natural Abilities) - An aptitude test for Senior School Students to support students in making choices regarding educational/vocational courses as well as career-related decisions. It enables stakeholders to know the aptitude of students of Class IX & Class X. The test provides information on student's specific abilities which would help in making educational and career choices. The aptitude test was piloted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) with around 17,000 students studying in classes IX and X in its affiliated schools across different parts of the country.

The details about use of aptitude test, dimensions measured in the test, construction and standardization of the test, administration and scoring and understanding the meaning of aptitude test scores are available in the following manuals:

- Test Booklet which contains items related to the seven dimensions, i.e., Language Aptitude, Abstract Reasoning, Verbal Reasoning, Mechanical Reasoning, Numerical Aptitude, Spatial Aptitude, and Perceptual Aptitude
- Guide for Teachers and Parents for administration, scoring and understanding the test scores
- Technical Manual which provides details of test construction and standardization

Two videos have also been prepared to familiarize school principals and teachers with different aspects of the aptitude test. Soft copy (PDF) of TAMANNA Aptitude Test and Videos are available on: https://ncert.nic.in/tamanna/index.html

- TAMANNA Aptitude Test is optional for use by schools and respective State Governments to benefit the students.

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You are requested kindly to consider administering this aptitude test on the students of Classes IX and X in the schools under the jurisdiction of the State/UT Government to make the career guidance accessible to all children. This endeavor will go a long way in helping students of your schools and their parents to make choices regarding educational/vocational courses as well as career-related decisions. Therefore, the students may be encouraged to take the test. School-wise report about the students who have taken this test may please be sent in the enclosed format to NCERT at tamanna.ncert@ciet.nic.in

Yours faithfully,

Encl. As above

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Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tel. 2338 3414

Copy to.

1. The Director, NCERT, Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi-16.

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TAMANNA: An Aptitude Test for Senior School Students

Format for reporting

(Please fill the following information and send it by mail to: tamanna.ncert@ciet.nic.in)

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