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Subject: Implementation of Revised Time-Table from Class III to VIII to IX from Academic Year 2026-27 and Onwards reg

Madam/Sir,

In view of the period allocation (class-wise and subject-wise) aligned with NCFSE 2023 and KVS requirements, a revised timetable for Classes I to VIII was issued vide letter F. No. 11350/2025-26/KVS (HQs)/ Acad dated 24.01.2025. Subsequently, vide letter No. F. 110333/2025-26/KVS (HQs)/ Acad/695-719 dated 19.02.2026, certain corrections in the staffing norms for Vice Principals, Headmasters/Headmistresses, Assistant Section Officers, Senior Secretariat Assistants, Junior Secretariat Assistants, and sub-staff were communicated.

2. In addition to the above, the Time-Table for Class IX has been revised in line with NCF-SE 2023 and the CBSE Secondary School Curriculum (Part-I) for Classes IX-X for the Academic Session 2026-27 onwards.
3. Further, KVS has already implemented Artificial Intelligence as a skill subject from Class VI onwards. CBSE has now released a revised syllabus and content Curriculum Document for Computational Thinking (CT) and Artificial Intelligence (AI) for Classes III to VIII, to be implemented from the Academic Session 2026-27. In Class IX, CT & AI will be introduced as modular components (modules to be provided by NCERT). This will become a compulsory subject in Class IX from the Academic Session 2027-28. The said document outlines the curriculum structure, including curricular goals, competencies, learning outcomes, and detailed syllabus, along with pedagogical approaches, resources, assessment strategies, and implementation guidelines.
4. In order to effectively accommodate and systematise the implementation of Computational Thinking (CT) and Artificial Intelligence (AI), minor modifications have been made in the previous Time-Table for Classes III to VIII circulated vide letter No. 11350/2025-26/KVS (HQs)/ Acad dated 24.01.2025.
5. The Time-Table for classes X to XII will remain same as circulated vide this office letter dated 13.08.2018 for the Academic Session 2026-27. However, the progressive changes will be implemented accordingly from the Academic Session 2027-28 and onwards.
6. There is no change in the Time-Table/Period Allocation for Classes I-II at the Foundation Stage (Annexure I). The revised Time-Table/Period Allocation for

Classes III-V, VI-VIII, and Class IX are provided in Annexures II, III, and IV respectively.

7. Following directions to be given to KVs for effective implementation of Revised Time-Table:

- I. Revised Subject-wise Allocation of Periods for Classes I to IX is to be followed in all KVs from the Academic Session 2026-27 & onwards. Revised Time-Table has been prepared on the recommendations of NCFFS 2022 and NCFSE 2023 making certain changes as per requirement of KVS.
- II. In Academic Session 2026-27 only two languages will be taught in class IX viz Hindi/Sanskrit as R1 and English as R2.
- III. At present, Sanskrit is the only language offered as R3 for Classes VI to VIII. However, in pursuance of KVS (HQs) letter dated 10.04.2026 introducing the State's Major Language as an alternative option under R3, the Secondary School Curriculum R3 shall be implemented in a phased manner. Accordingly, R3 (Sanskrit/Major State Language) will be made compulsory from Class VI with effect from the Academic Session 2026-27, ensuring that every learner studies at least two Indian languages. The implementation schedule, as notified by the CBSE, is as follows:

Academic Session	Class in which R3 is compulsory
2026-27	Class VI
2027-28	Class VI, VII
2028-29	Class VI, VII, VIII
2029-30	Class VI, VII, VIII, IX
2030-31	Class VI, VII, VIII, IX, X

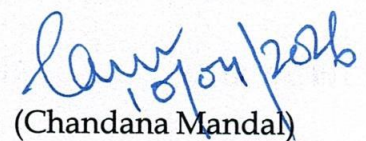
- IV. Further, a new subject i.e. Interdisciplinary Area (Individuals in Society) has been introduced in class IX. 02 periods have been allocated for the same. This subject will be taught by Social Science Teachers teaching class IX. (Chapter 7, Para 7.5.3 of NCF SE 2023).
- V. All subject teachers teaching Classes III to V shall integrate Computational Thinking (CT) within their respective subjects to promote interdisciplinary learning. However, considering that CT is primarily rooted in logical reasoning, problem-solving, pattern recognition, and algorithmic thinking, Mathematics teachers shall take the lead in its effective transaction. Accordingly, teachers teaching Mathematics in Classes III to V are supposed to integrate CT with Mathematics through additional resources and handbooks. For this purpose, the periods allotted to Mathematics have been increased from 8 to 10, and the additional 02 periods shall be fruitfully utilised for strengthening students' Computational Thinking (CT) and critical thinking skills.
- VI. Similarly, out of the 07 periods allotted to Mathematics (increased from 6 to 7 from the Academic Session 2026-27) to class VI to VIII, 02 periods to be utilised for Computational Thinking (CT) through appropriate resources and activities, aimed at strengthening students' analytical and critical thinking skills.
- VII. In class VI to VIII, periods allocated for Digital Literacy (formerly Computer Literacy) will be taken by PGT CS/Computer Instructor/TGT-WE as per availability. Out of 2 periods, one period will be utilised for introductory concept of AI. Students will also be allotted two project of 20 Hrs each (total

- 40 hours of Project). Assessment of Project Work will be done by PGT (Computer Science)/Computer Instructor/TGT(WE) for both CT and AI components.
- VIII. The Curriculum and class-wise Student's Handbook/ Teacher's Handbook for class III to VIII are available at CBSE Academic Website under the head CT&AI. Module of CT & AI for Class IX will be issued by NCERT separately.
- IX. For the Academic Session 2026-27, Artificial Intelligence in Classes X and above shall continue to be taught as per the existing practice. The revised subject components, as outlined above, will be implemented in a phased manner beginning with the Academic Session 2027-28.
- X. Two periods for Creative Learning Activities (Formerly CCA) will be allotted to all cadres of teachers, as per the existing practices. Various Club (Health Club, SDG Club, STEM Club, Readers' Club, Standard Club, Eco-Club for Mission LiFE etc.) activities, BS&G, ACP/FCP and various competitions and best practices adopted by KVs to be conducted in such a manner where all students of all classes are to be engaged.
- XI. Wherever, the workload of PRT Music, TGT (WE), TGT (AE) and TGT (P&HE) increases considerably due to the revised period allocation, Vocational or Computer Instructors may be engaged as per KVS norms.
- XII. To maintain uniformity in all classes, Snacks-Break (10 Minutes) after second period and Recess (20 Minutes) after the fourth period, will be applicable to all classes including Classes IX to XII.

In addition, it is requested that KVs under the Region may be personally monitored and guided to ensure effective implementation of the revised timetable for Classes I to IX (as applicable) from the Academic Session 2026-27 onwards in all Kendriya Vidyalayas.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours sincerely,



(Chandana Mandal)

Additional Commissioner (Acad)

Encl: As above.

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