



CIRCULAR FOR CLASS X

TIS/ VV/ 2025-26/076

August 2025

Two Examination Policy – 2025-26

Dear Parent

As per the recommendations of the NEP - 2020, CBSE is implementing the policy of Two Examinations in Class X from 2025-26.

The features of the Two Examination Scheme are as follows-

1) General Conditions-

- It is mandatory for all the students to appear in the First / Main examination.
- All passed and eligible students will be allowed to improve their performance in any three subjects in the 2nd examination.
- If a student has not appeared in 3 or more subjects in the first examination, then she/ he will not be allowed to appear in the 2nd examination. Such students will be placed in the “Essential Repeat” category and can take examination only next year in the main examinations in the month of February.
- Students who get compartment in the first examination will be allowed to appear in the 2nd examination under compartment category.

2) Conduct of Internal Assessment

- Internal assessment will be conducted only once before the main examination and marks will be uploaded on CBSE Portal once only.

3) Syllabus and Scheme of Examinations

- Both the examinations will be conducted on the full syllabus
- The scheme of studies and scheme of examination will remain the same

4) Schedule of Examinations

- Main or the first examination will begin from Mid - February 2026.
- 2nd examination will be conducted in the month of May 2026

5) Result Declaration

- Result of first/ main examination will be declared in the month of April 2026.
- Result of 2nd examination will be declared in the month of June 2026.
- Merit certificate will be issued after the second examination

6) Post Result Facilities

- Facilities of obtaining photocopy of answer sheet, verification and re- evaluation will be available only after declaration of results of 2nd examination for both the examinations.

7) Admission in Class XI

- Students who have not qualified in the main examination will be allowed provisional admission in Class XI and based on the result of the 2nd examination, their admission will be confirmed.