Promotion Policy for Class VIII as per Directorate of Education

The Promotion Policy for class VIII for the academic session 2023-24 is as below-

1. Term-Wise weightage of Marks of Class VIII (Scholastic Area)-

Subject	Mid-Term Exam	Annual Exam	Total Marks
Theory - 70 Marks & Internal Assessment - 30 Marks	20	50	Theory- 70 IA - 30

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2. Passing Criteria:

- a. Promotion to the next higher class shall be decided on the basis of cumulative results of average marks of best two Periodic Tests out of three (5 Marks), Multiple Assessment (5 Marks), Portfolio (5 Marks), Subject Enrichment Activities (5 Marks), Attendance of students(5 Marks), Project based activities(5 Marks) Mid-Term exam (20 Marks) and Annual Examination (50 Marks). Total Marks 100 in each subject of Class VIII.
- b. In order to be declared 'PASS' at the end of the session, a student must secure at least 33% marks in each of the six subjects. He/she must secure overall 33% marks i.e 33 marks out of 100. [Internal assessment (30 marks) and External assessment (70 marks) put together]. The promotion is also subject to the condition that a minimum of 25% of marks should be secured in the Annual Exam i.e. 13 marks out of 50 Marks.

3. Absence in Exam:

Absence in the examination or part thereof without medical certificate to be submitted within three working days of the date of absence at the exam shall be considered as wilful absence and no mark, credit or allowance shall be given for the days of absence

4. Re- Examination:

- a. A student who appears in the Annual Examination can be declared eligible for appearing at the Re-Examination in all the failing subjects. Such a student shall be eligible to appear in subject(s) at a subsequent Examination to be held in school on a date as decided by school.
- b. The Re-Examination will be conducted on the same pattern of Annual Exam i.e. 2 hours and 30 minutes duration and 60 marks. Weightage of marks obtained by the students in Re-examination will be proportionately calculated out of 70 marks.
- c. Marks of the Internal Assessment will be carried forward and added with the marks obtained by the student in the Re-Examination.

5. Passing Criteria for Re- Examination:

In order to be declared 'Pass' in the Re-Examination, a student will have to secure at least 25% marks in the subject(s) in which he/she has taken the Re-Examination i.e 18 marks out of 70, provided that a minimum of 33 marks out of 100 are secured in total.i.e. Marks of Re- Examination plus marks of Internal Assessment

6. Criteria for Essential Repeat:

- a. If a student does not secure at least 25 % marks in the subject of Re- Examination and minimum of 33 out of 100 marks in that subject(s) or does not appear in the Re-Examination, he/she shall be placed in the category of "Essential Repeat".
- b. A student of class VIII who is not eligible for Pass, Promotion and placed in the category of "Essential Repeat" (ER) will be held back in the same class during the next session.

7. Criteria of Attendance

Students shall not be eligible to appear at any exam, if he/she has not put in at least 75% actual attendance of the total attendance during the session up to the date of the 100 24 m 2/2/2/2 4 annual exam.

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