

NO : CBSE/831075/EX-00679-2425/2024-25/

Dated: 28/02/2024

The Manager,
BETHANY SCHOOL

KARNATAKA, DAKSHINA KANNADA, 574151

(M:)

SUBJECT: -Extension of General Affiliation up to Secondary Level.

This is with reference to school application on the subject cited above. In this connection, I am directed to convey the approval of the Board for Extension of General Affiliation as per details given below:-

Affiliation No used as User ID for both OASIS and LOC/Registration System	831075
School No	46703
Affiliated for	Extension of General Affiliation
Category	Extension of Affiliation
Period of affiliation	01.04.2024 to 31.03.2030

Sl. No.	The school is directed to ensure that :
1	The total number of sections of Bal Vatika shall be restricted to 06 (two sections each in Bal Vatika I, II & III respectively). The total number of sections of the school from class I to X shall be restricted to 20. The optimum number of the students shall be restricted to 40 in each section. Further, increase of sections shall be subject to specific approval of the Board on the basis of the request of the school as per affiliation bye law and availability of class rooms of greater than 500 sq ft dimension.
2	There is a variation in the land area, as per online application school is running on 8094 sq mtrs of land. However, as per land certificate school is running on 8229.67 sq mtrs. Thus, the school is required to clarify the corrected land area on which school is running and according either to apply for land increase (when the portal is open) or submit the revised land certificate (appendix – X as prescribed in circular no. 12/2022) with corrected land details according to the actual land holding within 03 months and submit the undertaking (apply for land increase) or the revised land certificate in the compliance.
3	The school has 08 TGT and 04 PRT short to maintain section teacher ratio. Thus the school is required to appoint qualified 08 TGT and 04 PRT within 03 months and submit the appointment letter along with educational certificates in the compliance.
4	The building safety certificate does not have date of expiry. Thus, the school is required to obtain renewed certificate issued by an officer not below the rank of an Assistant Engineer of the Government works department with details of number of floors and validity within 03 months and submit the same in the compliance.
5	The composite science lab is set-up on the make-shift tables. It does not have permanent fixtures, washbasin (with water tap) as well as gas connection in the workstation, sufficient storage facility and exhaust fan. Further, few tables have been placed adjacent to the wall, which is not suitable for conducting practical. Thus, the school is required to set-up the same as per Board's SoP within 03 months and submit the compliance

6	The school has converted the staircase into ramp to access upper floors, which is not acceptable. It is very steep and does not seem to be navigable by a wheelchair-bound student/staff. Thus, the school is required to dismantle the same and construct ramp/ lift to access upper floors with proper incline and safety features as per the provisions laid down in RPWD Act and Board's guidelines within 03 months and submit the compliance.
7	The boundary wall has not been covered in the videography. Thus, the school is required to submit a video link covering entire boundary wall from all sides (school should be constructed with concrete wall with 6 ft of height) in continuity within 03 months in the compliance.
8	The school has insufficient number of CwSN toilets, moreover they are converted from regular cubicles. They are very narrow and there is no room for a wheelchair/walker to navigate. Thus, the school is required to construct the CwSN toilets separately for boys and girls on each floor with sufficient space for easy movement of the wheelchair as well as handrail on both side of toilet seat (fixed and movable) and proper permanent signage (on the cubicle indicating the floor number) as per norms of RPwD Act and board's guidelines within 03 months and submit the compliance.
9	The school shall conduct training of its teachers with CoE Bengaluru within 03 months and submit the compliance.

Compliance of the above mentioned points shall be submitted within 03 months on the SARAS Portal. Failure to comply within the prescribed time shall invite financial penalty @ 50,000/- every month until compliance is submitted and shall debar the school from filling the registration and LOC of students class IX to class XII, as the case may be.

The above sanction is subject to fulfillment of following conditions:-

1. The approval is based upon the documents /data/information uploaded by the school online. The school will be responsible for its genuineness. In case of any discrepancies, necessary action will be initiated against the school as per Affiliation Bye -Laws-2018.
2. The school will follow the RTE Act, 2009 and instructions issued thereon by the CBSE/Respective State /UT Govt. from time to time. The school will also abide by the conditions prescribed, if any, by the State Government concerned.
3. The School is required to apply online for extension of affiliation along with the requisite fee and other documents as per Rule 10.3 of Affiliation Bye Laws.
4. The school should go through the provision of Affiliation and Examination Bye Laws and subsequent amendment therein as well as circulars and guidelines /instructions issued by the Board time to time and keep a copy there of for reference purpose and is also advised to regularly visit CBSE websites i.e., <http://cbseacademic.nic.in/> & <http://cbse.nic.in/> for updates.
5. The school is required to renew mandatory certificates from time to time.
6. The school shall be solely responsible for any legal consequences arising out of the use of school name/logo/society/trust or any other identity /activity related to running of school affiliated to CBSE. All legal expenses incurred by the Board, if any, arising out of these circumstances, shall be borne by the school.
7. The school shall not remove the documents and videography links in the mandatory disclosure section of its website.
8. The school shall follow the SOPs of the Board for its Laboratories, Library and sports facilities issued by the Board vide circular no 11 dated 04.10.2022.

"The school shall possess valid fire safety certificate and Building safety certificate during functioning of the school which shall be renewed from time to time as per norms".

the compliance is not submitted with in the stipulated 3 months , the Board may enhance the penalty amount and debar the schools from filling up registration/LOC details of students of classes IX to XII, as the case may be, in the next academic session i.e. 2024-25.

DEPUTY SECRETARY/JOINT SECRETARY (AFF.)

This is an electronically generated document. It does not need any signature.

*To verify the authenticity of the document , please visit
(<http://www.saras.cbse.gov.in/saras/AffiliatedList/ListOfSchdirReport>).*