

SAMAGRA SHIKSHA-DELHI
(A Society under Education Department, Govt. of NCT Delhi)
Directorate of Education: Sports & Physical Education Branch
Chhatrasal Stadium, Model Town, Delhi-110009

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CIRCULAR

Subject: - Activities under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat 2023-24 under Samagra Shiksha scheme for Financial Year 2023-24.

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat was announced by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 31st October, 2015 on the occasion of the 140th Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. Through this innovative measure, the States/UTs are to embark on a mission to enhance their cultural, academic and economic ties by entering into a wide range of mutual engagements with the paired States/UTs covering the spheres of music, drama, cuisine, language, history, tourism and other forms of exchange between the people.

Objectives of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat:

- To celebrate the unity in diversity of our nation and to maintain and strengthen the fabric of traditionally existing emotional bonds between the people of our country;
- To promote the spirit of national integration through a deep and structured engagement between all states and Union Territories;
- To showcase the rich heritage and Culture, Customs and Traditions of either State for enabling people to understand and appreciate the diversity that is India, thus fostering a sense of common identity;
- To create an environment this promotes learning between States by sharing Best Practices and Experiences.

In the PAB for the year 2023-24, Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat activity has been approved for Secondary Level and the state of Sikkim is the pairing state of Delhi for this year also.

In compliance to the objectives of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat, the Calendar of activities from July 2023 till 31st March 2024 have been finalized and the HOS are directed to conduct the activities according to the given calendar:

Calendar of Activities (Secondary Level) for Schools of DOE under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat between Sikkim and NCT of Delhi.

| Sl. No. | Name of the event | Duration | Venue | Remarks, if any |
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| 1 | Slogan writing on the nature/ flora & fauna beauty nature scene life of Sikkim | July 2023 | School | The students will be able to learn about the culture partnering |

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| 2 | Poster mailing on the theme related to culture of pasturing state/UT | August 2023 | School | Will enable the student to know more & get knowledge and understanding of partnering state. |
| 3 | Cultural competition (Folk Song/Dance) of Sikkim | September 2023 | School | Improve writing skills and develop the understanding about culture of Sikkim |
| 4 | Pledge taking on National Unity Day on 31 st October 2023 | October 2023 | School | It will provide a common platform a sense of Unity and responsibility, sensitivity knowledge about each other state & harmony. |
| 5 | Corner making display board on the life of Sikkim. | November 2023 | School | Will enable the students to learn about the cultural rituals costumes of partnering state/UT. |
| 6 | Poster making on the theme related to culture of pasturing state/UT Sikkim | December 2023 | School | Students will able to know about language of Sikkim States. |
| 7 | Question bank on the rituals/costumes/cultural/life of pasturing state/UT Sikkim | January 2024 | School | The students will get the chance to learn about the cultural activities of partnering State/UTs and show |
| 8 | State day celebration of the partner State/UT on the date of State Day | February 2024 | School | Maintain records of participation in various activities done under EBSB |
| 9 | Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) School report | July to march 2024 | School | Documentation of activities quarterly (digitally)and annually (digitally & manually) under the EBSB Programmes |

Zone wise monthly compiled report of the activities (as tabled above) to be sent along with pictures/ short videos by the SPE's to this branch for onward submission.

This issues, with the prior approval of competent authority.

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04-07-2023
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Asstt. Director of Education (PE&NI)

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3. All RDEs, Directorate of Education, Delhi.
4. The Dy. Director Sports, Chhatrasal Stadium, Model Town, Delhi.
5. All DDE Districts & Zones
6. All the SPE's Zones for strict compliance.
7. OS (IT) with the request to place the circular on website.

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