

## **National Council of Educational Research and Training** **Stay Safe from Coronavirus (COVID-19) and Learn at Home**

### **Access and use Digital initiatives of NCERT under the aegis of MHRD-Govt. of India**

**ePathshala for Digital Books and eContents:** Using ePathshala web portal and mobile app (Android, iOS, Windows) students, teachers, teacher educators and parents can access more than 600 digital books including 377 e-textbooks (classes I to XII) and 3500 audios and videos of NCERT for free in various languages (Hindi, English, Sanskrit and Urdu). Access e-Pathshala free on: [epathshala.nic.in](http://epathshala.nic.in)

**SWAYAM for Online Courses:** NCERT has launched 28 online courses for students (Classes XI & XII) and teachers on SWAYAM portal. Students and teachers can access all the course modules (text, videos and assessment questions) free by logging on to: [swayam.gov.in](http://swayam.gov.in)

**Swyam Prabha for ETV Programmes:** e-Contents of NCERT are telecast on \*Kishore Manch\* DTH TV channel on 24×7 basis for students of classes IX to XII in all subjects. Students can utilize TV sets to watch educational videos for free and enhance their knowledge by connecting to NCERT's SWAYAM Prabha channel #31. The channel can be accessed on DD Free Dish Channel #128; Dish TV Channel #2370, Tatasky #756, Airtel #440, Videocon #477 and Jio TV Mobile App and on [swyamprabha.gov.in](http://swyamprabha.gov.in). Viewers can interact with experts on Toll Free Number: 1800111265, 1800112199, Email ID: [kishorem Manch@ciet.nic.in](mailto:kishorem Manch@ciet.nic.in). Video programmes can be accessed on Official YouTube Channel of NCERT: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCT0s92hGjqLX6p7qY9BBrSA/featured>

**NISHTHA:** National Initiatives for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement (NISHTHA) is an integrated Teacher Training Portal and Mobile App (Android) created for capacity building programme of 42 lakhs Elementary School Teachers (Classes I to VIII). Pupil teachers, Teachers can access all course modules, videos, audios and other material free online any time anywhere by logging on to: [nishtha.gov.in](http://nishtha.gov.in)

**NROER:** National Repository of Open Educational Resources (NROER) web portal is a store house of e-contents for students, teachers, teacher educators and parents. There are about 17,500 e-contents of NCERT and other collaborative partners available on NROER for free in various school subjects (Classes I to XII). These curriculum-based e-contents can be accessed by logging on to: [nroer.gov.in](http://nroer.gov.in). These contents are also available on official YouTube channel of NCERT.

**DIKSHA:** Digital Infrastructure for Knowledge Sharing (DIKSHA) portal and mobile app have been created by MHRD-Govt. of India. It is a store house of large number of e-books and econtents created by states/UTs and National level organizations including NCERT. The eTextbooks of NCERT and mapped e-contents mapped with QR Codes are available on DIKSHA. Log on to: <https://diksha.gov.in/> <https://diksha.gov.in/ncert/>

**Alternative Academic Calendar:** An Alternative Academic Calendar has been developed for all the level of School Education to facilitate its use by students and teachers and learn from home.

**Webinar on ICTs in Education:** In order to orient the teachers on various ICT tools for teaching – learning and assessment, a Webinar has been planned and executed, which could be seen on “Kishore Manch DTH TV” and NCERT official Youtube channel.

**Online Quiz on the Constitution of India:** To sensitize the students on the Constitution of India, an online quiz has been created and available on [diksha.gov.in](http://diksha.gov.in)