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To

The Headmaster / Headmistress of all Government & Govt. Aided Primary, Upper Primary & Secondary Schools

Subject: PARAKH 2024: Instructions to Heads of schools

Ref. No.: SCERT/NAS 2024/1328/2024/1932 dated 02/09/2024

Sir / Madam,

PARAKH Rashtriya Sarvekshan 2024 earlier known as NAS, is scheduled tentatively in early December, 2024. The state of Goa has initiated <u>PaRaS</u> (<u>Performance</u>, <u>Assessment</u>, <u>Review</u>, <u>Analysis and Strengthening</u>). Under PaRaS, SCERT will support all schools in the following activities to help students and teachers get ready for the assessment.

Activity	Dates
Daily Practice Questions (DPQ)	23 Sept onwards
Weekly Practice Questions (WPQ)	27 Sept, 4 Oct, 21 Nov
Mock Test (MT)	11 Oct, 28 Nov

All daily questions and related instructions will be shared via WhatsApp channel. All the concerned Heads / Teachers are requested to scan the below QR Code to join the WhatsApp Channel.



Class 3 WhatsApp channel QR Code



Class 6 WhatsApp channel QR Code



Class 9 WhatsApp channel QR Code



Website QR Code

Support from SCERT

- 1. Provide daily questions, weekly practice questions and mock test papers with answer key.
- 2. Provide continual support through sharing effective teaching micro-practices through WhatsApp channels and VSK website
- 3. Visits and in-person workshops, based on need, to support teachers and principals in schools
- 4. Regular INteractions (ReINs): This online meeting, conducted by SCERT will also be live on YouTube for all the teachers and heads. It will address teacher challenges, provide information, review progress, acknowledge small and large wins and recognize teachers and heads for their efforts.

Role of School Heads:

Supervise the daily questions and weekly practices by the respective teachers through classroom rounds, post activity debriefs and progress charts.

- 1. Ensure every staff meeting also discusses student progress in PaRaS
- 2. Attend ReIN meetings along with at least one teacher from their school

Role of Teachers:

Ensure that the daily questions and weekly practices are conducted to nudge students to think. Teachers must ask questions to individual students, motivate students to reply and refrain from telling answers till the end.

- 1. Attend ReIN meetings.
- 2. Suggest good practices they do in their classrooms so that other schools can benefit.

All the Heads of the institutions are requested to extend all the support in this drive and also convey the information to all the teachers and students in their respective schools.

Yours faithfully,

(Meghana Shetgaonkar) Director SCERT

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- 1. The Director of Education, Porvorim Goa
- 2. The State Project Director, Goa Samagra Shiksha, Porvorim
- 3. The Secretary, Goa Board of Sec. & Hr. Sec. Education, Porvorim
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