

MOUNT CARMEL SCHOOL, CHANDIGARH

Dated: 14-10 -2024

NOTICE
Dear Parents/Guardian (Classes III to X),

Greetings from Mount Carmel School, Chandigarh!

Reg.: International Benchmark Tests Mains-2024 by Australian Council for Educational Research.

The Australian Council for Educational Research (India) organizes International Benchmark Tests. IBT is a high-quality online assessment programme that has been designed to assess the learning outcomes of students in **English, Mathematics, Science & Reasoning** in classes 3–10.

Why IBT?

- 1. Student performance results of IBT are obtained by employing ACER's proprietary Conquest statistical software that applies advanced psychometric methods of data analysis. ACER has more than 90 years of experience in educational research and assessment.
- 2. IBT online is administered through ACER's secure and reliable platform, Online Assessment and Reporting System (OARS). OARS has been used by educational institutions around the globe to assess students confidently, including for high-stakes tests. IBT online assessments are easy to administer and require minimum preparation for test invigilators.
- 3. The learning data from IBT will help to answer specific questions related to student learning in line with the priorities highlighted in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020.

Benefits of IBT:-

- 1. Identify and monitor student's strengths and areas for improvement.
- 2. Compare student's performance to students in other countries.
- 3. Assess deep conceptual understanding rather than rote learning.
- 4. Measure and develop higher order thinking skills.

Fee Details (Minimum 2 subjects are compulsory):-

| No. of subjects | Fee (In Rupees) |
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| Any two | 440/- |
| Any three subjects | 660/- |
| All four subjects (English, Mathematics, Science | 880/- |
| & Reasoning) | |

Please note that this is an optional activity.

If you are interested in the participation of your ward in the International Benchmark Tests, you may fill up the Consent Form given below and send it back to the respective class teacher along with the requisite fee by 21-10-2024.

Dr. Parveena John Singh Principal

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CONSENT

| I, Mr. / Mrs | , father / mother of | | |
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| Class, Section | n, do hereby give our consent to allow our ward to participa | ite in | th |
| International Benchmark t | tests-2024 for the subjects | | |
| 100 | | and | pa |
| Rupees | towards the registration for the same. | | |
| Signature of Father Mobile No.: | | - - | |
| Date: | | | |