

**Nagaland Board of School Education
Kohima**

NOTIFICATION NO. 27/2021

Dated Kohima, the 31st March 2021

NO.NBE-8/Ad-Misc(10)/2020-21:: It is hereby notified for the information of Heads of Registered Institutions that the Ministry of Education, Government of India has directed State Boards to administer an aptitude test for students of Classes IX & X.

This aptitude test titled, TAMANNA (Try And Measure Aptitude And Natural Abilities) developed by the National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) and the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), **aims to support students in making choices regarding educational/vocational courses as well as career-related decisions and enable stakeholders to know the aptitude of students of Classes IX & X.**

The details about use of aptitude test, dimensions measured in the test, construction and standardization of the test, administration & scoring, and understanding the meaning of aptitude test scores are available in the following manuals:

- a) Test Booklet which contains items related to the seven dimensions, ie, Language Aptitude, Abstract Reasoning, Verbal Reasoning, Mechanical Reasoning, Numerical Aptitude, Spatial Aptitude and Perceptual Aptitude.
- b) Guide for Teachers and Parents for administration, scoring and understanding the test scores.
- c) Technical Manual which provides details of test construction and standardization.

Two videos have also been prepared to familiarize school Principals and teachers with different aspects of the aptitude test. Soft copy (pdf) and videos are also available on <https://ncert.nic.in/tamanna/index.html>

A school-wise report about the students who have taken the test in the prescribed format may be furnished directly to the National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) at tamanna.ncert@ciet.nic.in

All Heads of Registered Institutions are hereby requested to administer this test for the students of Classes IX & X in the interests of the students.



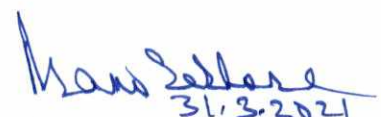
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Chairman

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A. Copy to:

1. The Heads of Registered Institutions under NBSE, for information and necessary action.
2. The Special Secretary to the Government of Nagaland, School Education & SCERT, Nagaland, Kohima.
3. The Principal Director, School Education, Nagaland, Kohima for information.
4. Office copy.



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