Nagaland Board of School Education Kohima

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Dated Kohima, the 27th November 2025

No.NBE-2/Ad-MIL(10) /2025-26 :: In the continuing spirit of commemorating Mahakavi Subramania Bharati's birth anniversary each year, the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education is celebrating the upcoming Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025, on December 11, 2025 with the theme, "Many Languages, One Emotion". This celebration embodies the spirit of unity and shared cultural identity that threads together India's vast and varied lisguistic heritage. This celebration is a tribute to Mahakavi Bharati's enduring legacy and seeks to promote and honour the linguistic diversity that enriches the nation's cultural fabric.

Language is the cornerstone of cultural identity and a vital medium through which our collective heritage is expressed. The National Education Policy 2020 also recognizes the importance of our languages and conserving each through adoption of multilingual pedagogical practices. Based on the theme of this year's Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav, a series of cultural programmes, competitions, and educational activities may be organized from 4th to 11th December 2025. The essence of these activities may be to:

- Foster deeper appreciation of Indian languages and literature among school students.
- Encourage the spirit of Ek Bharat Shresth Bharat by promoting the learning of more Bharatiya Bhasha.
- Strengthen national integration through cultural empathy and linguistic inclusivity.
- Contribute to the long-term vision of developing India as a truly multilingual, knowledge driven society.

The Concept note and list of suggestive activities mentioned below outlines a comprehensive set of activities to be undertaken at the school and cluster levels:

- ❖ Bhasha Utsav Yatra: Community walk with messages of unity in different languages.
- * Language Immersion Camp: Interaction with speakers of various languages.
- ❖ Bhasha Kala Mahotsav: Cultural fair highlighting local exhibitions and performances.
- Bharatiya Bhasha Mahotsav: State-level event with exhibitions and performances.
- ❖ Awareness Drive (Bhasha Samvardhan Abhiyan): Campaigns to promote multilingualism.

All schools registered with Nagaland Board of School Education are encouraged to organize the Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025 on 11th December 2025, following the above recommendations. The schools should ensure that the activities are inclusive and reflect the linguistic diversity of Nagaland and share photos/videos of the activity on the following link for the purpose of documentation:

 $https://docs.google.com/speadsheets/d/1M1AqPohkxeJkz5RCBGOzjLAO_I12bQ-a/edit?gid=623945282$

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