

NAVY CHILDREN SCHOOL AIRPORT ROAD, DABOLIM -GOA

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Dear Parents,

- 1. NEP 2020 (National Education Policy) calls for a paradigm shift in the present education system from rote-memorization to conceptual understanding through competency based education. The same was seen in the last conducted Term I board examination for Class X and XII in Nov Dec 2021. We, at NCS Goa, too, feel that our students must sharpen their higher order thinking skills such as analysis, critical thinking & conceptual clarity.
- 2. To promote competency based questioning methodology, CBSE is associated with Educational Initiatives (EI) a twenty year old multidimensional ed-tech company which is collaborating with CBSE for different academic projects.
- 3. El's flagship program ASSET assessment of scholastic skill through educational testing is Asia's largest skill based diagnostic and benchmarking test. It is NOT a competitive exam but helps identify lacunae in conceptual understanding. It is designed to assess the knowledge potential of the student and also the avenues of improvement in the teaching potential of faculty as well.
- 4. Students from Class III to X can apply for the program.
 - (a) Subjects covered English, Maths, Science, Hindi & Social science
- 5. For more details you may visit the website:

https://www.ei-india.com/asset

- 6. We are planning to introduce the ASSET at NCS, Goa. A webinar by the EI team has been organized in accordance with the following schedule. Interested parents may attend to know more from the representatives of this internationally acclaimed organization.
 - (a) Tuesday, 15th March 2022, 9:00 am onwards parents of Std VII to X
 - (b) Monday, 21st March 2022, 9:00 am onwards parents of Std III to VI
- 7. Zoom link for the session will be shared closer to the date.

Regards, NCS, Goa