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D.O. No. Secy(HE)/MHRD/2020

21st March, 2020

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Chairman, NIOS

All Autonomous organization under MHRD

Subject:- Preventive measures to achieve "social distancing" – permission to teaching and non-teaching staff to work from home

Dear

Kindly refer to my previous D.O. No. Secy(HR)/MHRD/2020 Dt 18.03.2020 whereby all on-going examinations and evaluation work were required to be postponed till 31.03.2020.

2. In order to ensure safety of the Faculty members/Teachers/Researchers/Non-Teaching staff of educational institutions, the following further precautions, should be taken:

- i) Faculty members/Teachers/Researchers/Non-Teaching staff under your organisation should be permitted and advised to work from home till 31.03.2020.
- ii) Faculty members/Teachers/Researchers should utilise this period for various academic activities such as:
 - a. Development of on-line content, on-line teaching and on-line evaluation.
 - b. Prepare lesson plan and develop instructional material for the courses to be offered during next academic year/next semester.
 - c. Carry on research.
 - d. Write articles, papers etc.
 - e. Prepare innovative questions for "Question Bank".
 - f. Prepare innovative projects on "Ek bharat Shrestha Bharat" and other topics.

- iii) The said period shall be counted as being on duty for all Faculty members/Teachers/Researchers/Non-teaching staff including Ad-hoc and contract Teachers whose contracts are valid at least upto 31.03.2020.
- iv) Students, who are still in the hostels, particularly foreign students, should be allowed to continue in their hostels and advised to take all necessary safety precaution.

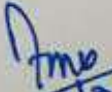
3. All Faculty members/Teachers/Researchers/Non-teaching staff should provide their contact details i.e Mobile No., email id, etc to their institutions so that they may be contacted in case of emergency.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


26/3/2020
(Amit Khare)

Copy to the Chief Secretary of all States and UTs with a request to consider similar guidelines for the educational institutions under their control


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D.O. No. Secy(HE)/MHRD/2020
20th March, 2020

COVID-19 : STAY SAFE
Digital Learning Initiatives of
Ministry of HRD

Dear *Chief Secretary,*

I am to request that there is a need to promote digital learning so that the students can continue their learning by making full use of the available Digital / e-Learning Platforms during the period the educational institutions are closed as a precautionary measure to fight COVID-19. A list of key Digital / e-Learning Platforms which are provided by MHRD for online education is as under:

(a) **SCHOOL EDUCATION**

DIKSHA:

Diksha has more than 80,000 e-Books for classes I to XII created by CBSE, NCERT and States / UT which are available in multiple languages. The contents can also be viewed through QR codes on textbooks. The app can be downloaded from IOS and Google Play Store.

Website: <https://diksha.gov.in> or <https://seshagun.gov.in/shagun>

e-PATHSHALA:

In this web portal NCERT has deployed 1886 audios, 2000 videos, 696 e-Books (e-Pubs) and 504 Flip Books for classes I to XII in different languages. Mobile Apps is available.

Website: <http://epathshala.nic.in> or <http://epathshala.gov.in>.

National Repository of Open Educational Resources (NROER):

NROER portal has a total of 14527 files including 401 collections, 2779 documents, 1345 interactive, 1664 audios, 2586 images and 6153 videos on different languages.

Website: <http://nroer.gov.in/welcome>

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(b) **HIGHER EDUCATION**

SWAYAM:

SWAYAM is the national online education platform hosting 1900 courses covering both school (classes IX to XII) and higher education (under graduate, post graduate programs) in all subjects including engineering, humanities and social sciences, law and management courses. A unique feature of SWAYAM is that, it is integrated with the conventional education. Credit transfers are possible for SWAYAM courses (max. 20%).

Website: swayam.gov.in

SWAYAM PRABHA:

SWAYAM Prabha has 32 DTH TV channels transmitting educational contents on 24 x 7 basis. These channels are available for viewing all across the country using DD Free Dish Set Top Box and Antenna. The channel schedule and other details are available in the portal. The channels cover both school education (classes IX to XII) and higher education (undergraduate, postgraduate, engineering Out-of-school children, vocational courses and teacher training) in arts, science, commerce, performing arts, social sciences and humanities subjects, engineering, technology, law, medicine, agriculture.

Website: swayamprabha.gov.in

2. Access / login to all the above platforms / facilities are free. In addition to above students can also be given projects, to be done at home, under "Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat", "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan", "Jal Shakti Abhiyan", "Ban on Single Use Plastic" and "Fit India".

3. I would appreciate if you could disseminate this information amongst the students and teachers to enable them to use these initiatives effectively.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Amit
20.3.2010
(Amit Khare)

The Chief Secretary (All States and UTs as per list attached)



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COVID-19

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निःशुल्क है

विद्यार्थियों, कोरोना वायरस को अपने अध्ययन में बाधा ना डालने दें
मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय की डिजिटल पहल

स्कूली शिक्षा

दीक्षा (DIKSHA)

दीक्षा प्लेटफॉर्म विद्यालय पाठ्यक्रम से सम्बंधित सीखने की रोचक सामग्री शिक्षकों, विद्यार्थियों एवं अभिभावकों के लिए उपलब्ध कराता है। इस ऐप को आइओएस एवं गूगल प्लेस्टोर से डाउनलोड किया जा सकता है।
वेबसाइट: <http://diksha.gov.in/>



ई-पाठशाला (E-Pathshala)
इस वेब पोर्टल और मोबाइल ऐप (एंड्रॉयड, आइओएस और विंडोज) को एनसीईआरटी द्वारा डिजाइन और परीनियोजित किया गया है। इस पोर्टल पर 1886 ऑडियो सामग्री, 2000 वीडियो, 696 ई-पुस्तकें और 504 मिलान पुस्तकें उपलब्ध हैं। कक्षा IX से XII के लिए उपलब्ध रोचक, संबंधित ई-सामग्री का अक्सर मत गैवाइए।
वेबसाइट: <http://epathshala.nic.in/>

स्वयं (SWAYAM)

इस ऑनलाइन शिक्षा प्लेटफॉर्म पर विद्यालयी और उच्च शिक्षा के विभिन्न ऑनलाइन पाठ्यक्रम प्रस्तुत हैं। एनसीईआरटी ने कक्षा IX - XII के लिए विद्यालयी शिक्षा प्रणाली हेतु 12 विषयों में 28 कोर्स मॉड्यूल विकसित किए हैं। वेबसाइट: <http://swayam.gov.in/>



स्वयं (SWAYAM)

ऑनलाइन शैक्षिक प्लेटफॉर्म गेजुएशन और पोस्ट गेजुएशन में पाठ्यक्रमों को प्रस्तुत करता है। इन पाठ्यक्रमों को कोई भी, कहीं भी और किसी भी समय देख सकता है। सभी पाठ्यक्रम अंतःक्रियात्मक (इंटरैक्टिव) हैं और देश के सर्वश्रेष्ठ शिक्षकों द्वारा तैयार किए गए हैं और किसी भी शिक्षार्थी के लिए निःशुल्क उपलब्ध हैं।
वेबसाइट: <http://swayam.gov.in/>



राष्ट्रीय मुक्त शैक्षिक संसाधन कोष (NROER)
यह पोर्टल विविध विषयों पर आधारित अनेक भाषाओं के गुणवत्तापूर्ण डिजिटल सामग्री से युक्त है। इसमें कुल 14,527 फाइलें हैं जिसमें 401 संकलन, 2779 दस्तावेज, 1345 इंटरैक्टिव सामग्री, 1664 ऑडियो सामग्री, 2,586 तस्वीरें और 6,153 वीडियो कार्यक्रम हैं। वेबसाइट: <http://nroer.gov.in/>

स्वयं प्रभा (SWAYAM PRABHA)

चैनल नम्बर 31 'किशोर मंच' पर कक्षा IX - XII के लिए सभी विषयों में एनसीईआरटी द्वारा मान्यता प्राप्त ई-सामग्री 24x7 प्रसारित की जाती है। चयनित राज्यों के लिए प्रतिदिन 4 घंटे की समयावधि स्वयं प्रभा डीटीएच पर अनुमोदित की गई है जहाँ चल रहे पाठ्यक्रम के अनुरूप विद्यालयी शिक्षा की ई-कक्षाएँ प्रसारित की जाएगी।
वेबसाइट: <https://www.swayamprabha.gov.in/>



स्वयंप्रभा (SWAYAM PRABHA)

स्वयंप्रभा के 32 चैनल, जो कि 24x7 गुणवत्ता परक उच्च शिक्षा की विषय वस्तु प्रसारित करते हैं, की मदद से आप घर बैठे नए कौशल अर्जित कर सकते हैं और अपनी उत्पादकता बढ़ा सकते हैं।
वेबसाइट: <http://www.swayamprabha.gov.in/>



निष्ठा (NISHTHA)
समेकित शिक्षक प्रशिक्षण पोर्टल और मोबाइल ऐप (एनसेयेड)। डाइट, डीएलएड संस्थाओं के शिक्षक और शिक्षक प्रशिक्षक सभी कोर्स-मॉड्यूल, वीडियो, ऑडियो एवं अन्य सामग्री किसी भी समय, कहीं भी, निरुशुल्क ऑनलाइन देख सकते हैं। वेबसाइट: nishtha.ncert.gov.in/



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Digital Initiatives of MHRD



SCHOOL EDUCATION

DIKSHA

The DIKSHA platform offers teachers, students and parents engaging learning material relevant to the prescribed school curriculum. The app can be downloaded from IOS and Google Play Store. [Website: https://diksha.gov.in/](https://diksha.gov.in/)



E-PATHSHALA

A web portal and mobile app (Android, iOS and Windows) designed and deployed by NCERT. The portal has **1886** audios, **2,000** videos, **696** e-books (e-pubs) and **504** flip books. Don't miss out on the interesting augmented reality e-content available for class IX - XII. [Website: http://epathshala.nic.in/](http://epathshala.nic.in/)



SWAYAM

Online education platform offering various online courses for school education and higher education. NCERT has developed **28** course modules for school education system in **12** subject areas (Accountancy, Business Studies, Bio, Eco, and more) for classes IX-XII. [Website: https://swayam.gov.in/](https://swayam.gov.in/)



National Repository of Open Educational Resources (NROER)

A portal equipped with best quality informational content on diverse topics in multiple languages with a total of **14,527** files which includes **401** collections, **2,779** documents, **1,345** interactive, **1,664** audio, **2,586** images & **6,153** videos. [Website: https://nroer.gov.in/](https://nroer.gov.in/)



SWAYAM PRABHA

Channel No. **31** 'Kishore Manch' telecasts e-contents approved by NCERT on a **24x7** for classes IX-XII in all subjects. Time-slots of 4 hours daily has been approved on SWAYAM Prabha DTH Channels for selected states where e-classes full of school education content aligned with the ongoing syllabus will be broadcasted. [Website: https://www.swayamprabha.gov.in/](https://www.swayamprabha.gov.in/)



NISHTHA

An integrated Teacher Training Portal and Mobile App (Android). Teachers of DIETs, DLED Institute and Teacher Educators can access all course modules, videos, audios and other material free online any time, anywhere. [Website: nishtha.ncert.gov.in](https://nishtha.ncert.gov.in)

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Online education platform hosting of courses in graduation and post-graduation to be accessed by anyone, anywhere at any time. All the courses are interactive, prepared by the best teachers in the country and are available, free of cost to any learner. [Website: https://swayam.gov.in/](https://swayam.gov.in/)



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