

CBSE/ADMIN/2018

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All Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: CBSE Teachers Awards 2017-18

The Central Board of Secondary Education instituted the 'Teacher Awards' under the aegis of MHRD in the year 2000 to give public recognition to the meritorious services of outstanding teachers of schools affiliated to it. Since then, these awards are given every year on Teachers' Day i.e. 5 September. Each award consists of a merit certificate, a shawl and a cash prize of ₹50,000/-.

In order to honour both outstanding teachers and principals, the Board has revised the criteria, guidelines and procedure of selection for these awards to make them more objective and transparent.

Category of Awards

Awards in various categories have been introduced to motivate Teachers across all disciplines. The number of awards has been increased from 34 to 48. The complete details along with the number of awards in each category are given at *Annexure 'A'*.

Eligibility

- Only a working teacher with at least 10 years of regular teaching experience in CBSE affiliated school(s) and working principals with 10 years of regular teaching experience and 5 years as a principal in a CBSE affiliated school(s) may apply for the CBSE Teacher Award.
- 2. A retired teacher is not eligible for the award but those teachers who have served a part of the calendar year (at least for four months i.e. upto 30th April in the year to which National Award/CBSE Award relates) pre-retirement may be considered if they fulfill all other conditions. The service rendered on reemployment after attaining the age of superannuation will not count as eligible service.
- 3. Teachers whose names were recommended last year or before but not awarded the National/CBSE Award will be considered again if they are still otherwise eligible and are duly recommended by the Head of the school.

Selection Criteria

The applicants will be evaluated on the basis of **general and specific criteria** as given at **Annexure** 'B'.

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Procedure for Application and Selection:

- Applications for the award would be accepted only through an online web portal. Please click here to register http://cbse.nic.in/newsite/award.html. The last date of submission of application is 13.07.2018. No other mode of submission of application is allowed.
- 2. Teachers, Counselors, Special Educators, Trainer and Heads of schools themselves shall apply directly by filling the application form online on or before the prescribed last date.
- 3. Each applicant shall give an undertaking that all the information/data submitted is true to the best of his/her knowledge. If anything is found to be false at any stage of selection, then he/she will be liable to disciplinary action. Even if award is conferred, the same will be withdrawn.
- 4. Top scorers *04 times the number of awards in each category* will be shortlisted based on general criteria. For deciding inter-se merit following criteria will be used:
 - a. Experience in related field
 - b. Higher Qualification
 - c. Percentage in Educational Qualification
 - d. Age

In case after applying the above criteria for deciding inter-se merit there is a tie, then Chairperson CBSE may decide any other additional criteria to finalize the merit.

5. The shortlisted applicants will be intimated through mail and telephonically to upload their supporting documents on the online portal. The applicants may even check about their status by logging into the portal one day after the last day of closure of registration window. Two day's time will be given for uploading the documents. All the applicants are advised to keep the scanned copies of their supporting documents ready beforehand. The schedule of the complete activity is at Annexure 'C'.

Please note that all the supporting documents must be verified by the Head of the school in case of a teacher and by the Chairman of the School Managing Committee in case of a Principal.

6. Checking of credentials/supporting documents of the shortlisted applicants will be done by a *National Level Scrutiny Committee*. The Committee will prepare category wise merit list of the shortlisted applicants based on the scores obtained by them in the general and specific criteria.

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The shortlisted applicants will be invited at CBSE Headquarter Delhi for face to face interactive session with the *National Level Screening Committee*. The Committee will also check/verify the original supporting documents of the applicants. *No TA/DA will be paid by the Board to the applicants at this stage of selection process.*

- 8. Selection of final awardees by the Committee and announcement of awards will be displayed on the CBSE portal.
- 9. The names of the top 6 scorers will be forwarded to Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India for *National Teachers Award*.
- 10. The shortlisted candidates will be either eligible for National Awards, or for CBSE Awards as per rules.

All school heads are required to widely publicize the information to all the concerned teachers.

It is reiterated that the complete information as desired may be uploaded on the portal on or before the last date. For any query or clarification, please mail at cbseawards2017@gmail.com.

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Encl:

- Annexure A
- Annexure B
- Annexure C

Copy to the respective Heads of Directorates, Organizations and Institutions as indicated below with a request to disseminate the information to all the schools under their jurisdiction:

- 1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-16
- 2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
- 3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
- 4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160 017
- 5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
- 6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar -791 111

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- 7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair 744101
- 8. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Island
- 9. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
- 10. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
- 11. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRC Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010
- 12. The Under Secretary (EE-1), MHRD, Govt. of India, Department of SE&L, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-01
- 13. All Regional Directors/Regional Officers of CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions
- 14. All Joint Secretaries/Deputy Secretaries/Assistant Secretaries/Analysts (Academic, Training and Vocational Unit), CBSE
- 15.In charge IT Unit with the request to put this circular on the CBSE Academic website
- 16. The Senior Public Relations Officer, CBSE
- 17. PS to Chairperson, CBSE
- 18. SPS to Secretary, CBSE
- 19. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
- 20. SPS to Executive Director (JAB)
- 21. SPS to Director (Information Technology), CBSE
- 22. SPS to Director (Special Exams and CTET), CBSE
- 23. SPS to Director (EDUSAT)
- 24. SPS to Director (Academics and NEET), CBSE
- 25. SPS to Director (Vocational and Training), CBSE
- 26. Library, CBSE

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Category and Number of Awards

Sr. No	Area	Teacher category	No. of awards	
1	Primary	Primary teachers	10	
2	Secondary	Language teachers	2	
3	Secondary	Science teachers	2	
4	Secondary	Social Science teachers	2	
5	Secondary	Mathematics teachers	2	
6	Secondary	Vocational subject teachers /other teachers	1	
8	Sr. Secondary	Language teachers	2	
9	Sr. Secondary	Science teachers (Physics/Chemistry/Biology)	1+1+1=3	
10	Sr. Secondary	Mathematics Teachers	1	
11	Sr. Secondary	Commerce teachers (Business Studies, Accountancy, Economics)	1+1+1=3	
12	Sr. Secondary	Humanities (Sociology/ Political Science/ Geography/History/Psychology) Teachers	2	
13	Sr. Secondary	Fine Arts teachers	1	
14	Sr. Secondary	Vocational subject teachers	2	
15	Special Award	Special Educators (from all categories)	2	
16		Performing Arts (Music/Dance) teacher	1	
17		Physical Education Teacher	2	
18		Best Trainer	2	
19		School Counsellor	1	
20		IT Teacher	2	
21	Principals	School Principals	5	
Total Number of Awards				

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Selection Criteria along with Rubrics

In order to bring more transparency and objectivity in the selection process, the following criteria will be followed:

I. General Criteria for all categories of awards

S. No.	Area	_		weightage rks for each	Evidences/ Supporting documents to be uploaded
1	Qualifications				
	a. Academic Qualifications				Scanned attested
	Class X	55% - marks	60%	2 marks	sheets, qualifying
		61% - marks	65%	3 marks	qualifying
		66% - marks	70%	4 marks	copy of mar sheets, qualifying degrees and
		71% and al	oove	5 marks	
	Class XII	55% - marks	60%	2 marks	
		61% - marks	65%	3 marks	
		66% - marks	70%	4 marks	
		71% and al	oove	5 marks	
	Graduation	55% - marks	60%	2 marks	
		61% - marks	65%	3 marks	
		66% - marks	70%	4 marks	
		71% and al	oove	5 marks	
	Post-Graduation	55% - marks	60%	2 marks	
		61% -	65%	3 marks	1

		marks		
		66% - 70%	4 marks	
		marks		
		71% and above	5 marks	
	b.Professional	60% - 65%	3 marks	
	Qualifications (as per the	66% - 70%	4 marks	
	requirement of the post eg.	71% and above	5 marks	
	NTT/ETE/B.El.Ed./B.Ed./			
	others)			
	c. CTET or TET qualified	If yes	5 marks	
2	Scholarly Contributions			
	a) Educational articles /	1 contribution	2 marks	List of articles
	contributions in			along with a copy
	educational magazines,	2-3 contributions	3 marks	of the articles
	newspapers, journals etc. (print/online)	4-5 contributions	4 marks	written in the last ten years
	published at local /	Above 5	5 marks	•
	regional / national /	contributions		' '
	international level in the			page(s) of the publication
	last ten years			•
	Note: Articles/ contributions			depicting your contribution
	in school/college			CONTINUUTON
	magazines will not be			
	considered.			
	b) Editing/ Reviewing/	1 book/textbook	2 marks	a List of the book(s)
	Contribution in	I DOOK/TEXTDOOK	2 IIIaiks	• List of the book(s)
	books/textbooks	2-5 books/	3 marks	/ textbook(s)
	relevant to school		3 marks	Scanned copy of
			E monte	cover page and
	education at state / national	More than 5	5 marks	acknowledgement
		books/textbooks		page of the
	level (NCERT, SCERT,			book(s)/
	or any other Govt.			textbook(s)
	organization) in the last			• Letter(s) of
	ten years			appreciation, if received
				• Any other
				supporting
				document
	c) Functional	1 receased study	2 marks	
	c) Functional	1 research study	Z IIIdIKS	 List of Studies

	Research/Action Research conducted			conducted along with their abstract
	(other than M.Phil /	2-5 research	3 marks	paper, procedure,
	Ph.D) in the last ten	studies		findings and its
	years	More than 5	5 marks	impact on the
	Note: Research study may	research studies		performance of
	be on such topics/areas			the students duly
	which are of relevance to			attested by the
	school education / help in			Head of the
	effective teaching learning			school
	in the classroom / effective			
	assessment procedures.			
	The study must have			
	resulted in visible			
	improvement in the			
	performance of students.			
	d) Curriculum	Work done for	3 marks	 Acknowledgement
	Development	one organization		/Appreciation
	Note: The work done for	Work done for 2-	4 marks	Letter(s) received
	CBSE/NCERT/SCERT/	3 organizations		from the
	Directorates of Education/	Work done for	5 marks	respective
	State School Boards by	more than 3		organization(s)
	the applicant in the last ten	organizations		
	years will be considered			
3	Mentoring Colleagues / Fello	w Teachers		
	a) Expert Panelist/	1-5	3 marks	List of activities
	Resource Person in	activities/program		along with their
	seminars, symposiums,	mes		brief description
	conferences,	6-10 activities/	4 marks	 Scanned copies of
	workshops organized			Certificates /
	by Sahodaya School	More than 10	5 marks	Appreciation
	Complex(es) / NCERT/	activities/		Letters received
	SCERT/ KVS/ State	programmes		from the
	Directorates of			organizing body/
	Education /JNVS/CBSE			bodies
	Centres of Excellence			
	during the last ten years			
4	Continuous participation in		2 marks	List of activities
	Personal Professional	Activities		along with their
	Development Activities in	4-6 Prof. Dev.	3 marks	

	the last ten years	Activities		brief description
	Note: The applicant must	7-10 Prof. Dev.	4 marks	 Scanned copies of
	have attended the	Activities		participation
	Capacity Building	More than 10	5 marks	Certificates
	Programmes/ Workshop/	Prof. Dev.		
	Refresher Courses/ Short	Activities		
	academic courses, etc.			
	from reputed or			
	State/Centre recognized			
	Agencies/Organizations/			
	through MOOCS)			
5	Contributions to	1- 2 activities	1 mark	• Brief write up
	Community / Community	3 - 4 activities	2 marks	along with the list
	Development Activities	5-6 activities	3 marks	of activities
	through school or	7-8 activities	4 marks	undertaken
	individually during the last	More than 8	5 marks	 Photographs
	ten years (Activities/	activities		Certificates/
	projects/ programmes like			Appreciation
	preserving environment,			Letters received, if
	preserving culture and			any
	heritage, saving girl child,			
	cleanliness drives, adult			
	education programmes, or			
	any other programme			
	taken up for the community			
	development or to address			
	social issues at local/state/			
	national/international level)			
6	Active Membership /	Membership of 01	2 marks	• Copy of
	Leadership Position in	body/organization		membership letter
	Educational Professional	Membership of 2-	3 marks	or card
	Bodies / Organizations at	3 bodies/		
	local / regional / national /	organizations		
	international level	Membership of 4-	4 marks	
	Note: This may be	5 bodies/		
	inclusive of membership of	organizations		
	electronic discussion	Membership of	5 marks	
	forums related to	more than 5	- Cinamo	
	teaching/education.	bodies/		
		organizations		
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7	Awards and honours	Award(s)	2 marks	◆List of Awards
•	received during the last ten	received from		• Scanned copies of
	years from	Local level		Certificates or
	District/State/National	organization		other relevant
	Govt. body or any Govt.	Award(s)	3 marks	documents
	recognized	received from		dodinonto
	body/bodies/International	State level		
	Body(bodies)	organization		
	(International Level Body	Award(s)	4 marks	
	can be any UN	received from		
	Body/Reputed University/	National level		
	Department owned by the	organization		
	Govt. of any other country)	Award(s)	5 marks	
	Note: Score will be	received from		
	awarded as per the highest	International level		
	level of the award.	organization		
8	Experience related to	Upto 5 times	2 marks	Scanned copies of
	Board Examinations	6-10 times	3 marks	Letters or written
	conducted by CBSE (as	More than 10	5 marks	communication
	an Examiner, Head	times		received from
	Examiner, CNS, Centre			CBSE
	Supdt., City Coordinator,			
	Evaluator, Confidential			
	work or Evaluation)			
	Note: The experience of			
	invigilators shall not be			
	considered. Moreover, the			
	experience related with			
	Board Examinations			
	conducted by CBSE will			
	only be considered.	Amus and a self-site	С a .и. : -	0
9	NSS/NCC /Scout & Guide	Any one activity	5 marks	• Scanned copies of
	activity taken up by the			the activities
	students under the			undertaken along
10	guidance of the teacher	1.2 00411.1141.00	2 morto	with photographs
10	Student Development /	1-2 activities	2 marks	Brief write up
	Welfare Activities inclusive	2 F potivities	2 marks	along with
	of activities for special	3-5 activities	3 marks	supporting
	children taken up during	More than 5	5 marks	photographs and other relevant
	the last ten years	activities		other relevant

			documents
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II. Specific criteria

S. No.	Area	Description and (Maximum 5 ma area	rks for each	Evidences to be enclosed
Specif	fic Criteria in case of all tead	hers		
1	Effectiveness as a Teacher The teachers may be evaluated on the following parameters under this area: Innovative experiments undertaken for improving the performance of the students Teaching Learning Practices/Strategies adopted Teaching aids used to make teaching learning more interesting Use of mass media Assessment mechanisms adopted Integration of values education, life skills education, environmental education and ICT in daily teaching Special attention and assistance given to gifted and weaker students	Good Performance Excellent Performance Extraordinary Performance	3 marks 4 marks 5 marks	The PGT applicants have to upload a YouTube link of two videos of 30 minutes each of two different topics of their actual classroom teaching along with the lesson plan as evidence. The TGT applicants have to upload a YouTube link of two videos of 30 minutes each of two different subjects being taught by them of their actual classroom teaching along with the lesson plans as evidence. The PRT applicants have to upload a YouTube link of two videos
				of 30 minutes each of actual

				classroom
				teaching on
				different topics
				along with the
				lesson plans as
				evidence.
				List of assessment
				techniques used,
				teaching methods adopted and
				•
				teaching aids used
				Scanned copies of two guestion
				of two question papers of two
				' '
				different subjects taught by the
				teacher along with
				the testing
				objectives and
				marking scheme.
				• Scanned copies of
				result in
				Board/School
				Examination of last
				five years.
2	Children identified for	One or more	5 marks	•
2	whom remedial measures	One of more	5 marks	Duly certified list of students
	needed and action taken and maintenance of			identified by the teacher for whom
				remedial
	longitudinal record of their development			
	development 			measures were
				taken along with the details of
				action taken and
				copy of longitudinal record
				of their
				development
				maintained by the
				teacher
				teacrier

Spe	cific criteria in case of Phys	ical Education Tea	cher only	
1	Number of students trained for representing school at District/State/National level games/sports competitions/activities	1-2 students 3-5 students More than 5 students	3 marks 4 marks 5 marks	Relevant Evidences of students' representation at different levels/ participation certificate(s) duly attested by the Head of the school
14	Special sports/games/physical activities organized for differently abled students	Any number	5 marks	 Brief write up of special sports/ games/physical activities organized for differently abled duly attested by the Head of the school Photographs, if any
Spe	cific criteria in case of Scier	nce/Mathematics/S	ocial Science	Teacher
1	Efforts to create interest and curiosity of students in Science/ Mathematics/ Social Science. Any achievement of students in the field of Science/ Mathematics/ Social Science at State/National /International level.	1-2 students 3-5 students More than 5 students	3 marks 4 marks 5 marks	Evidences of achievements (certificate/appreciat ion letter/brief write up/ photographs) of students and brief description of teacher's role in their achievement.
Spe	cific criteria in case of Music	c and Dance Teach	er only	<u> </u>
1	Workshops /demonstrations/ lectures promoting dance/music among students and other stakeholders	1-3 activities 4 - 6 activities More than 6 activities	3 marks 4 marks 5 marks	 List of lectures/ workshops duly attested by the head of the school Scanned copy of

				and photographs of the event(s)
2	Awards or recognition won by students in music/dance	1-2 awards	3 marks	List of awards won by students along
	competitions at local/state/	3-5 awards	4 marks	with a brief write
	national/international level	More than 5	5 marks	up
	under the guidance of the	awards		Scanned
	teacher			copy/copies of
				participation
	Ann ather anaitin	4	2	certificate(s)
3	Any other specific or relevant contribution in the	1 contribution	3 marks	Relevant Evidence
	field of Music/Dance	2 contributions	4 Marks	
		More than 3 contributions	5 Marks	
Sp	ecific criteria in case of Fine	Arts Teacher only		
1	Lectures or workshops	1-3 activities	3 marks	• List of lectures/
	conducted or organized by			workshops duly
	the teacher for promoting	4-6 activities	4 marks	attested by the
	fine arts among students			head of the school
	and other stakeholders	More than 6 activities	5 marks	 Scanned photographs of the event(s)
2	Artistic	1-2 Productions/	3 Marks	Scanned
	Productions/Publications	Publications		photographs of the
		3-4 Productions/	4 Marks	production/cover
		Publications	C Manda	page of the
		More than 4 Productions/	5 Marks	publication along with a brief write
		Publications		up
3	Exhibitions of own art work	1- 2 exhibitions	4 Marks	Appreciation
	or the work of the students			Letter, Report of
	at local, state, national or	More than 2	5 Marks	the exhibition
	international level	exhibitions		
4	Awards won by the	1-2 awards	3 marks	List of awards won
	students representing			by students along
	school in different art	3-5 awards	4 marks	with a brief write
	competitions at local/state/	More than 5	5 marks	up
	national /international level	awards		Scanned
	under the guidance of the			copy/copies of

	teacher			participation
				certificate(s)
Spe	cific criteria in case of Spec	ial Educator only	1	
1	Number of students with disabilities taught and included in the mainstream in the past two years with details of special efforts taken to establish mutual acceptance of special children with normal children	Any number	5 Marks	Scanned copies of work done with the students Appreciation letter(s) received, if any Brief write up of the efforts taken
2	Number of teachers/parents and other stakeholders sensitized on the needs of the students	5-10 teachers/parents 11-15 teachers/parents	1 Mark 2 Marks	Report(s) of Sensitization Sessions conducted along
	with disabilities in the past two years	16-20 teachers/ parents	3 Marks	with photographs Scanned
		21-25 teachers/parents More than 25 teachers/parents	4 Marks 5 Marks	copy/copies of appreciation letter(s)/ certificates
3	Innovative approaches/practices	1 practice	3 Marks	List of innovative practices /
	adopted for teaching students with special needs	2 practices More than 2	4 Marks 5 Marks	approaches with relevant documents
	Tieeus	practices	5 IVIAIKS	supporting the claim
Spe	cific criteria in case of Scho	ol Counsellor only		
1	Counselling Sessions cond	ucted		
	a. Number of students counselled during the last two years along with follow	50 Students 51-70 Students	2 Marks 3 Marks	List of number of students counselled along
	up sessions with the students/parents/teachers (curricular and co-curricular	71 – 90 Students	4 Marks	with the details of their problem, sessions
	teachers)/peer group	More than 90 Students	5 Marks	conducted along with follow up and
	b. Number of Group	1-5 Sessions	1 Mark	with follow up and

	Counselling Sessions	6-10 Sessions	2 Marks	interaction with
	(apart from classroom	11-15 Sessions	3 Marks	other
	periods) conducted in the	16-20 Sessions	4 Marks	stakeholders.
	last two years	More than 20	5 Marks	List of Group
		Sessions		Counselling
				Sessions
2	Adolescent Education	1.2 Drogrammos	3 Marks	conducted Report(s) of the
	Programmes conducted by	1-2 Programmes	4 Marks	Programme(s)
	self or sensitization	3-4 Programmes	4 Marks	Scanned
	programmes conducted by	More than 4	5 Marks	photographs
	self for adolescents in the	Programmes	o marko	1 0 1
	last two years (with special			
	focus on Growing up			
	issues, Prevention of			
	substance abuse, HIV and			
	AIDS Awareness, Life			
	Skills, Gender Sensitivity)			
3	Number of Career	1-2 Programmes	3 Marks	Report(s) of the
	Counselling Sessions/ Career Fairs conducted in	2.4. Drogrammas	4 Mortes	Career
	the last two years	3-4 Programmes	4 Marks	Counselling Sessions or
	the last two years	More than 4	5 Marks	Career fairs
		Programmes	3 IVIAI NS	conducted
		1 Togrammos		Scanned
				photographs of
				Career Fairs
4	Number of students with	Any number	5 Marks	List of students
	special needs counselled	-		with special needs
	in the last two years			counselled along
				with a report of
				Counselling
				Session(s)
Spec	cific criteria in case of Vocat		 	
1	Industrial exposures/short	One or more	5 marks	Report of the field
	term training programmes			visit or
	conducted by the teacher			programme(s)
	for students in the last five			conducted along
	years			with scanned
				photographs

2	Establishment of linkages	Any number	5 marks	Scanned copy of
	with industry by the			communication
	teacher for the benefit of			with the industry or
	the students			any other relevant
				evidence
3	Number of students	Any number	5 marks	Evidence
	working with industry after			reflecting the
	having vocational			placement of
	education under the			students in the
	guidance of the teacher			industry duly
				verified by the
				Head of the school
Spec	rific criteria in case of a Trail	ner		
1	Resource Person for	Positive	3 marks	Consolidated
	CBSE Capacity Building	Feedback by 75%		feedback report
	Programmes	Participants in all		about the
	Note: Effectiveness as	the CBPs taken		performance by
	Resource Person to be	Positive	4 marks	the concerned
	assessed on the basis of	Feedback by 80%		COE
	Participants' Feedback.	Participants in all		
	This will be validated by	the CBPs taken		
	the Concerned COE.	Positive	5 marks	
		Feedback by		
		almost all the		
		participants in all		
		the CBPs taken		
2	Contribution towards	Any appropriate	5 marks	 Appropriate
	ensuring effectiveness of			evidences of the
	Capacity Building	contribution		relevant
	Programmes by COEs in			contribution
	different ways apart from			towards ensuring
	being a Resource Person			effectiveness of
	(eg. Identification of new			CBPs by the
	Resource Persons and			concerned COE
	venues; Manual writing;			
	need assessment, etc.)			
	This will be validated			
	along with appropriate			
	evidences by the			
	concerned COE.			

Specific criteria in case of principal only				
1 Administrative and	• Good	3 marks	Relevant	
Leadership Skills	Performance		documents and	
Note: These skills will be	(Performance		evidences or share	
scored on the following	is sound and		such examples	
parameters:	reliable in at		which clearly	
• Introduction of innovative	least half of the		reflect the	
ideas for raising the	areas of		administrative and	
quality of education	responsibility		leadership skills	
provided by the school	and		duly verified by the	
Cooperation sought from	parameters		Management of	
parents, students,	defined)		the School (eg.	
teachers, alumni, non-	Excellent	4 marks	minutes of	
teaching staff and	Performance		meetings, result of	
community for academic	(Performance is		students in the	
development and overall	sound and		examination,	
development of the	reliable in most		awareness	
school	of the areas of		programmes,	
Organization of activities	responsibility		capacity building	
like Annual Day, Sports	and parameters		programmes	
Day, Club Activities,	defined)		organized for	
activities for inculcating			teachers and	
values and enhancing life	Outstanding	5 marks	students,	
skills of the students	Performance		orientation	
Opportunities provided to	(Performance is		programmes for	
teachers for their	remarkably		parents, reports of	
professional development	noticeable,		activities/projects	
in the last two years	superior in		undertaken, school	
• Encouragement to	almost all the		safety policy,	
teachers and students for	areas of		school policy for	
experimentation and	responsibility		CWSN, copies of	
innovations	and parameters		appreciation letters	
• Goals/targets set in	defined)		given to	
academics/sports and			stakeholders,	
games/other activities			photographs,	
and their achievement			details of safety	
• Encouragement to			measures	
teachers to work			adopted, report	
collaboratively			and pictures of	
Provision of equal access			provision of barrier	

	and support to all the students • Acknowledgement of accomplishments/ contributions of teachers, students or any other stakeholders • Work done for the achievement of vision and mission of school • Project(s) undertaken at school level in the last ten years for the development of the school • Measures taken by the principal to ensure safety of children in school • Initiatives to provide barrier free access in terms of physical environment, curriculum, teaching and assessment to students with disabilities			free environment for students with disabilities and other relevant documents supporting all the parameters.)
2	Activities or Projects taken up for the community	1-2 activities	2 marks	Brief write up/report along
	development	3-5 activities	3 marks	with supporting photographs and
		More than 5 activities	5 marks	other relevant documents
3	School as venue for CBSE	1-2 activities	2 marks	Scanned copies of
_	Examinations (X, XII, other			Letters or
	competitive exams) and	3-5 activities	3 marks	communication
	Academic Activities	6.9 activities	1 morto	received from
	(Science Exhibition, CBPs, Heritage India Quiz, etc.)	6-8 activities	4 marks	CBSE or any other relevant document
	under the leadership of applicant principal (details of last ten years)	More than 8 activities	5 marks	

4	School as venue for CBSE	• Hosting of	4 marks	Scanned copies of	
	Sports Meet under the	CBSE Sports		Letters or	
	leadership of the applicant	Meet at Cluster		communication	
	principal (details of last ten	Level once		received from	
	years may be given)			CBSE or any other	
				relevant document	
		Hosting of	5 marks		
		CBSE Sports			
		Meet at cluster			
		level more than			
		once / Hosting			
		of CBSE Sports			
		Meet at			
		Regional or			
		National Level			
5	Contribution towards	Any relevant	5 marks	Brief write up	
	Sahodaya Activities	contribution		about the	
				contribution(s)	
				duly attested by	
				the President of	
				the concerned	
				Sahodaya School	
				Complex	
Spec	Specific Criteria for all categories				
1	Any other significant	1 contribution	3 marks	Relevant evidence	
	achievement in the field of	0 (1) (1		-	
	school education not	2 contributions	4 marks		
	mentioned above	More than 2	5 marks		
		contributions			
	I and the second				

In addition to above, the following should also be submitted by the applicant:

- Self-Assessment / appraisal by the applicant (not more than 250 words) addressing the applicant's teaching achievements or contributions in the field of his/her own subject.
- Applicant's **Statement of Teaching Philosophy** (not more than 300 words)
 - The applicant may write about his/her own *Teaching Philosophy Statement* reflecting his/her teaching beliefs (eg. what is more important to him/her about teaching and learning in his/her subject/field), specific example(s) of the pedagogical approaches being employed with a

rationale for each approach in the subject along with a reflection on the effectiveness of the approaches or strategies being adopted by him/her; integration of environmental issues, local context, values education, life skills education and ICT in day to day teaching.

- Recommendation Letter by the School Head/Principal in case of teacher applicant and Chairman/Manager of SMC in case of Principal with a special focus on the applicant's teaching approaches; special strengths; teaching innovations and impact on student learning and development; and major contribution to curriculum development; type of relationship maintained with students and fellow teachers.
- Letters of Recommendation / Reference attesting the applicant's teaching excellence and contributions by fellow teachers, students, parents. (Maximum 3 letters of recommendation, atleast one each from student, parent and fellow teacher)

Applicant will have to provide contact information of each recommender from whom the credentials of the applicant may be verified through any means of communication.

- Self-attested copy of ACR of last five years
- Certificate regarding clean record of service and faultless antecedents and that no legal proceedings or vigilance or any other type of enquiry is pending against him/her.

• Video component

- The PGT applicant has to provide a YouTube link of two video graphed lessons of 30 minutes each on different topics of actual classroom teaching along with a lesson plan.
- The TGT applicant has to provide a YouTube link of two video graphed lessons of actual classroom teaching of 30 minutes each along with lesson plans on two different subjects being taught.
- The PRT applicant has to provide a YouTube link of two video graphed lessons of actual classroom teaching of 30 minutes each on different topics along with the lesson plans.

Technical specifications for uploading the evidences/supporting documents:

- 1. All documents to be uploaded should only be in PDF format with size not exceeding 1MB.
- 2. Photograph to be uploaded should be in JPG format with size not exceeding 50 KB
- 3. Video lectures should be uploaded on YouTube and link should be provided in the online application form.

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Schedule of Activities

29th June to 13th July 2018

Submission of online application at

15th and 16th July 2018

Uploading of supporting documents by the shortlisted applicants on the portal 20th July 2018

Invitation to the shortlisted applicants as per the merit list for face to face interactive session with the *National Level Screening Committee* at CBSE HQ Delhi

30th July 2018

Announcement of awards and forwarding of nominations to MHRD for National Teachers Award

14th July 2018

Intimation to shortlisted applicants for uploading of relevant supporting documents on the portal

(The applicants may even check about their status by logging into the portal.)

18th and 19th July 2018

Scrutiny of supporting documents of the shortlisted applicants by the *National Level Scrutiny Committee* and preparation of category wise merit list

25th to 27th July 2018

Face to face interactive session at CBSE HQ, Delhi and preparation of final list of awardees