



Guidelines of Assessment Structure and Examination for Class-XII
Academic Session : 2025-2026

- **Periodic Test for 30 marks** will be conducted, with the syllabus covered till the announcement of test dates.
- **Mid Term Exam (Theory & Practical)** will be conducted according to the subject, with the syllabus covered till the announcement of test dates.
- Various **Class/Practice Tests** will be conducted by the subject teachers during the session.
- **Pre-Board Exam will be conducted for both - theory and practical.**
- **Board Exam** - The assessment scheme will have **theory, internal assessment, or practical components** as per the yearly syllabus given for each subject. CBSE Board shall conduct Annual examinations for Class XII.
- **Internal Assessments** - All the academic subjects will have **20 or 30 or 70 marks** (depending on the nature of subject) earmarked for **school based assessments** which will include - **ASL** (in languages), **Practical** (in theory-practical subjects), **Project Work/Viva Voce** (in other subjects), and **Mathematical Activities** (in Mathematics). Reading activities to be taken up simultaneously.
- **Board examination for theory papers**, will be conducted for **30 or 70 or 80 marks**, depending upon the nature of the subject, **covering 100% syllabus**.
- **Composition of Examination Question Papers (Theory) will be as follows :**
 - **Competency Focused Questions** in the form of MCQs / Case Based Questions, Source-based Integrated questions or any other type = **(50%)**.
 - **Select response type questions (MCQ)** = **(20%)**.
 - **Constructed response questions** (Short Answer / Long Answer type Questions, as per existing pattern) = **30%**.
- **CBSE Board Practical Exam (for all the subjects except for English and Mathematics)** will be conducted by the external examiners.
- If a student has opted for **six** subjects, and if he/she **fails** in any one of the first five subjects, then that subject will be **replaced** by the **sixth additional subject in Class XII board result**, provided the student satisfies the scheme of studies i.e. after replacement either Hindi or English remains as one of the main five subjects.
- The students can take the guidance from subject teachers regarding the pattern of **Internal Assessment and bifurcation of marks and their weightage**, subject wise. The detailed curriculum (2025-2026) is also available on CBSE website : (https://cbseacademic.nic.in/curriculum_2026.html)
- CBSE Board issues the mark sheet cum certificate indicating marks obtained in each subject separately. No aggregate score/percentage is mentioned by the Board. Candidates who take 6/7 subjects and pass in all 6/7 subjects, **the percentage is to be calculated according to the norms of college/institution in which the candidate is seeking admission.**
- For the **holistic development** of the student, co-curricular activities will be conducted in the following areas :
 - (a) **Work Experience : SEWA** activities will be taken up under work experience.
 - (b) **Health and Physical Education** (**Work experience is subsumed in Health and Physical Education*)
 - (c) **General Studies**

- **Grades** shall be awarded on the basis of **9-point grading system in each scholastic subject**. For awarding the grades, the Board will put all the passed students in a rank order and will award the grades as follows:

Class - XII	
A-1	Top 1/8th of the passed candidates
A-2	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
B-1	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
B-2	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
C-1	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
C-2	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
D-1	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
D-2	Next 1/8th of the passed candidates
E*	*Essential Repeat

- **Grading Scale for Co-Scholastic Areas (Class – XI) will be :**
 - **Grade (A-E) on 9-point scale - (A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2, D1, D2, E).**
- As per the CBSE rules, it is **mandatory** for a child **to appear** in all the **Internal Assessments and Board Exams**. We request you to kindly ensure that your ward appears for these assessments on the dates given by the school and is fully prepared. **It is mandatory for a child to clear in theory and practical exam/project work, separately in each subject.**
- **If a child scores less than the minimum marks required to clear the theory as well as the practical exam in each subject in the Board Exam, then he/she would have to appear for the Compartment to qualify that subject.**
- Minimum **75% attendance** is mandatory for a child in the academic session, to appear in the Board Examination.
- The **tentative schedule** of written tests during the session will be as follows :

Academic Year	
Revision Tests	During the entire session
Periodic Test	Third week of May
Mid Term Exams	Second week of September
Pre-Board Exams	Second week of December
CBSE Board Practicals	Fourth week of January
CBSE Board Exams	As per the datesheet given by CBSE

****Datesheet will be given for the aforementioned written tests.**