INDIAN SCHOOL SALALAH

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Dear Parents,

This circular is about Know Your Aptitude (KYA), CBSE circular dated January 10, 2019 Circular No. Acad 02/2019.

As students enter secondary stage of schooling, they move closer to making many important career choices, one of which is deciding subjects to be studied at senior secondary level such as Humanities, Commerce, Science or Vocational. This decision of students is influenced by a number of factors such as their interests, attitudes, motivation, personality traits, and special abilities known as aptitude. Aptitude is thought of as a natural tendency, special ability, capacity or cluster of abilities. This natural tendency determines person's readiness to learn or acquire a skill or their suitability to a particular career. Information about aptitude is useful for students in seeking academic and career guidance. The information about a student's strengths and limitations would also help parents, teachers and the school administrators to extend support to the student while making such decisions.

Keeping this in view, **National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT)**, **New Delhi** has developed a tool for Knowing the Aptitude of students of classes IX and X. As a part of collaborative efforts in empowering the learners, the Board has developed a mechanism to administer this valuable tool in its affiliated schools.

The school shall conduct the above assessment onSunday, February 17, 2019. It is mandatory for all students of class X to appear for this assessment.

<u>Note:</u> Class group photo will be taken after the exam.

Regards,

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