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EVALUATION GUIDELINES

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1. INTRODUCTION:

Gunotasv is a state Government initiative to bring the qualitative improvement in School Education Sector. This exercise plays a vital role in identifying the learning level of students, infrastructural gaps of schools and to take appropriate corrective measures for improvement. The four core areas viz. Scholastic (learning outcomes of children), Co-scholastic, Infrastructure and community participation are evaluated in Gunotsav exercise. Schools are graded as A+, A, B, C and D on the basis of performance. The sixth round of Gunotsav will be conducted in 2025.

2. **GENERAL POINTS:**

- All Government/Provincialised Tea Garden Model Schools, Tea Garden Managed Schools, Adarsha Vidyalayas, KGBVs and Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Avasiya Vidyalayas (Residential Schools) of Elementary and Secondary level will be covered.
- The districts will be covered in three phases. Schools of each district will be distributed over three days for external evaluation.
- Scholastic evaluation will be for class I to IX.
- There will be both Self-evaluation and External Evaluation.
- Evaluation will be for two days for each school.
- On the **1st day of the two- day evaluation**, all schools will conduct **s**elf-evaluation. The external evaluation of respective school will be done as per scheduled date only.

Evaluation will be as follows for each of the three phases:

Self-Evaluation			External Evaluation		
Date/day of Self Evaluation	Evaluation to be done on the date of Self Evaluation	No. of schools to be covered on the date of self- Evaluation	Days/dates of External Evaluation	Evaluation to be done on the date of External Evaluation(EE).	No. of schools to be covered on the date of External Evaluation.
1 st day (Day of Self Evaluation)	■ Reading skill	All schools	1 st day 2 nd day 3 rd day	 Scholastic Verification of School Evaluation already done by school. 	Schools will be distributed over the 3days of external evaluation.

N.B:-For every school, the exercise will be for two (02) days; for the state, it will be four (04) days for each phase.

- Evaluation will be mainly:
 - Scholastic (Learning Outcomes) achievement of students (Both Skill-Reading, Writing & Numeracy/Basic Mathematical Operations and subject areas) and School Evaluation.

<u>School Evaluation</u> will be in respect of following areas:

- 1. Co-scholastic and other areas
- 2. Community Participation & Contributions
- 3. Infrastructure

The School Evaluation(Co-scholastic, Community Participation & Infrastructure) part will be filled by school in advance and school will submit the same three days (03) before conduct of External Evaluation through online mode. The software will be made available in advance for that.

On the day of External Evaluation, External Evaluator will verify all indicators and descriptors of School Evaluation as per record/observation/interaction with stakeholders etc. and edit (if required). The External Evaluator will upload the verified/edited School Evaluation part in the same software on the same day of External Evaluation.

Grading will be done on the following:

- 1. Scholastic 90%
- 2. Co-scholastic and other areas 5%
- 3. Community Participation & Contributions 5%

Infrastructure part will not be considered for Grading of School.

1. **KEY POINTS**:

- Self-evaluation (Reading skill and School Evaluation) will be conducted by schools in presence of SMC/SMDC. This will ensure greater participation of all teachers of schools, SMC/SMDC member and community.
- On the day of external evaluation, teachers will be interchanged within the cluster.
- Evaluation will be OMR based.
- From Class III level onwards, students will fill up the OMR sheet themselves
- Individual question papers will be provided to each student.
- For class I &II, class wise OMR sheets will be there for marking/transferring of responses. External Evaluator/teachers will darken OMR sheet as per responses of the students in the question booklet cum answer sheet.
- From class III onwards, OMR sheet will be for individual child.

Students will fill up OMR sheet against question number as follows:

Class	Questions Number
III to V	Q No. 1 to 58
VI to VIII	Q No. 1 to 98
IX	Q No. 1 to 100

<u>Question numbers</u> as given below will be filled up <u>by teachers/Evaluators</u> as per response of the students in the same OMR sheet:

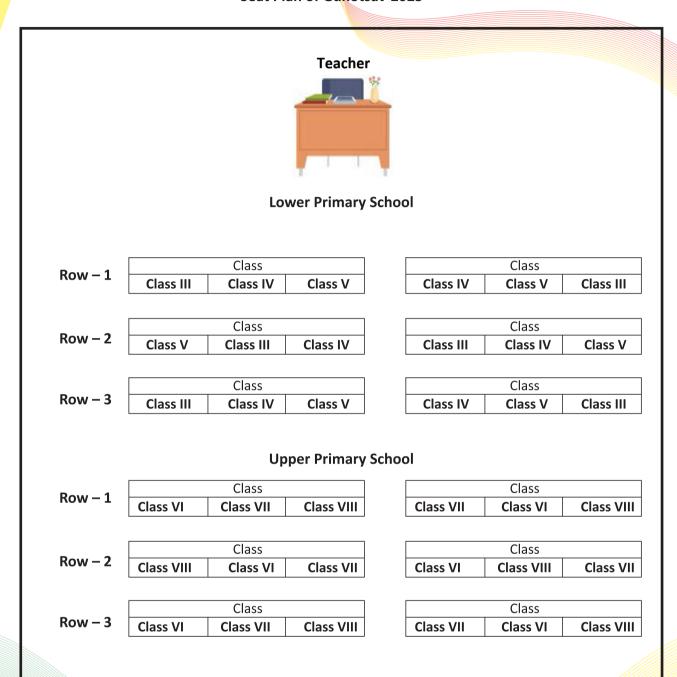
Class	Questions Number
1&11	All questions
III to V	Q No. 59 (writing L1), 60 (writing L 2), 61 a to 61 e (numeracy), 62
	(reading L1), 63 (reading L 2)
VI to VIII	Q No. 99 (writing L1), 100 (writing L 2), 101 a to 101 e (numeracy), 102
	(reading L1), 103 (reading L 2)
IX	Q No. 101 (writing MIL/IL), 102 (writing English), 103 a to 103 d, 104
1/1	(reading MIL/IL) ,105 (reading English)

- Both skill (Reading, Writing & Numeracy/ Basic Mathematical Operations) and subject parts (Subject wise Learning Outcomes) will be in the same question paper.
- Evaluation will be done for <u>all students on skills viz Writing & Numeracy/ Basic Mathematical Operations on the day of external evaluation</u>. The question of said skills will be available in the same test booklet and there will also be space for witting of answer. The External Evaluator will randomly check atleast 5/6 answer copies (each class) of <u>Writing & Numeracy/ Basic Mathematical Operations</u> evaluated by teacher and will tally the answers of the students and mark given by teacher in the OMR sheet.
- Reading skill assessment of 100% students will be conducted on the day of Self Evaluation by school and marks to be recorded in the prescribed format as attached in the guideline (Annexure-IV). On the day of External Evaluation, reading skill of 10% students (to be selected randomly) of each class shall be assessed by External Evaluator. However, if total number of students in a particular class is found to be upto 10, then reading skill of 100% students of that class will be assessed by the External Evaluator. If performance of the 10% children is found to be more or less tallying with the performance on the day of self evaluation, External Evaluator will permit the school to enter marks of Reading Skill in OMR sheet. If major discrepancies between performances of External Evaluation and Self Evaluation are found, External Evaluator will instruct concerned teacher for re-evaluation of all students of the class. For assessment of Reading skill, frames will be different for both the day of Self Evaluation and External Evaluation. The External Evaluator will use the frame provided for the day of External Evaluation only for assessment of 10% students' reading skill.

- The frames of Reading, <u>Writing & Numeracy/Basic Mathematical Operations</u> will be different for each class.
- The School Evaluation part will be filled by school in advance and school will submit the same through three days (03) before conduct of External Evaluation through online mode.
- External evaluator will verify and edit(if required) the areas of School Evaluation(Co-scholastic and other areas Community Participation & Contributions, Infrastructure) and upload the verified/edited School Evaluation part in the software on the same day of External Evaluation by himself/herself.
- Time schedule of schools of Tea Garden areas will be same as other schools during Gunotsav.
- Colour of packets of confidential materials will be different for LP, UP & Secondary level.
- All confidential packets are to be opened in front of External Evaluator. However, if External
 Evaluator is not able to reach in time due to unavoidable circumstances, the packets will be
 opened in presence of SMC/SMDC, record of which will be kept as per annexed format.
- All filled up OMR sheets will be packed as per instruction of packing guidelines and sent back to state level for scanning, analysis and result generation.
- If any child is absent, no circle is to be darkened against his/her name. However, for grading of school, number of absentee students will also be considered.
- Only black/blue ball point pen is to be used in OMR sheet.
- School will display the sample of uniform before External Evaluator. School will also keep ready the bills of uniform for checking of External Evaluator.
- Students of same class for classes III to IX will not sit in the same desk-bench. However, packing of filled up OMR sheets will have to be done class wise carefully.

The seat plan will be done by school as mentioned below:

Seat Plan of Gunotsay-2025



Middle Vernacular School

Dayu 1	Class			
Row – 1	Class III	Class IV	Class V	

	Class	
Class VI	Class VII	Class VIII

	Class	
Class VII	Class VIII	Class VI

Class		
Class VI	Class III	Class VI

Secondary School (Class VI to X/XII)

Class			
Class IX	Class VII	Class VIII	

Class		
Class VI	Class VIII	Class VII

Class				
Class IX	Class VII	Class VIII		

Secondary School (Class I to X/XII)

Row – 1 Class III Class VI Class VIII

Class		
Class VII	Class IV	Class IX

Row – 2 Class VI Class VII Class IX

	Class	
Class III	Class VI	Class V

Row – 3 Class VII Class III Class VI

Class		
Class III	Class VIII	Class IX

Seconadry School(Class IX to X/XII)

Row – 1	Cla	SS		Cla	ass	
Now - I	Class IX	ss IX Class IX		Class IX	Class IX	
Row – 2	Cla	Class		Cla	ass	
	Class IX	Class IX		Class IX	Class IX	
	'		_			
	Cla	ISS		Cla	ass	
Row – 3	Class IX	Class IX		Class IX	Class IX	

• Prevailing safety measures will have to be maintained by all who will be involved in the exercise.

4. ROLE OF EXTERNAL EVALUATORS:

- External Evaluators will be present in the assigned schools from morning assembly till completion of the exercise (upto labelling, packaging etc.) including submission of confidential report. External Evaluator will submit the confidential report through online.
- ii. External Evaluator will select 10% students randomly of each class and will assess reading skill. However, if total number of students in a particular class is found to be upto 10, then reading skill of 100% students of that class will be assessed by the External Evaluator. If performance of the 10% children is found to be more or less tallying with the performance on the day of self evaluation, External Evaluator will permit the school to enter marks of Reading Skill (which was recorded in the prescribed format by teacher on the day of Self Evaluation) in OMR sheet. If major discrepancies between performances of External Evaluation and Self Evaluation are found, External Evaluator will instruct concerned teacher for re-evaluation of all students of the class. The External Evaluator will use the frame provided for the day of External Evaluation only for assessment of 10% students' reading skill.
- iii. The External Evaluator will randomly check atleast 5/6 answer copies (each class) of Writing & Numeracy / Basic Mathematical Operations evaluated by teacher and will tally the answers of the students and mark given by teacher in the OMR sheet. The External Evaluator will ensure that marks of said skills have been entered by teacher in the OMR sheet without any bias.
- iv. External Evaluator will monitor smooth conduct of evaluation of subject areas (Individual OMR Based Subject areas) and will take necessary steps to avoid any malpractices, cheating etc.

- v. External Evaluator will ensure presence of only Head Teacher and Nodal Teacher of parent school in the school on the day of External Evaluation. No other teacher/s of the parent school will be allowed to be present in the school on the day of External Evaluation. The teacher of other school of the cluster will be deputed as invigilator for the school on the day of External Evaluation.
- vi. External evaluator will verify all indicators and descriptors of School Evaluation (Coscholastic and other areas Community Participation & Contributions, Infrastructure) as per record/observation/interaction with stakeholders etc. and edit the areas of School Evaluation, if required and upload the final verified/edited School Evaluation part in the software on the same day of External Evaluation. The School Evaluation part provided by schools will be made available in the software before three (03) days of conduct of External Evaluation.
- vii. External Evaluator will check the seat arrangement. Students of same class for classes —III to IX will not sit in the same desk-bench. The seat plan will be done by school as mentioned above. However, packing of filled up OMR sheets will have to be done class wise carefully.
- viii. External Evaluator will check the quality of uniform as displayed by schools and will compare the same with students wearing uniform. External Evaluator will also check the bills of uniform. Their views/comments regarding uniform will be given in the confidential report.
- ix. External Evaluator will fillup, sign the OMR sheet meant for External Evaluation and will ensure sealing in front of him/her.
- x. External Evaluator will maintain impartiality and neutrality.
- xi. External Evaluator will put signature where required.
- xii. External Evaluator will ensure proper packeting of materials (used).
- xiii. The External Evaluator will check Uniform area as per guidelines of Annexure-IX and will submit online (Gunotsav Portal) on the day of External Evaluation.

5. FRAMEWORK/GUIDELINES/SCHEDULE/FORMATS:

- DETAILED FRAMEWORK FOR SCHOLASTIC EVALUATION IS AT ANNEXURE-I.
- ii. DETAILED GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOL EVALUATION IS AT ANNEXURE-II.
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i. FRAMEWORK FOR SCHOLASTIC EVALUATION: ANNEXURE-I

Scholastic Evaluation:

- Scholastic evaluation will be for class I to IX.
- There will be both self-evaluation and external evaluation.
- Evaluation will be for two days for each school.
- On the 1st day of the two- day evaluation, all schools will conduct self-evaluation. Self evaluation will include evaluation/assessment of reading skills of all students.
- The external evaluation of a school will be done on respective date of external evaluation as per schedule. On the date of external evaluation, evaluation of Reading Skill of 10% students of each class, Writing and Numeracy /Basic Mathematical Operations skill of all students will be done.
- There will be 3 sets of question booklets for 3 days of external evaluation. Each school will get only one set depending upon the date of external evaluation for the school.

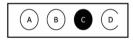
Day wise set will be as follows:

Day of External evaluation	Set
Day-1	Α
Day-2	В
Day-3	С

Sample of darkening circle in OMR sheet:

Example of correctly filled up circle

Example of incorrectly filled up circle





Nature of Evaluation:

Scholastic evaluation will be done on:

Skills:

☐ Reading, Writing & Numeracy (classes 2 to 8)/Basic Mathematical Operations (class 9).

Subjects:

LP: Language (L1 & L2), Maths, EVS.

UP: Language (L1, L2& L3), Maths, Science & Social Science.

Secondary (Class-IX): MIL/IL(Hindi + English), English, Maths, Science & Social Science.

Class and skill / subject wise number of questions, nature of questions and marks:

 <u>Self Evaluation</u>: Self-evaluation (Reading skill) will be conducted by schools in presence of SMC/SMDC. This will ensure greater participation of all teachers of schools, SMC/SMDC

member and community. Class/subject/nature of questions etc. for self-evaluation will be as follows:

Class	Skills to be covered	Subjects to be covered	Total No. of Questions	Marks	Nature of Questions
II- VIII	Reading	L1 L2	L1 = 1 L2 = 1	Reading: L1=3 L2=3	Reading : 3 separate frames of pictures /words/Sentences/paragraphs. Students will read one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3).
IX	Reading	MIL English	MIL = 1 English= 1	MIL =3 English=3	Reading: 3 separate frames of independent sentences/Paragraphs; students will read one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3).

■ <u>External Evaluation</u>: Class/skills/subjects/no. of questions/marks/nature of questions for external evaluation will be as follows:

Class	Skills to be covered	Subjects to be covered	Total No. of Questions	Marks	Nature of Questions
I		Language 1 Language 2 Mathematics	30 (L 1=10, L2= 10 & Maths=10)	30 (L 1=10, L2= 10 & Maths=10)	Multiple Choice (MCQ) with 2 options
	Reading, Writing & Numeracy	Language 1 Language 2 Mathematics	Skill: Reading L1 = 1 L2 = 1 Writing L1 = 1 L2 = 1 Numeracy (with 4 sub questions) = 1 Total = 5	(Skill-Reading: L1 = 3 L2 = 3 Writing: L1 = 3 L2 = 3 Numeracy= 8	Reading: 3 separate frames of pictures/ words. Students will read one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3). Writing: 3 separate frames of pictures having 3 questions and students will write on one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3). Numeracy: 4 Questions on number knowledge and its operations [marking of each

Class	Skills to	Subjects to be covered	Total No. of	Marks	Nature of Questions
	be covered	Language 1 Language 2 Mathematics	MCQ L1= 10 L2= 10 Maths= 10 Total= 30	Total(Skill)= 20 MCQ- L1= 10 L2= 10 Maths = 10 Total MCQ = 30	question will be done as per 3 point rating scale (0, 1,2)]. Multiple Choice (MCQ) with 2 options in the respective subject as per Learning Outcomes.
III-V	Reading, Writing & Numeracy	Language 1 Language 2 Mathematics EVS	Skill: Reading L1= 1 L2= 1 Writing L1= 1 L2= 1 Numeracy (with 5 sub questions)= 1 Total = 5	Skill: Reading L1= 3 L2= 3 Writing L1= 3 L2= 3 Numeracy= 10 Total(Skill)=22	Reading: 3 separate frames of independent sentences/ paragraph; students will read one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3). Writing: 3 separate frames of topics and students will write on one selected topic. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3). Numeracy: 5 Questions on number knowledge and its operations, marking of each
			MCQ L1 = 16 L2 = 10 Maths= 18 EVS = 14 Total = 58	MCQ L1 = 16 L2 = 10 Maths= 18 EVS = 14 Total = 58	question will be done as per 3 point rating scale (0, 1, 2). Multiple Choice (MCQ) with 4 options in the respective subject as per Learning Outcomes.
VI-VIII	Reading, Writing & Numeracy	Language 1, Language 2, Language 3, Math, Science, Social Science	Skill: Reading L1= 1 L2= 1 Writing L1= 1 L2= 1	120 <u>Skill:</u> Reading L1= 3 L2= 3	Reading: 3 separate frames of independent sentences/paragraph. Students will read one selected frame. Marking will be as per 4 point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3).

Class	Skills to	Subjects to	Total No. of	Marks	Nature of Questions
	be covered	be covered	Questions	Writing:	Writing: 3 separate frames
			Numeracy (with 5 sub	L1=3	of topics and students will
			questions) = 1	L2=3	write on one selected topic.
			Total =5		Marking will be as per 4
			.otai o	Numeracy= 10	point rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3).
			MCQ	•	point rating scare (0, 1, 2, 3).
				Total(Skill)= 22	Numeracy:5 Questions on
			L1 = 20		number knowledge and its
			L2 = 10	MCQ-	operations, marking of each
			L3 = 08	L1 = 20	question will be done as per
			Maths = 20	L2 = 10	3 point rating scale (0, 1,2).
			Science= 20	L3 = 08	
			S. Science= 20	Maths = 20	Multiple Choice (MCQ) with
			Total = 98	Science = 20	4 options in the respective
				<u>S. Science = 20</u> Total MCQ= 98	subject as per LO.
				iotal MCQ- 98	
IX	Reading,	MIL, English,	105	120	Reading: 3 separate frames
	Writing &	Maths,			of independent sentences/
	Basic	Science &	<u>Skill:</u>	(Skill-	paragraph. Students will read
	Mathematical	Social	Reading	Reading:	one selected frame. Marking
	Operations	Science	MIL = 1		will be as per 4 point rating
			English = 1	MIL = 3	scale (0, 1, 2, 3).
			Writing MIL = 1	English = 3	
			English = 1	Writing: MIL = 3	Writing: 3 separate frames of
			Basic	English = 3	topics and students will write
			Mathematical	Liigiisii – 3	on one selected topic.
			operations	Basic	Marking will be as per 4 point
			with 4 sub	Mathematical	rating scale (0, 1, 2, 3).
			questions) <u>=1</u>	operations = 08	Basic Mathematical
			Total = 5	•	Operations: 4 questions on
				Total(Skills)= 20	basic mathematical
			<u>MCQ</u>		operations, marking of each
			NAII	MCQ-	question will be done as per
			MIL = 20		3 point rating scale (0, 1, 2).
			English = 20 Maths = 20	MIL = 20	Multiple Choices (MCQ) with
			Science = 20	English = 20	4 options in the respective
			S. Science = 20	Maths = 20	subject as per Learning
			$\frac{\text{Sign}(1) + 20}{\text{Total}} = 100$	Science = 20 S. Science = 20	Outcomes.
				Total = 100	
				10tal – 100	

Summary:

Class	Skil	I	MCQ		Total	
	No. of Questions	Marks	No. of Questions	Marks	Questions (Skills + MCQ)	Marks(Skills + MCQ)
1	-	-	30	30	30	30
II	05	20	30	30	35	50
III to V	05	22	58	58	63	80
VI to VIII	05	22	98	98	103	120
IX	05	20	100	100	105	120

Class wise and subject/skill mode of questions:

Class	Subject/Skill	Mode	Remarks
I	L1, L2 &Maths	MCQ	 Students will tick the answer in question paper cum answer sheet. Teacher will transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias.
	Reading , Writing & Numeracy Skill	Words/sentence for reading, picture/topic for writing & questions for numeracy	 Students will write answers in question paper cum answer sheet for writing and numeracy. Teacher/External Evaluator will check answers and transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. Reading Evaluation of 10% students will be done by External Evaluator. Minimum 5/6 answer copies of writing & numeracy will verify and will tally the answer copy and mark entered by Teacher in the OMR sheet. External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias.

Class	Subject/Skill	Mode	Remarks	
	L1, L2 & Maths	MCQ	 Students will tick the answer in question paper cum answer sheet. Teacher will check answers and transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias. 	
III-V	Reading, Writing & Numeracy Skill	Three independent sentences for reading, topics for writing & questions for numeracy	 Students will write answers in question paper cum answer sheet for writing and numeracy Teacher will check answers and transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. Reading Evaluation of 10% students will be done by External Evaluator. Minimum 5/6 answer copies of writing & numeracy will verify and will tally the answer copy and mark entered by Teacher in the OMR sheet. External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias. 	
	L1, L2 & Maths	MCQ	Students will answer in the OMR sheet by themselves.	
VI-VIII	Reading , Writing & Numeracy Skill / Basic mathematical operations	Sentences/Paragraph for reading, topics for writing & questions for numeracy	 Students will write answers in question paper cum answer sheet for writing and numeracy Teacher will check answers and transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. Reading Evaluation of 10% students will be done by External Evaluator. Minimum 5/6 answer copies of writing & numeracy will verify and will tally the answer copy and mark entered by Teacher in the OMR sheet. 	

Class	Subject/Skill	Mode	Remarks
			 External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias.
	L1, L2, L3 Maths, Science & Social Science	MCQ	Students will answer in the OMR sheet by themselves.
IX	Reading , Writing & Basic Mathematical Operations	Sentence/paragraph for reading, topics for writing & questions for Basic Mathematical Operations	 Students will write answers in question paper cum answer sheet for writing and numeracy. Teacher/External Evaluator will check answers and transfer the responses in the OMR sheet. Reading Evaluation of 10% students will be done by External Evaluator. Minimum 5/6 answer copies of writing & numeracy will verify and will tally the answer copy and mark entered by Teacher in the OMR sheet. External evaluation will ensure that teachers have transferred the students' response in the OMR sheet without any bias.
	MIL, English, Maths, Science & Social Science	MCQ	Students will answer in the OMR sheet by themselves.

- 1. Individual Question paper from class –I to IX will be provided.
- 2. Individual OMR sheet from class III to IX will be provided
- 3. Filled up OMR sheet will be collected back.
- 4. Question paper cum answer sheet (Reading, Writing & Numeracy) will be kept at schools and school will exhibit during annual day or other school function.

Guideline for scoring: (Skills):

Reading:

Marking point for reading frames of class II:

3 mark	2 mark	1 mark	0 mark
All 3 words are read correctly, confidently and fluently with proper pronunciation.	 2 words are read correctly but takes time to associate letters with sounds. Takes time to pronounce the words. Takes time to associate letters with sounds. 	 1 word is read. Takes time to pronounce the words. Takes time to associate letters with sounds. 	Could not read a single word.

Marking point for reading frames of class **III to IX:**

3 mark	2 mark	1 mark	0 mark
 All 3 sentences are read correctly, confidently and fluently with proper pronunciation, pace and pause. 	 2 sentences are read. Takes time to pronounce the words of the sentences. Takes time to associate letters with sounds. 	 1 sentence is read. Takes time to pronounce the words of the sentences. Takes time to associate letters with sounds. 	 Could not read a single sentence correctly.

Writing:

3 mark	2 mark	1 mark	0 mark
 All the 3 word/sentences are on the topic. All 3 sentences are written with grammatically correct sentence structure. 	 At least 2 sentences are on the topic. 2 sentences are written with grammatically correct sentence structure. 	 At least 1 sentence is on the topic Only 1 sentence is written with grammatically correct sentence structure. 	 The child has not written anything or Not a single sentence is on the topic.

- There is no spelling error in all 3 sentences.
- Appropriate punctuation mark and capitalization etc., are used in all 3 sentences.
- Proper space between words is maintained in the whole paragraph.

- 2-3 spelling errors in the whole paragraph.
- Occasionally, punctuation marks, capitalization etc., are not appropriately used but which is not affecting the comprehensibility of the paragraph.
- Occasionally, space between words is not properly maintained but which is not affecting the comprehensibility of the paragraph.

- 4-6 spelling errors
- Frequent use of inappropriate punctuation marks, capitalization etc., which is affecting the comprehensibility of the paragraph.
- Space between words frequency is not maintained which is affecting the comprehensibility of the paragraph.
- The paragraph is not at all comprehensible due to inappropriate sentence structure, spelling error, no space between words etc.

Numeracy/Basic Mathematical Operations:

2 Point	1 Point	0 Point
The child is able to solve the problem completely correctly following all necessary steps.	 If the answer is not correct though the process/steps of solving the question is partially correct. 	 If a child does not attempt to solve a problem, or, If a child is not able to solve a question.

Students will have to be asked to solve the problem showing the steps of solving the problem(s) and marking will be done on the basis of steps followed.

ii. GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOL EVALUATION: ANNEXURE-II (to be submitted online by school and External Evaluator)

A. Co-scholastic Activities and Other Areas:

#	Indicator	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
1	Morning Assembly (as per observation).	 A. Conducted in disciplined and systematic way. B. All students and teachers participated. C. SMC/SMDC/MG members are present. D. Conducted activities like prayer/Jatiya Sangeet / Rastriya Sangeet, oath taking. E. Inspection of personal cleanliness. F. Reading of number table /quiz,/speech on selected topic. D. Discussion on significance of the day/messages of great personality etc. 	If all 7 descriptors are available; 7 marks If 6 descriptors are available; 6 marks If 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
2	Availability of record (as per records and observation)	 A. Proceedings of SMC/SMDC meeting & PTM. B. Co-scholastic activities. C. Utilisation of grants D. Attendance. E. Evaluation. F. U-DISE form. G. Bio-diversity Register. 	If all 7 descriptors are available; 7 marks If 6 descriptors are available; 6 marks If 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0

#	Indicator	Descrip <mark>to</mark> r	Guidance for marking
3	Post Gunotsav initiatives (as per records & discussion)	A. Student and School Report Cards shared with parents/guardians, SMC/SMDC. B. Question wise responses of students analysed. C. Remedial support including regular checking of evaluation copies.	If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 marks None; 0
4	Sports and Physical Education (Observation and interaction)	 A. Sports equipments under financial year 2024-25 are procured. B. Sports equipment and stock position are maintained. C. Sports classes are conducted. D. Sports activities are organised weekly/monthly. 	If all 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
5	Innovative Practices	A. Infrastructure development.B. Monitoring.C. Academic improvement.D. Resource mobilisation.	If 4 descriptors have been fulfilled, 4 marks. If 3 descriptors have been fulfilled, 3 marks. If 2 descriptors have been fulfilled, 2 marks. If 1 descriptor has been fulfilled, 1 mark. None: 0
6	Use of Library Books	 A. Register is maintained for keeping records of receipt and issue of library books to students. B. Library books are issued to students on weekly basis. C. Reading /library period is held as per Academic Calendar. 	If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
7	*Foundational Literacy & Numeracy(FLN) (applicable for school having class-I onwards)	A. All teachers teaching from class- 1 to 3 attended block level training on the implementation of NIPUN Axom (FLN). B. Teachers are using TLMs of FLN properly.	If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If all 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark. None; 0

Indicator	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
	C. Teachers assess children's learning achievement on regular basis.	
Display of Important matters (as per observation).	 A. Big size photograph with phone number of all presently working Teachers (from lower class to highest class) in front of Head Teacher room or in verandah (common area) of the school. B. Important/Emergency numbers. C. Poster on Safety Pledge. D. Photograph of Lachit Borphukan. 	If 4 descriptors have been fulfilled, 4 marks. If 3 descriptors have been fulfilled, 3 marks. If 2 descriptors have been fulfilled, 2 marks. If 1 descriptor has been fulfilled, 1 mark.
Teacher attendance of last three months (as per Siksha Setu App).	A. 100% - 5 marks B. 90-99% - 4 marks C. 80-89% - 3 marks D. Below 80% -0	Marks to be allotted as indicated.
Inspection/ academic visit by Officials(as per inspection register)	 A. At least 3 times academic inspection by BEEO/SI. B. Observation notes are available in school visit register. C. School visit observations are discussed in the meeting of SMC/SMDC, PTA and follow up action is taken. 	If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks. If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 marks None; 0
*PM-POSHAN (earlier known as MDMS) as per observation (school having classes from Class-IX is not applicable)	A. Whether hot cooked mid-day meal is provided to children in all school days following nutrition norms & entitlement and records/registers (Daily Performance Record Register, Food Grins register, Accounts Maintenance register & Food Tasting register) for the same are properly maintained. Yes/No B. Whether school has displayed Weekly Suggested Menu, Nutrition Norms & Entitlement in prominent place of the school campus.	If all 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
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#	Indicator	Descrip <mark>tor</mark>	Guidance for marking
		C. Whether rice and other ingredients are stored properly in a hygienic manner and arrangements for waste disposal, handwashing and cleaning utensils are available. Yes/No D. Whether School Nutrition Garden (kitchen garden) has been set up in school. Yes/No E. Whether school reports in ARMS (Automated Reporting & Monitoring System) on a regular basis. Yes/No	
12	*Career Guidance (applicable for class-9 onwards)	 A. Career Guidance Cell is available. B. Whether career guidance classes are held regularly every week based on career guidance table book. C. Career Charts (Career Tree) are displayed prominently. D. Career Guidance Sessions conducted once a week as per Govt. Notification and Academic Calendar. 	If all 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If all 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark. None; 0
13	*Life Skill Education (applicable for class-6 onwards)	A. Life Skill sessions conducted once a week with outdoor activities as per guideline and Academic Calendar. B. Life Skill Education Module (Foundational Book available in schools.)	If all 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark. None; 0
14	*Sanitary Pad (applicable for class-6 onwards)	A. Sanitary Pads available and provided to the girl students in schools. B. Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) Sessions conducted with adolescents girls from time to time.	If all 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark. None; 0

#	Indicator	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
15	Twinning/ Partnership	 A. School covered under Twinning Partnership. B. Monthly activities viz school vis sports activities, lesson demo be exchanging teachers of both schools etc. are conducted. 	available; 2 marks it, If 1 descriptor is available; 1

B) Community Participation & Contribution:

#	Indicator /Activity	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
1	Monitoring (as per records and interaction)	 A. Visit school regularly. B. Monitors attendance of students and teachers. C. Monitors timing of school functioning. D. Helps in tracking dropout students and bringing them back. E. Arrangement of remedial support involving local youth/club/NGO/Rtd. Educated persons. F. School visit observations are discussed in meeting of SMC/SMDC, PTA. G. Follow up action on observations/reports is taken. 	If 7 descriptors are available; 7 marks If 6 descriptors are available; 6 marks If 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
2	Support (as per records)	 A. Increase of enrolment B. Academic support through classroom transaction. C. Contribution of Library book. D. Contribution of assets/materials (Dining table, water filter, school gate, boundary wall, play materials etc.). E. Sampriti Bhojan. F. Organise sports/cultural programme. G. Regular attendance of students and teachers 	If 7 descriptors are available; 7 marks If 6 descriptors are available; 6 marks If 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0

#	Indicator /Activity	Descrip <mark>to</mark> r	Guidance for marking
3	SMC/SMDC involvement (as per record and interaction)	 A. Identification of Out of School Children (OoSC) and observation of dropout prevention week. B. Monitoring of utilization of Grants. C. Hygienic Practices (School campus, Drinking water, Toilets etc.). D. Home visit of irregular students by SMC/SMDC members. 	If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
4	Vidyanjali (as per records of the register/ Vidyanjali Portal, observation etc.)	 A. Assets/Service contribution of Volunteers reflected in the Vidyanjali Portal. B. Minimum 10 Volunteers registered under Vidyanjali Portal in the school. C. Display of name with contribution details of Volunteers in the prominent place of the school campus. 	If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark. None; 0
5	Alumni and Parent-Teacher Association(PTA) (as per record)	 A. Exists. B. Functional. C. PTA meetings are conducted monthly. D. Contribution from Alumni (Services/Assets). 	If all 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If all 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0
6	Other areas (as per records/ Observation)	 A. Organise Health Camp B. Ensure Tobacco free environment in the school campus. C. Plantation of atleast one plant per student in the academic year 2024-25 and ensuring its survival on the day of visit by External Evaluator. D. Awareness against early marriage, substance abuse etc. E. Support in ensuring mental health of students and teachers. F. Ensure inclusive environment in school. 	If 6 descriptors are available; 6 marks If 5 descriptors are available; 5 marks If 4 descriptors are available; 4 marks If 3 descriptors are available; 3 marks If 2 descriptors are available; 2 marks If 1 descriptor is available; 1 mark None; 0

C) Availability and Utilization of School Infrastructure and other facilities (This area will not to be considered for grading of schools):

#	Indicator	Descriptor (will tick or write as applicable)
1	Type of school building	A. Permanent (Pucca) building B. Temporary (Kutcha) building C. Permanent but damaged/ dilapidated D. Whether Govt. building (Yes/No) E. If no, temporary accommodation in rented/ leased premises
2	Electrification	 A. External electrical connection available from APDCL [Yes/No] B. If no, whether solar power plant available [Yes/No] C. Internal electrification with proper wiring, switches & sockets [Yes/No] D. Sufficient ceiling fans, bulb/ tubes available [Yes/No]
3	Classrooms	 A. Availability of separate classroom for each class [Yes/ No]] B. If no, how many additional classrooms required [] C. Is there any temporary partition used for separation of different classes [Yes/ No] D. If yes, number of permanent partitions required [] E. No. of classrooms require for major repairing []
4	Water availability	 A. Safe drinking water available [Yes/ No] B. Drinking water available from JJM/ Urban or local water supply scheme/ Others C. Is the drinking water facility functional? [Yes/ No] D. Whether water quality testing report available (within last six months) [Yes/No]
5	Toilet Facilities	 A. Separate toilet for boys and girls [Yes/No] B. Running water available in urinals/toilets [Yes/No] C. Toilets are maintained regularly [Yes/No] D. Availability of incinerator in girls toilet [Yes/No]
6	Hand Washing Station	Proper hand washing facility available with running water and soap [Yes/No]
7	Furniture	 A. Desk benches adequately available for all students [Yes/No] B. If no, please specify number of students for whom additional desk bench are required C. Table & chair adequately available for all teachers [Yes/No] D. If no, number of pairs required []
8	School is Divyang (disable) friendly	A. Whether the school is barrier free[Yes/No] B. Ramp with rail is available [Yes/No] C. School has CWSN friendly toilet [Yes/No]

1	#	Indicator	Descrip <mark>to</mark> r (will tick or write as applicable)					
	9	Internet facility	A. Availability of Internet facility [Yes/No] B. Which Internet Service Provider(ISP) connection available in the area *Jio					
	10	BaLA(Building as Learning Aid)	Whether the school has BaLA features [Yes/No]					

^{*} Indicator which is not applicable for a particular category of school, in that case no circle of said indicator will be filled up by school/External Evaluator for said school.

Note: School Evaluation (Co-scholastic and other areas, Community Participation & Contributions, Infrastructure) part will be submitted by school in online mode before 3 days of conduct of External Evaluation. The software will be made available in advance for that.

iii. SCHEDULE OF SELF EVALUATION & EXTERNAL EVALUATION: Annexure-III

• Lower Primary

Date of Self Evaluation:

Time	Duration	Class	Activity	By Whom	Remarks			
9.00a.m-9.15a.m	15 minutes	I to V	Morning Assembly	School				
9.15a.m-9.25a.m	10 minutes	I to V	Attendance check	Teacher	In classroom			
9.25a.m-12.25p.m	180 minutes	II to V	Reading Evaluation (Language-1 & Language-2)	Teacher	Evaluation and recording of marks in prescribed format by concerned teacher.			
12.25p.m-1.00p.m	35 minutes	II to V	MDM	School				
1.00 pm onwards	1.00 pm onwards Activities/classroom transaction as per Academic Calendar							

Date of External Evaluation

No	Time	Duration	Class	Activity	Remarks
1	09:00a.m to 09:15a.m	15 minutes	I to V	Morning Assembly	
2	09:15a.m to 09:25a.m	10 Minutes	I to V	Attendance Checking	

No	Time	Duration	Class		Activity	Remarks
3	09:25a.m to 10.25a.m	60 Minutes		A: (V	cholastic ssessment Written xamination–MCQ)	Time includes conducting of assessment, collection of question paper cum answer sheet from students.
4	09:25a.m to 10.55a.m	90 Minutes	II	So A: Ex N (L	cholastic ssessment (Written xamination–MCQ, umeracy, Writing anguage-1 & anguage-2)	Time includes conducting of assessment, collection of question paper cum answer sheet from students.

- For Class 1, responses of students will be transferred to OMR sheet by teacher/Invigilator/EE.
- For Class 2, MCQ part (Q.No.1 to 30) responses of students will be transferred to OMR sheet by teacher/Invigilator/EE. For Q. No. 31, 32, 33 a to d, 34 & 35 marks(as per scoring guidelines) on the basis of responses of students will be given in OMR sheet by teacher/Invigilator/EE.

5	9:25 a.m to 11.55 a.m	150 Minutes	III to V	Scholastic Evaluation (Written Examination–MCQ, Numeracy, Writing(Language-1 & Language-2)	 Time includes both conducting of assessment, collection of filled up OMR sheet (class wise) and question paper cum answer sheet from students. The External Evaluator will move to each room during exam time and ensure smooth conduct of evaluation

Students will write their answer for the writing and numeracy part in the question paper itself.

Assessment of Reading Skill:										
6	11:30 a.m to 12:00	30 minutes	П	Assessment of	■ External Evaluator will					
	noon			 Reading 	assess performance of 10%					
				(Language-1 &	students randomly for					
				Language-2)	reading skill (both L1&L2).					
					Point-4.ii as mentioned in					
					the role of External					
					Evaluator is to be followed					
					if any discrepancies found.					
					■ EE will ensure that					
					marking is done neutrally.					

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4			Asses	sment o	f Reading	Skill:	
	7	12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m	60 minutes	III to V			 External Evaluator will assess performance of 10% students randomly for reading skill (both L1&L2). Point-4.ii as mentioned in the role of External Evaluator is to be followed if any discrepancies found. EE will ensure that marking is done neutrally.
		ME	M as per me	nu of th	e day (1.00	p.m to 1.4	5p.m)
		nool Evaluation(Co-scho	lastic and otl	ner area	s, Commui	nity Particip	pation & Contributions and
	8	1.50 p.m to 3.20 p.m	90 minutes	School	School Ev	raluation	 Verification and edit, if any will be done by External Evaluator as per physical observation and interaction with Head Teacher, Teachers, SMC, Community, students etc. and enter the marks in the online format. The final verified/edited School Evaluation part is to be uploaded in the online Gunotsav portal by External Evaluator on the same software on the same day of External Evaluation. Students of class-V will be retained for interaction.
					of Reading		
	9	3.25p.m to 4.25p.m	60 minutes			respons & II). • Checkir numera	or will randomly check atleast
						5/6 ans	wer copies (each class) ed by teacher and will tally the

		Asses	sment of <mark>Re</mark> ading	Skill:
				 answers of the students and mark given by teacher in the OMR sheet. Transferring of mark of reading, writing and numeracy to OMR sheet (class-II to V). The External Evaluator will ensure that marks of said skills are entered by teacher in the OMR sheet without any bias.
10	4.25 p.m. to 4.55p.m	30 minutes	School	 Packing after proper sealing and labelling. All concerned are to put signatures where required before packing.

N:B: Timing of activities may vary depending on enrolment.

• **Upper Primary**

Date of Self Evaluation:

Time	Duration	Class	Activity	By Whom	Remarks		
9.00a.m-9.15a.m	15 minutes	VI to VIII	Morning Assembly	School			
9.15a.m-9.25a.m	10 minutes	VI to VIII	Attendance check	Teacher	In classroom		
9.25a.m- 12.25noon	180 minutes	VI to VIII	ReadingEvaluation(Language-1 & Language-2)	Teacher	Evaluation and recording of marks in prescribed format by concerned teacher.		
12.25p.m-1.00p.m	35 minutes	VI to VIII	MDM	School			
1.00 p.m onwards	Activities/clas	/classroom transaction as per Academic Calendar					

Date of External Evaluation

No	Time	Duration	Class	Activity	Remarks
1	09: <mark>00 a.m to</mark> 09:15 a.m	15 minutes	VI to VIII	Morning Assembly	
2	09:15 a.m to 9:25a.m	10 minutes	VI to VIII	Attendance Checking	

Date of External Evaluation

	De	ite of External Evaluation	<u> </u>	V		
	No.	Time	Duration	Class	Activity	Remarks
	3	09:25a.m to 11.55a.m	150 Minutes	VI to VIII	Scholastic Assessment (Written Examination – MCQ, Numeracy, Writing (Language-1 & Language-2)	-
		Students will write their	answer for th	e writin	g and numeracy part i	n the question paper itself.
	4	12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m	60 minutes	VI to VIII	Assessment of • Reading (Language-1 & Language-2)	 External Evaluator will assess performance of 10% students randomly for reading skill (both L1&L2). Point-4.ii as mentioned in the role of External Evaluator is to be followed if any discrepancies found. EE will ensure that marking is done neutrally.
Ī		ME	M as per mei	nu of th	e day (1.00p.m to 1.4!	5p.m)
		nool Evaluation (Co-schorastructure)	olastic and ot	her are	as, Community Partic	ipation & Contributions and
	5	1.50 p.m to 3.20 p.m	90 minutes	School	School Evaluation	Verification and edit, if any will be done by External Evaluator as per physical observation and interaction with Head Teacher, Teachers,
						sMC, Community, students etc. and enter the marks in the online format. The final verified/edited School Evaluation part is to be uploaded in the online Gunotsav portal by External Evaluator on the same day of External Evaluation.

6	3.25p.m to 4.25p.m	60 minutes	School under the supervision of External Evaluator	 Checking of answer of writing and numeracy (class-VI to VIII). The External Evaluator will randomly check atleast 5/6 answer copies (each class) evaluated by teacher and will tally the answers of the students and mark given by teacher in the OMR sheet. Transferring of mark of reading, writing and numeracy to OMR sheet (class-VI to VIII). The External Evaluator will ensure that marks of said skills are entered by teacher in the OMR sheet without any bias.
7	4.25 p.m to 4.55p.m	30 minutes	School	 Packing after proper sealing and labelling. All concerned are to put signatures where required before packing.
	N:B: Ti	ming of activit	ties may vary depending o	on enrolment.

Secondary

Date of Self Evaluation:

Time	Duration	Class	Activity	By Whom	Remarks
9.00a.m-9.15a.m	15 minutes	IX	Morning Assembly	School	
9.15a.m-9.25a.m	10 minutes	IX	Attendance check	Teacher	
9.25a.m-12.25p.m	180 minutes	IX	■ Reading Evaluation (English and MIL)	Teacher	Evaluation and recording of marks in prescribed format by concerned teacher.
12.25 p.m onwards	Activities/classroom transaction as per Academic Calendar				

Date of External Evaluation

No.	Time	Duration	Class	Activity	Remarks
1	09:00a.m to 09:15a.m	15 minutes	IX	Morning Assembly	
2	09:15 a.m to 9:20a.m	10 minutes	IX	Attendance Checking	
3	09:20a.m to 1.50a.m	150 Minutes	IX	Scholastic Assessment (Written Examination – MCQ, Basic Mathematical Operations, Writing (English and MIL)	 Time includes both conducting of assessment, collection of filled up OMR sheet and question paper cum answer sheet from students. The External Evaluator will move to each room during exam time and ensure smooth conduct of evaluation.

Students will write their answer for the writing and Basic Mathematical Operations part in the question paper itself.

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			Asse	ssment	of <mark>Re</mark> adir	ng Skill:		
	4 Sch	12:00 noon to 1:00p.m	60 minutes	IX Assessment of Reading (English and MIL) Deer areas, Community Page 1		English	 External Evaluator will assess performance of 10% students randomly for reading skill (both L1&L2). Point-4.ii as mentioned in the role of External Evaluator is to be followed if any discrepancies found. EE will ensure that marking is done neutrally. 	
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	5	1.00 p.m to 2.30 p.m	90 minutes	School	Evaluat		 Verification and edit will be done by External Evaluator as per physical observation and interaction with Principal/Head Teacher, Teachers, SMDC, Community; students etc. and enter the marks in the online format. The final verified/edited School Evaluation part is to be uploaded in the online Gunotsav portal by External Evaluator on the same day of External Evaluation. 	
	7	2.35 p.m to 3.35p.m 3.35 p.m to 4.05p.m	60 minutes 30 minutes		tor	Math Evalu answ will t mark Trans and E mark teach bias.	cking of answer of writing and Basic nematical Operations. The External lator will randomly check atleast 5/6 yer copies evaluated by teacher and ally the answers of the students and a given by teacher in the OMR sheet. In the OMR sheet. In the OMR sheet. It is said to be a student of the student of the student of the student of the omega in the OMR sheet without any the operation of the OMR sheet without any the operation of t	
						All co wher	oncerned are to put signatures re required before packing.	
	N:B: Timing of activities may vary depending on enrolment.							

iv. Format for Teachers for recording performance of reading skill of children: ANNEXURE: IV

Name of School:	
DISE Code:	
Cluster:	
Block:	
District:	
Medium of Instruction:	
Class:	

Name of	Reading Language-1(L1)/MIL				Reading Language-2(L2)English			
Student	0	1	2	3	0	1	2	3

N:B: L1 & L2 will be applicable for Elementary level and MIL and English will be for Secondary level

*The marking of the students will be recorded as per the format given above for self evaluation (formats will be prepared by school for each class (II to VIII/IX) considering the number of students in a class). However, External Evaluator will assess reading skill of 10% students (each class) on the day of External Evaluation and if performance of the 10% children is found to be more or less tallying with the performance on the day of self evaluation, External Evaluator will permit the school to entre marks of Reading Skill in OMR sheet.

Name of Teacher/Head Teacher

Signature:



V. <u>FORMAT FOR KEEPING RECORD OF OPENING OF QUESTION BOOKLET (in presence of two SMC/SMDC members, in case, External Evaluator is not able to reach School in time):</u>

Annexure-V

Name of School:	
DISE Code:	Cluster:
Block:	District:
Medium(s) of Instruction:	Class:

As the external evaluator was not able to reach school in time, sealed packets of questions papers for class(s) have been opened in presence of the following:

SL No.	Name	Signature with date
1.	Head Teacher/Asstt. Teacher:	
2.	SMC Member(1):	
3.	SMC Member(2):	

vi. <u>GUIDELINES ON EVALUATION OF CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS(CWSN): ANNEXURE-VI</u> General Evaluation Techniques for CWSN:

- Extra time may be provided, as per the needs of the child. Breaks may be allowed during this time to counter fatigue.
- Use of devices to be allowed as per the individual needs of the child e.g. calculators, abacus, Brailler, Taylor Frame communication board, slant boards, pencil/pen grips etc.
- Use of technology e.g. Computers, tape recorders, voice synthesizers to be allowed as per the needs of the child.
- Flexibility in syllabus allocated for testing. For example, if the child is learning at a slower pace, he/she may be tested on smaller units of content rather than the whole syllabus at one time.
- Assessment procedures may include objective type questions, instead of essay type questions for children with difficulties in language acquisition, questions to be modified e.g. simple language.
- Accommodations are to be provided in the area of response methods. Example, oral responses instead of written (can be taped) or amanuensis to write down answers, which would be given orally or through a communication board.
- Instructions and questions to be read out to student when needed.
- Braille and print size to be enlarged according to needs of students.
- Suitable posture and seating arrangement to be made by providing adapted chair/table and separate room, if required.
- Timing of evaluation may be necessary, where children are on specific regular medication.
- Disabilities which have language acquisition problems may be exempted from the 3-language formula. Sign language can also be provided as an option.

Category wise Specific Evaluation Techniques:

For Children with Seeing Problems:

Commonly used methods of examination/evaluation for children with seeing problems.

- Question papers should be provided to children with visual impairment in Braille/ large print or a scribe should be provided.
- The child should be allowed to provide answers in Braille/large print/computers or with the help of a scribe.
- The examination should be same except writing can be in Braille or large print. The child may be evaluated based on oral performance in consultation with parents, child and others.
- Questions may be provided on the tape-recorder and the child's answers/responses may also be recorded on the tape recorder, only if required. If the child can write, then this opportunity should be provided.
- The child may be permitted to write his/her answers in computers.
- Wherever possible, computers with talk software should also be used as examination/evaluation mode.
- If the child writes in Braille, more time should be provided, if required. Teachers, in consultation with the parents can decide on the extra time. Alternatively, less number of questions may be given to the visually impaired child using Braille.
- Allow rest time if the child has to write for long time as writing Braille for a long time causes fatigue.
- Marks should not be deducted for Braille dot errors (except for Braille reading/writing test). If required, ask the child to give answers orally to find out if s/he knows the answers.
- For providing a large print question paper, the teacher should assess the print size suitable for the individual child, which she/he can see. The child should be allowed to write using a felt pen and on a plain paper (if required).
- Separate seating arrangement could be provided when the child is answering through tape recorder or dictating to a scribe to reduce noise.
- Alternative questions for drawing/diagrams (pictorial) questions can be provided, only in cases required.
- Clear instructions for objective type questions needs to be given.
- For essay type questions when the child is writing through Braille, marks should be given on key points, not on length of the answers. Both the teacher and the parents should be involved in this.
- The child should be allowed to use all the assistive devices required by him/her.

For Children with Hearing Problems:

- Question papers for children with language acquisition problems should be simple, mainly comprising objective type questions.
- As far as possible, marks should not be cut for punctuation, spelling and grammatical errors. Teachers in consultation parents can decide this.
- Mathematical word problems should be short and simple, if need be.
- Extra time may be provided where absolutely necessary (15 minutes extension per hour or as decided by the teacher).
- Oral evaluation should be substituted by written responses, if required.
- The child should be exempted from the 3-language formula and should be taught the language/s according to the cultural context of the child. Sign language can also be used.
- All oral directions given during the exam should also be written on the board.

For Children with Locomotor Impairment:

- Ensure physical access to room where evaluation/examination is taking place.
- If the child has problem in writing due to impairment in a hand, more time should be provided, depending on the needs of the child or alternatively less number of questions may be given or a scribe may be provided.

For Children with Cerebral Palsy:

- Ensure physical access to test area.
- Separate room to be provided.
- Provide writer, when needed.
- Use of technology for e.g. computers, voice synthesizers.
- Use of communication boards for responding to questions.
- Modifications of question types to accommodate motor difficulties for e.g. do not test on drawings, geometry questions. These can be decided by the teacher and parents.
- If associated conditions such as visual, hearing, intellectual impairment co-exist, refer to specific evaluation techniques mentioned under each impairment above.
- Suitable postural and seating arrangement to be made by providing adapted chair/table.
- Time for answering questions should be extended, if need be. Breaks may be allowed to counter fatigue.
- Use of adapted devices and equipment e.g. pencil grips, wedges etc.
- The paper/ answer sheet provided should be thick enough (as children with cerebral palsy at times use lot of pressure while writing).

For Children with Mental Retardation:

- The language used in the question paper should be simple.
- The difficulty level of the questions framed for evaluation of children with mental retardation should be at the child's level of understanding.
- Time for answering questions should be extended. Breaks may be allowed to counter fatigue.
- Flexibility should be given to use appropriate teaching learning material for the purpose of evaluation of these children, wherever required. For example use of concrete material, flash cards, visual aids, pictorial illustrations etc.
- The children with mental retardation should not be penalized for punctuation/spelling/ grammatical errors. But they should be told about the errors made.
- Fewer numbers of questions should be given to such children, if required.
- Questions should mainly be objective type/multiple-choice/pictorial, if required.

For Children with Multiple Disabilities:

- Extra time to be given to children with multiple disabilities.
- Special furniture to be provided to these children.
- Arrangements to be made for adequate space.
- Assistance should be provided to the child in ensuring physical comfort.
- Ensure easy access to toilets.
- Provisions to be made for a writer or a scribe, if required by the child.
- Suitable modifications should be made in the question paper according to the needs of the child.
- Some children with multiple disabilities may require additional cues and provisions for the same should be made during exams.

Note: These are just guidelines for the States to help them develop some mechanism for the evaluation of children with special needs. However, these may be adapted/ modified according to the individual needs of the child.

vii. On-Line Format for External Evaluators, Gunotsav, Assam: Annexure: VII (to be filled-up by log in the Gunotsav Web portal)

Name of	<u>External Evalu</u>	ator:							
<u>Designati</u>	on:								
<u>Departm</u>	ent:								
Date of v	<u>isit</u> :								
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Nam	e of School	U-D	ISE Code	Cluster		Block	District		
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Nam	e of child:	Class:	Faculty (Spart, dance	oorts, music, etc.)	Level(State/National/International				
<u>Observat</u>	ions are to be	brief, sp	ecific and leg	ible.					
					Full S	ignature of Externa	l Evaluator:		
					Distri	ct:			

viii. GUIDELINES FOR PACKING & COLLECTION OF QUESTION BOOKLET AND OMR SHEET: ANNEXURE-VIII

Packaging of OMR:

Gunotsav-Assam will be conducted for four consecutive days in each phase. The evaluation will be OMR based and will print School wise Sticker for Packaging of OMR sheet. The sticker will also be marked as A, B or C in big font for three different days of external evaluation in respective school. The school and medium wise packaging of OMR is as follows:

	Category	Variety of Packets	Number of OMR
1.	Lower Primary (For All Medium) [Class1 to class 5]	Four packets	 Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet for Class-1 (One OMR per 10 students). Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet for Class-2 (One OMR per 8 students). Pre-printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet from Class 3 to 5 (one for each student) – Class Wise. OMR based Attendance sheet.
2.	Upper Primary (All) Medium School [Class 6 to class 8]	Two packets	 Pre-printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet from Class 6 to 8 (one for each student) – Class Wise. OMR based Attendance sheet.
3.	MV School All Medium[Class 1 to class 8]	Four packets	 Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet for Class-1(One OMR per 10 students). Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet. for Class-2(One OMR per 8 students). Pre-printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet from Class 3 to 8 (one for each student). OMR based Attendance sheet.
4.	Secondary [Only Class 9] All Medium School	Two packets	 Pre-printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet for Class (one for each student). OMR based Attendance sheet.
5.	Composite [Class 6 to 9] School All Medium.	Two packets	 Pre-printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet from Class 6 to 9 (one for each student) – Class Wise. OMR Based Attendance sheet.
6.	Composite [Class 1 to 9] School All Medium.	Four packets	 Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet for Class-1(One OMR per 10 students). Pre-printed class wise student evaluation OMR sheet for Class-2(One OMR per 8 students). Pre Printed Student Evaluation OMR sheet from Class 3 to 9 (one for each student) – Class Wise. OMR Based Attendance sheet.

Delivery of OMR:

- The delivery of OMR sheets with pre-printed student name and ID will be delivered to concerned block before 10 days prior to examin each phase of Gunotsav.
- The concerned CRCC will collect the school wise packets and will distribute to schools before 7 days prior to exam in each phase. The school will check the following on the same day.
 - Whether number of OMR sheets are as per requirement(class wise)
 - Whether the name of each student of the school is found correctly printed in the OMR sheet and will report on the same day of any shortfall/ printing error/ missing of student name to block.
- Block will report to district on the same day and the district will send the details of such reports to state and state will arrange the necessary OMR sheets.

Process of collection of filled-up OMR:

- After evaluation, school will insert the class wise filled-up OMR sheets along with detailed OMR based attendance sheet in packets which will be provided for the purpose and will seal the same. These individual packets will be again placed in a tamper proof high security single packet which is to be sealed properly.
- The CRCC will collect the schools wise sealed packets of filled-up OMR and attendance sheets and will make a single packet of all the schools of the cluster. The CRCC will submit the same with a compiled sheet to the block.
- The Block In-charge will submit the packet(s) of the block to the district; district will submit packets of all blocks of the district to State Mission office, SamagraShiksha, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.
 - An additional tamper proof packing packet will be provided inside the packets of OMR sheets, so that school can send back the filled-up OMR after packaging it in the tamper proof packet provided for the purpose.

N:B: The instruction given on the packets is to be filled up and signed by all concerned at all levels.

DELIVERY OF TOOLS/QUESTION BOOKLET & FORMATS:

- Tools/ question booklet & Formats will be delivered to the concerned District then District will deliver to block and block will dispatch to school. The date of delivery of Tools/ question booklet & Formats will be communicated later.
- The question booklet will be sent in packets having tampered proof security with hot melt adhesive strip on the top. Question booklet once sealed cannot be removed from the packet without tearing the packet.

• Four different colours will be used for packaging of **Question Booklet** as below:

Class I & II	Class III, IV & V	Class VI, VII & VIII	Class IX
Green	Red	Blue	Yellow

N:B:(1)The instruction given on the packets is to be filled up and signed by all concerned at all levels.

<u>ix. DETAILED GUIDELINES FOR CHECKING OF UNIFORM BY EXTERNAL EVALUATORS AS PER INDICATORS:</u> <u>ANNEXURE-IX</u>

The External Evaluators will check quality of school uniform as per the following indicators in addition to School Evaluation areas. The school will make available all information and will be provided to the External Evaluators on the day of External Evaluation.

#	Indicator	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
1	Purchase of uniform	Purchase of uniform is done in decentralized manner through SMC/SMDC.	If uniform is procured through SMC/SMDC: 01 mark. If not done: 0 mark
2	Conduct of meeting	Conduct of meeting of the SMC/SMDCs to finalise the design of Uniform and prepare the order accordingly as per size of each child with proper measurement.	If the minutes is convened to finalise the design of Uniform and prepare the order accordingly as per size of each child with proper measurement: 01 mark If meeting not convened: 0 mark
3	Formation of Quality Control Committee	Formation of Quality Control Committee in school for evaluation of the quotations and quality check of the sample cloth/uniforms.	If the school forms Quality Control Committee in school comprising of SMC/SMDC members, teachers and 3 senior citizens of the locality to be nominated by concerned SMC/SMDC for evaluation of the quotations received and for quality check of the sample cloth/uniforms: O1 mark If not formed Quality Control Committee: O mark

⁽²⁾ The used Question Booklets will be kept by concerned school.

#	Indicator	Descriptor	Guidance for marking
4	Sample checking	Sample checking.	If the school sent sample of school uniform to the block for quality testing: 01 mark
			If not sent sample for quality testing: 0 mark
5	Testing of Quality	Testing of Quality of school uniform.	If quality of uniform is tested: 1 mark.
			If quality not tested: 0 mark
6	Receipt of two pairs of uniforms	Two pairs of school uniform provided to each child.	If two pairs of school uniform are provided to each student: 1 mark
	umomis	cacii ciiia.	If not provided two pairs : 0 mark
7	Quality of uniform	Maintained Quality of school uniform.	If quality of school uniform provided to each student is maintained as per specification found in the testing result: 1 mark
			If quality not maintained as per specification found in the testing result: 0 mark
8	Size of uniform	Provided school uniform as per size of students.	If the school provided two pairs of school uniform as per size of each student: 01 mark.
		stadents.	If not provided as per Size: 0 mark

6. ITEMS TO BE SUBMITTED BY SCHOOL AFTER EVALUATION

Level	Items	Remarks
LP	 Filled up and signed OMR sheet. Attendance Sheet of students. Format as per Evaluation Guideline (If any school has to start evaluation in case of delay of External Evaluator). 	 Student's OMR sheets (filled up), to be submitted class wise.
UP	 Filled up and signed OMR sheet. Attendance Sheet of students. Format as per Evaluation Guideline (If any school has to start evaluation in case of delay of External Evaluator). 	 Cardboards are to be used at the bottom and top to prevent OMR sheets from getting damaged.
Secondary	Packeting will be done in same manner. But packeting is to be done separately for Secondary level.	

N.B: The **School Evaluation** part is to be submitted by school before three days of conduct of External Evaluation through online (Gunotsav web portal, 2025). On the day of External Evaluation, the External Evaluator will verify and edit, if any. The verified one will be finally submitted by External Evaluator on the day of External Evaluation through online (Gunotsav web portal, 2025).

 Question Paper will be kept in schools for practice by students. Teacher may take help in setting question papers for class test.

N:B: Care should be taken to ensure that the exercise is carried out adhering to the guideline/ instruction. Utmost commitment and sincerity is expected from everyone concerned. Any deviation and misdeed in evaluation (opening of question booklet ignoring the External Evaluator, leakage of question etc.) will be viewed seriously and if necessary, disciplinary action will also be taken.

All concerned are requested to study the evaluation guideline thoroughly for smooth conduct of evaluation.









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