

Cir/007/2024-25

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Dear Parents,

Please note that SAFAL (Structured Assessment for Analyzing Learning ) is a competency based assessment for Grade 6 and 9. As you are aware, NEP 2020 recommends transforming the assessment system to promote the development of students and suggests a shift from testing rote memorization to competency-based learning. SAFAL will ensure progress throughout school years by providing diagnostic information about students' learning. **The results of this assessment will largely be used to provide development feedback and not for promotion of students to the next grade.**

SAFAL will be conducted in school for students in **Grades 6 and 9** during the academic year 2024-25. These classes had taken SAFAL's pilot assessment last AY in Grade 5 and 8. The assessment will track the progress on core competencies and include the following subjects and languages :

Grade 6 : Assessment for English, Science and Mathematics

Grade 9 : Assessment for English, Science and Mathematics

**Online SAFAL Assessment dates are: Starts from 22 July Ends on 6 August 2024.**

Day	Date and Day	Subject
1	22nd July 2024 (Monday) 23rd July 2024 (Tuesday)	Grade 9 Science
2	24th July 2024 (Wednesday) 25th July 2024 (Thursday)	Grade 9 Mathematics
3	26th July 2024 (Friday) 29th July 2024 (Monday)	Grade 9 English
4	30th July 2024 (Tuesday) 31st July 2024 (Wednesday)	Grade 6 Science
5	01st August 2024 (Thursday) 02nd August 2024 (Friday)	Grade 6 Mathematics
6	05th August 2024 (Monday) 06th August 2024 (Tuesday)	Grade 6 English

\* Please note it is a diagnostic assessment and no preparations for the assessment is needed and will be in online mode.

**S/d Principal**

**Mrs. Srilatha Alva**