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All the Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE

Subject: Celebration of International Day of Yoga 2023 - reg.

Dear Principal

United Nations has declared 21st June as 'International Day of Yoga' (IDY). It has been a worldwide celebration for the last 8 years and has effectively facilitated the global dissemination of the significance of practising Yoga for overall health and well-being and enduring sustainable lifestyle. The theme for this year is 'Yoga for *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*'. The domestic tagline for IDY 2023 is '*Har Aangan Yog*' being propagated to bring Yoga to every household at the grassroot level. Ministry of Ayush, Government of India has prepared 'The IDY Handbook' which is available at the link: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1pyJW4GuklqAzqBiYe5s58XeeLk1PSGy4?sort=13&direction=a

In view of above, you are requested to organize the following suggestive activities to celebrate the International Day of Yoga 2023:

- 1. Organize Yoga Workshops and Seminars for students & teachers and encourage them to practice and adopt Yoga.
- 2. Mass Yoga demonstration may be arranged on the International Day of Yoga.
- 3. Quiz and Essay Writing Competitions on Yoga-theme may be organized to create interest among the students.
- 4. Encourage students and staff to participate in IDY competitions organized by Ministry of Ayush on MyGov platform (https://www.mygov.in/) such as Jingle contest, PM Yoga awards (https://innovateindia.mygov.in/pm-yoga-awards/) etc.
- 5. Publish Yoga & IDY-specific articles in School's e-newsletter, bulletin, magazine etc.
- 6. **Yoga Quiz:** A Yoga Quiz is being organized by the Ministry of Ayush (MoA), in collaboration with the MyGov on platform (https://quiz.mygov.in/quiz/international-day-of-yoga-2023-quiz-2-0/).
- 7. Yoga Pledge: Ministry of Ayush is encouraging the citizens to take Yoga Pledge (https://yoga.ayush.gov.in/yoga/), with a resolve to make Yoga an integral part of their daily lives.

A brief report of activities (including 2-3 photographs) may be uploaded by the schools at: https://forms.gle/UqhZRwBoymHyejrQA

You are requested to take a note of the above and organize the above suggestive activities in your school and also encourage the students & teachers to participate in these activities so as to make celebration of International Day of Yoga a grand success.

With Best Wishes

Dr. Joseph Emmanuel Director (Academics)







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