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To

The Principal

All Kendriya Vidyalaya

Kolkata Region

Subject: Formation of School Innovation Council (SIC) in KVs – regarding

Madam/Sir,

Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell and CBSE launched the School Innovation Council to handhold schools in sustainably establishing ideation, innovation, and entrepreneurial ecosystems. School Innovation Council (SIC) will foster the culture of ideation, innovation, entrepreneurship, creative thinking, design thinking, prototyping, out-of-box thinking, and IP commercialization by facilitating training (for teachers), field visits, leadership talks, awareness, orientation sessions, boot camps, national-level exhibitions, hackathons, linking of school innovation ecosystem with higher educational institutions (HEIs), etc. at schools. In this regard, as per the reference letter following instructions have been given to you for your information and necessary compliance:

1. A School Innovation Council (SIC) Committee is to be constituted at school level as per the guidelines.
2. KV has to register in the given link: <https://sic.mic.gov.in/signup> if KV has not been registered so far.
3. At the beginning of every academic year, KV may organize an induction program for students where Innovation agenda of KV will be highlighted.
4. KVs to encourage experiential learning through workshops, training programs, exhibitions, entrepreneurship contests, hackathons, innovation boot camps, school innovation fest, poster design competitions, student-led marches/initiatives, organizing sessions with start-up founders, conducting Do- It-Yourself (DIY) activities, ATL activities etc.
5. To organize various activities on National Innovation Day every year.
6. To promote students to propose innovative ideas, and discuss, deliberate, and hone/ accentuate those with the support of peers, teachers, experts, and mentors.
7. To organize students' visits to nearby business incubation centres, innovation labs higher education colleges/universities/ Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), scientific labs (like ISRO, CSIR, DRDO, DIO etc.) and industrial R&D facilities to generate awareness.
8. To present an annual award to recognize the best idea/ innovation/ start-up and most innovative student on Annual Day Celebration.
9. To maintain a "Wall of fame" in KV premises featuring Alumni who are now successful Entrepreneurs.
10. To create an "Innovation Wall" (like an Art Gallery) to showcase the creativity and innovation of students and teachers.
11. KV will submit a bi-annual report of SIC at SI C's online platform which will be used to assess the performance of SI Cs by the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell.

In addition, the Handbook on "National Policy for Promoting Innovations in Schools" is attached herewith for your information and necessary action.

Action Taken Report in this regard is to be submitted to this office latest by 28.11.2023 in the designated email only [acadrokokolkata@gmail.com](mailto:acadrokokolkata@gmail.com).

Yours faithfully,

(Sanjib Sinha)

Assistant Commissioner