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The Deputy Commissioner
Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan
All Regional Offices

Subject:- Time Slot for the Conduct of Lottery (RTE and other categories)for the Academic Session 2026-27 - reg.

Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, the Online Registration Process for Balvatika I/ II / III (as applicable) and Class 1 for the Academic Session 2026-27 will conclude on 02.04.2026 at 11:59 pm. Subsequently, the draw of lots for Balvatika I/ II/III will be conducted on **08-04-2026 (Wednesday)** and for Class I on **09-04-2026 (Thursday)**. The provisional list of selected and waitlisted registered candidates shall be generated as per the number of sections/seats available, within the prescribed timelines in accordance with the sequence specified under Part C, Point 4 (Method of Admission in Class I) of the KVS Admission Guidelines 2026-27.

- The KVs should click on the demo lottery button to show the demo of the lottery to the parents. Further, KVs should then click on the RTE 'Conduct Lottery' button in the time slot assigned to them in the presence of members of the Admission Committee as per KVS Admission Guidelines 2026-27.
- The button, once clicked, will be disabled after conducting the lottery to ensure that the lottery is conducted only once. The lottery button cannot be accessed after the assigned time slot for a school unless specifically authorized by KVS (HQ). In such cases, KVS (HQ) should be informed with proper justification so that the lottery slot may be re-enabled for the concerned school. The request should be forwarded through the Regional Office of the concerned Kendriya Vidyalaya to acitcell@kvs.gov.in.

Region Name	Lottery Time-Slot for Balvatika I/II/III (08-04-2026)	Lottery Time-Slot for Class 1 (09-04-2026)
Mumbai, Delhi, Silchar (other than schools under Assam State and KV Dharamnagar & KV Panisagar) , Tinsukia (other than schools under Assam State)	8:30 am – 9: 30 am	8.30 am – 9.30 am
Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Varanasi, Raipur	9.30 am – 10.30 am	9.30 am – 10.30 am
Patna, Bengaluru, Bhopal, Dehradun.	10:30 am – 11:30 am	10:30 am – 11:30 am
Agra, Bhubaneswar, Kolkata, Ranchi	11:30 am – 12:30 pm	11:30 am – 12:30 pm
Chandigarh, Ernakulam (only Lakshadweep) , Gurugram, Jaipur	12:30 pm – 01:30 pm	12:30 pm – 01:30 pm
Chennai, Jabalpur, Jammu, Lucknow	1:30 pm – 02:30 pm	1:30 pm – 02:30 pm

Region Name	Lottery Time-Slot for Balvatika I/II/III (10-04-2026)	Lottery Time-Slot for Class 1 (10-04-2026)
Guwahati, Silchar (only schools under Assam State, KV Dharamnagar & KV Panisagar) , Tinsukia (only schools under Assam State)	9:30 am – 11:30 am	9:30 am – 11:30 am

Region Name	Lottery Time-Slot for Balvatika I/II/III (13-04-2026)	Lottery Time-Slot for Class 1 (13-04-2026)
Ernakulam (other than Lakshadweep)	9:30 am – 11:30 am	9:30 am – 11:30 am

Note: Kindly adhere to the time slots strictly for the conduct of the lottery.

- (iii) Lotteries for other categories other than RTE (like CwSN, Priority Categories (I-V/VI as the case may be), SC/ST/OBC-NCL Category etc.) will be conducted in the sequence from top to bottom, as mentioned in the KVS Admission Guidelines 2026-27 at Part C Point 4 (Method of Admission in Class- 1). In each case, once the 'Conduct Lottery' button is clicked, it will disappear and the final status of the lottery will be displayed. It must be taken care of that the lottery for each and every category must be conducted, even if the number of candidate registered is zero.
- (iv) After the lottery and verification of documents, Admissions in the Samagam portal must be updated. The shortfall can be calculated once all admissions up to sanctioned strength. To complete the shortfall count from SC/ST/OBC-NCL list, KV can select the applicants in Priority Category I-V/VI of SC/ST/OBC-NCL as applicable till the reservation as per guidelines.
- (v) If multiple registration forms are submitted for the same child in the same Kendriya Vidyalaya, only the last submitted application will be considered in the admission process.
- (vi) It must be ensured that the Application Forms of all candidates being considered for admission are thoroughly re-verified with respect to all eligibility parameters, including age and other criteria as prescribed in the Admission Guidelines 2026-27. If the application is found ineligible, it should be rejected, and the reason for such rejection must be duly intimated to the parent/guardian.

Yours faithfully,


(Manoj Kumar Pandey)
Assistant Commissioner (IT Cell)

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1. PS to Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (HQs), New Delhi-for information.
2. PS to Addl. Commissioner (Acad.), Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (HQs), New Delhi.
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