

KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN (HQs)
Assessment and Evaluation for the Academic Year 2025-26

Annexure-I

S.No.	Class	Test/ Examination/ Weightage in Marks	Duration of the Conduct of the Test/ Examination
1	Foundational Stage: Balvatika	Continuous and Formative Assessment	Assessment is continuous and ongoing. Term wise of assessments in HPC.
2	Foundational Stage: Classes: I & II	Eight Cycles of Assessment: to be designed in align with the attainment of Revised Lakshyas listed in NIPUN (Including modalities given by CBSE for Grades I & II. (HPC)	As per Amended Article 105 and 106 Examination and Promotion Rules of Education Code. Four cycles in each term

3	Preparatory Sage: Classes: III-V Term-I & II	1. Periodic Test :10 M 2. Subject Enrichment Activities :05 M 3. Written Work :05 M 4. Term End Examination :40 M 5. Communication skills :20 M • Communication Skills are to be assessed for English & Hindi whereas Oral Test to be conducted for Maths & TWAU 6. Multi-disciplinary Project :20 M • Only one MDP is to be assigned per term for all subjects taken together. Total: 10 + 05 + 05 + 40 + 20 + 20 = 100 M (In each Term)	1. One Periodic Test to be conducted in each term 2. Pen Paper Test for PT is of 30 marks and of 1 hour duration. 3. Pen Paper Test for Term End Examinations is for 40 marks and of 1 ½ hour duration.
4	Middle Sage: Classes: VI-VIII Term-I & II	1. Periodic Test :10M 2. Subject Enrichment Activities:05M 3. Written Work :05M 4. Term End Examination :60M 5. Learners Diary :10M 6. Multi-Disciplinary Project :10M • Only one MDP is to be assigned per term for all subjects taken together. Total : 10 + 05 + 05 + 60 + 10 + 10 = 100 M (In each term)	1. One Periodic test to be conducted in each term. 2. Pen Paper Test for PT - is of 40 marks and of 1 ½ hour duration. 3. Pen Paper Test for Term End Examination is for 60 marks and of 2 ½ Hour duration.

5	<p>Secondary Stage:</p> <p>Class: IX</p>	<p>Internal Assessment : 20M</p> <p>a. Periodic Test :05 M</p> <p>b. Multiple Assessment :05 M</p> <p>c. Portfolio :05 M</p> <p>d. Subject enrichment activities :05 M</p> <p>Annual Examination : 80 M</p> <p>Total : 20 + 80 = 100 M</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Three Periodic Tests are to be conducted. (However, best two Periodic test performances are to be counted for final results) 2. Pen Paper Test for PT is for 40 marks and of 1 ½ hour duration. 3. Annual Examination is for 80 marks and of 3 Hrs. duration.
6	<p>Secondary Stage:</p> <p>Class: XI</p>	<p>a. Periodic Test : 20 (10 + 10) M</p> <p>b. Half Yearly Examination : 30M</p> <p>c. Session Ending Examination : 50M</p> <p>Total Theory: 20 + 30 + 50 = 100 M</p> <p>(Reduced to 70 M for practical subjects and 80 M for subjects having Internal Assessment)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Two Periodic Tests are to be conducted. 2. The Periodic Test is for 40 marks and of 1 ½ hour duration. 3. Half Yearly and Session Ending Examination is for 70/80 Marks and of 3 hours duration.

	Secondary Stage: Class: X	Internal Assessment :20 M a. Periodic Test :05 M b. Multiple Assessment :05 M c. Portfolio :05 M d. Subject enrichment activities :05 M Annual Examination : 80 M (to be conducted by CBSE)
	Secondary Stage: Class: XII	Practical : 30 M Or Internal Assessment/Project : 20 M Theory: Annual Examination:80/70 M (to be conducted by CBSE)

Promotion rules:

1. It is mandatory to appear in Annual Examination for promotion to next higher class.
2. No Detention Policy as per RTE will continue to be followed for Classes Balvatika to IV and VI to VII. However, for Classes V & VIII, students who do not meet the promotion criteria, as notified from time to time, shall receive additional instructions and be given an opportunity for re-examination within two months of the result declaration especially before Summer Vacation. If a student fails to meet the promotion criteria in the reexamination, he/ she shall be retained in Class V or VIII, as applicable. No child shall be expelled from the school until the completion of elementary education, ensuring that every student has the opportunity to complete their schooling. (Refer: KVS HQ letter F.No.11311/2024-25/KVSHQs/ACAD/ dated 18.03.2025 regarding Implementation of RTE Amendment Rules in Kendriya Vidyalayas and notification in the Gazette of India (G.S.R777 E) dated 16.12.2024.
3. The qualifying marks for class IX students shall be 33% in each subject. This implies that the student is expected to score 33% including both Annual Examination (80) and Internal Assessment (20) taken together. However, overall 33% marks is also required to promote the student in the next higher class. For class IX students failing in two of the five main subjects shall be placed in compartment in those subjects. And if any student failing in more than 02 subjects shall be treated as 'Essential repeat'.
4. The qualifying marks for class XI students shall be 33% in each subject. It is to further clarify that in a subject where Practical/Internal Assessment/Project components are involved; separate pass% (33%) is required in Theory component and Practical/Internal Assessment/Project component. This implies that students need to score 33% out of 70/80 (Theory) and 33% out of 30/20 marks in Practical/Internal Assessment/Project separately. The overall 33% marks are also required for the promotion of the students in next higher class. Students failing in one of the five main subjects in Class XI will be placed under Compartment in that subject and students failing in more than one subject will be treated as 'Essential

Repeat'. (Refer: KVS HQ letter F.110362/02/2017-18/KVS (Acad)/CBSE Result dated 05.06.2018). The inclusion of an additional subject in Class XI shall be implemented as per the directions contained in the KVS HQ letter dated 05.07.2024.

5. Wherever applicable, for the promotion of students of IX and XI, their participation in sports at different levels, as per KVS guidelines, needs to be considered and the prescribed weightage as per F.No.110355/01/2019-20/KVS(HQ)/Sports/BOG/480 / dated 21.05.2020 should be added to promote the students in the respective subject. This provision should not be used to bring the student to the zone of Supplementary.

6. In class-XI, Students need to secure 33% in the supplementary examination (Theory only) to get qualify for the next higher class where as in class-IX, the marks obtained in Annual examination will be substituted by the marks in Supplementary examination to decide the qualifying criteria.

Other Important Instructions:

Further, the following general guidelines on Assessment and Promotion Policy for classes III to IX and XI may be noted for the smooth conduct of assessment for the session 2025-26

1. Assessment should measure achievement of Competencies and Learning Outcomes leading to attainment of Curricular Goals." The guidelines outlined in NCF SE 2023 (Section 3.4) may be referred to.

2. Multi-disciplinary Projects (MDP) for classes III to VIII will continue to assess holistic learning of the students. Only one MDP is required to be assigned per term for all subjects. However, in order to cover all subjects if there is need, additional MDP may be assigned.

3. Art (both performing and visual arts), Work Experience (Vocational Education), Physical & Health Education for classes IX to XII are to be assessed by TGT(WET), TGT(AE) and TGT(P&HE) in collaboration with subject teachers of a given class, on 6 point /9-point scale as per the guidelines and relevant records are to be maintained by them.

4. Students of classes I to X have to do at least one Art-Integrated Project work in each subject as a part of Subject Enrichment Activities which should be of trans-disciplinary nature. The details of the Project are to be submitted through KALASETU portal of CBSE.

5. The facility of Compensation of time in examination, Seating arrangement on the ground floor and providing facility of scribe/writer in all examinations for all students with bench mark disability studying in different classes will be extended as per CBSE circular No.CBSE/COORD/112233/2019 dated 12 April 2019.

6. A separate test/ examination may be conducted for a child who could not appear in the regular test/ examination on account of medical grounds/ participation in various events/ activities conducted by KVS. On no other grounds shall the absence of a child in appearing for a test or examination be condoned and for such absence, the child will be awarded "No Grade" or "Zero" in the said examination. (Refer: KVS HQ letter F.110362/02/2017-18/KVS (Acad)/CBSE Result dated 05.06.2018).

7. In cases where a child has missed periodic tests because of late admission, the proportionate weightage for tests may be arrived at on the basis of the test in which he/she appeared after his/her admission. This will be applicable only to late admissions and no other cases. (Refer: KVS HQ letter F.110362/02/2017-18/KVS (Acad)/CBSE Result dated 05.06.2018).

8. The date of declaration of results for the Session Ending Examination for Academic Session 2025-26 is 25th March 2026.

10. Supplementary Examination on the pattern of Annual Examination for classes IX and XI, will be conducted 3 weeks after the declaration of results

(likely in the fourth week of April 2026) by the Regional Office concerned. Re-examination on Medical ground should also be conducted along with supplementary examination.

11. Result of Supplementary examination/Re-examination on Medical Ground must be declared on or before 30th April 2026.