

**केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन (मुख्य॰)** शिक्षा मंत्रालय भारत सरकार के अधीन स्वायत्त संस्थान 18संस्थागत क्षेत्र, शहीद जीत सिंह मार्ग, नई दिल्ली-110016. **KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN (HQs)** An Autonomous Body under Ministry of Education, Govt. of India 18, Institutional Area, S.J.S Marg, New Delhi-110016. Tel.: 011-26521841 Website: <u>www.kvsangathan.nic.in</u> Date:- 15.04.2025

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The Deputy Commissioner Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan All Regional Offices

## Subject :- Observing the Jal Pakhwada from 16<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025-reg

Madam/Sir,

As per instruction of Ministry of Education, Govt of India is observing Jal Pakhwada from 16<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025 ensuring focused participation of students, teachers and paretns with all stakeholders to promote Water conservation, setting up Jal Shakti Kendra intersive afforestation and awareness generation in schools.

Following suggested participatory activities may be undertaken during this period:-

- 1. Jal Shapath may be organized by all schools and educational institutions on the first working day of the pakhwada and during morning assemblies every day, wherein all students and teachers/staff may participate.
- Holding meeting of SMC/PTAs or workshops in the first week of the Pakhwada to highlight the importance of "Water Conservation" in school as well as home. Workshops on Water Conservation may also be included in the school syllabi to spread awareness for water conservation.
- Competitions may be held for conserving water in schools; Debates/Essay/Quiz competition for students for conserving water in schools' Painting competition for students, teachers and parents.
- 4. Debates on conserving water awareness messages to be posted on the website of the Vidyalayas. Alternatively, Photographs on water conservation may be displayed in school Website.

Other suggested Action Plan for Jal Pakhwada (16<sup>th</sup>- 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2025) is also attached for ready reference.

Therefore, it is requested to disseminate the contents of this letter to the Principals under the Region and instruct them to observe the Jal Pakhwada in a befitting manner following the Suggested Action Plan given in the attached circular laid down by the Government. Further all the Regional Offices will upload the day wise activities on the Google Tracker (Data) and Google drive (Photos & videos). The details of Google tracker and drive will be shared separately. Social Media handles of the KVs/ ROs to be used by uploading videos and Photos using before and after photographs of the cleanliness and sanitation.

This is for your information and further necessary action at your end please.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours sincerely (L B Sharma) Assistant Commissioner (Vig/Acad)