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Dear Parents,

Greetings!

In alignment with the latest guidelines issued by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) and in accordance with the vision of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, Queen's Carmel School will be introducing a revised language curriculum from the academic session 2026–27.

Key Highlights of the Policy

- Introduction of a third language from **Grade VI** beginning Session 2026–27.
- At least **two of the three languages must be Indian languages**, ensuring students remain connected to the nation's linguistic diversity.
- By **Session 2030–31**, the three-language system will be fully extended up to Grade X.
- Students must successfully pass all three languages, including the third language, in the **Class X Board Examinations**.

School Implementation at Queen's Carmel School

Keeping in with the CBSE guidelines, the school will implement the **Three-Language Policy** with effect from Session 2026–27. Accordingly, the following language structure will be adopted for Grade VI:

- **Language 1 – Hindi**
- **Language 2 – English**
- **Language 3 – Sanskrit**

Books

The prescribed books will be available at the school bookshop shortly and may be purchased accordingly.

We sincerely seek your cooperation and encouragement in supporting your child through this important transition. For any further clarification, please feel free to connect with the school office.

Warm Regards

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