



भारतीय शिक्षा बोर्ड (BSB)

(A National School Education Board)

BSB/CE/HPC//2026

Dated: 16.02.2026

CIRCULAR

Subject: Holistic Progress Card (HPC) for Foundational, Preparatory and Middle Stages.

The Bhartiya Shiksha Board has adopted/adapted the National Curriculum Framework at Foundational, Preparatory and Middle stages in all schools associated/affiliated with the Board. NCF-SE 2023 states, the HPC is an individualized and comprehensive reporting of a child's progress based on evidences gathered through classrom activities over a period of time. It is important to capture parents' assessments and understanding of the child's learning in the HPC.

NCERT/PARAKH has shared the prototype of HPC for Foundational, Preparatory and Middle stages. Holistic Progress Card - Foundational Stage (Age group 3-8 years), Holistic Progress Card - Preparatory Stage (Age group 8-11) and Holistic Progress Card at Middle Stage (Age group 11-14) that will help to document the child's progress in a regular and formative manner with a focus on age appropriate competencies. The card also gives space for inputs on various aspects from the child, his/her peer as well as the parents, giving scope for a 360-degree assessment. The schools affiliated to the Board may adopt/adapt the HPC prototypes for their institution.

Further, the Board has developed an implementation guide to equip teachers with the technical knowledge and practical strategies for understanding assessment and documenting the same through Holistic Progress Cards. All these documents are available for schools at the BSB website: <https://bsb.org.in/>. Teachers are expected to read these documents for better understanding of the nuances of assessments.


(RAJBIR SINGH) 16/2/2026
CONTROLLER OF EXAMINATION
16.2.26

Copy to:

1. All the Schools affiliated to Bhartiya Shiksha Board (BSB).