



## COUNCIL FOR THE INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS

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To: All Heads of CISCE Affiliated Schools

**SUBJECT: Reduced Syllabus for Classes VI-VIII for the Academic Year 2020-21**

Dear Principal,

The Global outbreak of the Novel Corona Virus (COVID – 19) has impacted all aspects of life including the Educational life in Schools. While a number of CISCE affiliated schools have tried to adapt to this changed scenario and have tried to keep alive the teaching learning process through online classes, there has been a significant shortening of the academic year and loss of instructional hours.

To make up for the loss in instructional hours during the current session 2020-21, the CISCE has worked with its subject experts and reviewed the syllabus at the Upper Primary Level (Classes VI-VIII). The syllabus has been reduced by 20% for English and Hindi and by 40% for the Sciences, Mathematics, Computer Studies and Social Studies. Syllabus reduction has been carried out, keeping in mind the linear progression across classes while ensuring that the core concepts related to the subjects are retained.

The reduced Syllabi for the current Academic Year 2020-21 for Classes VI, VII and VIII are available on the CISCE website [www.cisce.org](http://www.cisce.org) under PUBLICATIONS.

You are requested to intimate all concerned regarding the above.

I look forward to your cooperation in this regard.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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