



Chinmay International School

(Affiliated to CBSE, New Delhi)
Anastu Road, Karjan, Gujarat- 391240

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Subject: Registration and Preparation for SAFAL – Key Stage Assessment (KSA) 2025-26

Dear Teachers,

As per the above-mentioned CBSE circular, this is to inform all teachers that **SAFAL – KSA (Structured Assessment for Analyzing Learning)** has been made **mandatory for all CBSE-affiliated schools** from the academic session **2025-26**.

Key Points for Teachers:

1. About SAFAL – KSA:

SAFAL is a competency-based diagnostic assessment recommended under NEP 2020. It helps teachers understand students' learning levels and improve classroom teaching practices.

2. Classes Involved:

SAFAL – KSA 2025-26 will be conducted for

- **Grade 6 students** (who studied Grade 5 in 2024-25)
- **Grade 9 students** (who studied Grade 8 in 2024-25)

3. Registration Dates:

School registration for SAFAL will be open **from 08 July 2025 to 22 July 2025**.

The school will complete registration using the **LOC credentials** at the official portal.

4. Mode of Assessment:

- SAFAL will be conducted primarily in **digital mode**, as per CBSE guidelines.
- Schools without complete digital infrastructure (as required by Circular No. 10/2023 and 02/2024) may opt for **OMR-based pen-paper mode** as a **one-time option**, but an undertaking must be submitted to CBSE.

5. Teacher Responsibilities:

- Ensure all student data required for SAFAL registration is correctly prepared.
- Provide academic support to students of Grades 6 and 9 to build competency-based learning skills.
- Be familiar with SAFAL guidelines, digital requirements, and assessment structure.

6. Support and Queries:

For any registration-related queries, teachers may report to the Principal's Office.

CBSE helpline numbers: **+91-9968313254 / +91-9968663255** (office hours).

Email: **safal2025@cbseshiksha.in**

Teachers are requested to cooperate and ensure smooth preparation for the SAFAL – KSA 2025-26 process.

Warm regards,

Principal
Chinmay International School-CBSE