

Government of Jammu & Kashmir
Directorate of School Education Kashmir

The Chief Education Officer
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No: - DSEK/innovation cell/*PS/misc/60* Dated: *13* - 11 - 2015.
Subject: - **Introduction of Level 1 Vocational Courses- SKILL-PLUS PROGRAMME**
Sir,

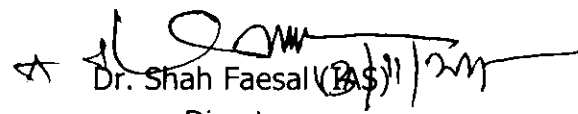
In order to enhance the employability of students and equip them with skills commensurate to the market requirements, it has been decided to introduce Vocational Education from class 9th onwards under National Skill Development Framework (NSQF) from the upcoming session.

Accordingly, it has been decided to begin with 2 vocational courses at Level-1(Class 9th), each enlisted school taking up two of the following trades as approved by 40th PAB RMSA.

1. *IT & ITeS*
2. *Retail*
3. *Tourism,*
4. *Healthcare*
5. *Automobile Repair*
6. *Security*

Further, following instructions are brought to the notice of Principals of these Higher Secondary Schools(List enclosed)

- i) Enrolment & registration of 25 students for each of the two approved trades shown against each school in the list enclosed, on JKBOSE format shall be initiated by respective Principals and the process completed immediately after declaration of class 8 results or up to 20th of November,2015 whichever is later.
- ii) In case of more than 25 students opt for the course, the selection shall be made through an aptitude test to restrict the number to 25.
- iii) The registration details shall be submitted to the local office of Secretary J&K Board of School Education with an intimation to DSEK.


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