



केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड
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NOTIFICATION

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Sample Question Papers for Classes X & XII for the current Academic Session 2026- 27 – reg.

The Board issues Sample Question Papers (SQPs) and Marking Schemes (MS) for classes X and XII to provide a broad template and serve as a guide for ensuring uniformity and proper coverage of the curricula. Further, SQPs give a broad understanding of the question paper design and need to be used for classroom teaching and learning activities with an overall focus on promoting the application of concepts in real-life.

The Sample Question Paper for Classes X and XII for the Academic Session 2026-27 are now available at the following links:

Class X – https://cbseacademic.nic.in/SQP_CLASSX_2026-27.html

Class XII – https://cbseacademic.nic.in/SQP_CLASSXII_2026-27.html

There is no change in the question paper design and assessment pattern for the Academic Session 2026-27. The passing criteria will remain the same as those applicable during the Academic Session 2025-26.

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3. The Secretary, Eklaya Model Residential Schools (EMRS), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India.



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