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Introduction of Skill Subjects for Class IX

Dear Parents,

Greetings from Indian School Sur!

In line with the vision of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and the ongoing efforts of the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), we announce the introduction of Skill Subjects for students of **Class IX** from the current academic year **2025-26**. As emphasized in **NEP 2020**, education should focus not only on academics but also on developing skills that promote creativity, innovation, rational thinking, compassion, resilience, and ethical values. CBSE has taken proactive measures to integrate Skill Education in schools, encouraging students to explore multiple career paths while becoming engaged, productive, and responsible citizens of a global society.

Currently, more than 27 lakh students across 22,000 CBSE-affiliated schools are enrolled in skill subjects from Classes IX to XII, making this a widely embraced educational initiative.

As part of this vision, Indian School Sur is offering the following Skill Subjects in Class IX from this academic year:

1. Artificial Intelligence (CODE 417)

This subject introduces students to the dynamic world of Artificial Intelligence through engaging games, activities, and hands-on learning. Key highlights of the curriculum include:

- Understanding AI applications in real life.
- Introduction to domains of AI: Data, Computer Vision, and Natural Language Processing.
- Exposure to the AI Project Cycle and basic Python programming.
- Development of problem-solving, decision-making, and ethical reasoning skills.
- Awareness about future job opportunities and sustainable development using AI.

By the end of the course, students will be AI-ready and equipped with foundational programming skills and analytical thinking.

2. Banking and Insurance (CODE 411)

This course offers insights into the fundamentals of the banking and insurance industry, providing an excellent career foundation for interested students. Course features include:

- Introduction to financial services, organizational behavior, capital markets, and taxation.
- Training in real-world banking and insurance documentation and practices.
- Hands-on exposure through practice materials and teaching aids.
- Exploration of career opportunities in private and public banking and insurance sectors.

This subject is ideal for students interested in finance, business, marketing, or economics.

Selection Process:

A Google form has been shared along with this circular where students can indicate their choice of skill subject. Please complete this form on or before **Monday, April 28, 2025**.

For further details or assistance, please contact the School Office during working hours.

We look forward to your support in helping students make informed academic choices and in preparing them for future-ready careers.

Regards

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Principal

