

SAINIK SCHOOL CHITTORGARH, RAJASTHAN
PARENT- TEACHER MEET MINUTES

The PTM of classes VI-XII for the academic session 2023-24 was held on 28 October 2023. The answer script was shown to the parents followed by an interactive session at SM Auditorium presided over by Principal, Sainik School Chittorgarh. The following points were discussed:-

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1.	Welcome address	Mr Onkar Singh, Senior Master welcomed all the parents on behalf of Sainik School Chittorgarh fraternity and highlighted the importance of PTM and the role of parents in the growth of their ward. He conveyed that 235 parents are present for PTM.
2.	Declaration of Half Yearly/PA-II/PT-II examination Result	Class teachers of all classes showed the answer scripts of Half Yearly/PA-II/PT-II examinations to the parents. They also interacted with Subject teachers and House Masters to learn about the academic progress and conduct of their ward in the house and school.
3.	Principal's address	Principal welcomed the parents to Sainik School Chittorgarh and requested the parents to share their views / suggestions.
4.	Points by parents	<p>The following points were put forward by parents and discussed in the PTM:</p> <p>(a) School No. 6227- Cadet Rachit Yadav, Class VII - Parent of the cadet expressed concern with respect to non availability of faculty to teach Maths in classes VI-VIII and the lack of proper medical care in school.</p> <p><u>Action taken:</u> Principal info the parent that the school is governed by Sainik Schools Society rules and regulations and therefore there has been a delay in recruitment of Maths teacher but the Maths classes are being taken by other teachers for the time being. However, he informed that interviews have been conducted and there would be a Maths teacher joining the school after the Autumn break .</p> <p>With respect to proper medical care, he conveyed that the School compounder who resides in the campus is available for cadets and in serious / emergency cases cadets are taken to city hospital. In case, requisite medical facilities are not available, parents are informed and the cadet is also sent on leave for proper medical treatment.</p> <p>(b) School No. 6328- Cadet Vagisha Choudhary- Class VI- Parent suggested that a place to meet their ward should be made / allotted in school and out pass with parents should be allowed for girl cadets.</p>

Action taken: A parents shed / appropriate space will be made for the parents to meet their child in school campus and girl Cadets are permitted to proceed on out pass with their parents.

- (c) School No. 6204 – Cadet Ravee Jakhar – Class – VIII
Educational tours in the southern part of India should be organized for cadets.

Action taken: Principal conveyed that cadets of classes VI-VIII have already been taken to nearby places for educational tours and for classes IX-XII, educational tours have been planned outside Rajasthan. He also conveyed that Cadets have been sent to other states under varied programmes like ESB, wherein cadets were sent to Sainik School Goalpara, Assam. He also informed that sending cadets of higher classes especially X & XII to places far away may have adverse effect on their studies, therefore he said such tours can only be planned during Summer and Autumn vacations. The parents were in agreement with the proposal.

- (d) School No. 6421 - Cadet Rannaditya– Class – VII-
Quality of food served and hygiene in Cadets' Mess is not of the required standards

Action taken: Principal conveyed to the parents that nutritious food is being served to Cadets. He told the parents to encourage their child to eat all varieties of dishes being served in the Cadets' Mess as it would help them to remain healthy. He also informed that equipment (Automatic Dishwasher) will be procured to ensure high standards of hygiene in Cadets' Mess.

- (e) School No. 6345 – Cadet Ansh Singh Rajawat – Class VI – Swimming pool to be made functional and Shooting range to be constructed

Action taken: Principal conveyed that Swimming pool is being repaired and all efforts are being made to make it functional by 31st January, 2024. Proposal for setting up a 10 m Indoor shooting range is under consideration and work for the same shall commence after the approval and sanction of funds for the project.

- (f) School No. 6135 - Cadet Yogesh Yadav– Class VIII–
Quantity of food prepared is not sufficient for cadets due to which they remain hungry. Out pass for boy cadets of classes VI-VIII should be permitted with parents. Horse Riding facility should be made available for cadets interested to learn the sport.

Action taken: Principal conveyed that sufficient quantity of food is prepared in Cadets' Mess for Cadets. He told parents to encourage their child to eat variety of dishes prepared in the Cadets' Mess. Cadets of classes VI-VIII are permitted to proceed on out pass only with parents after prior approval. Horse Riding facility shall be available to Cadets once good horse riding instructor is available with the School by March 2024.

- (g) School No. 6237– Cadet Lakshay Kasania – Class VII – Out pass should not be issued to cadets of class VI-VIII without parents and House Masters should procure their items of requirements, if any.

Action taken: Principal conveyed that out pass to cadets of classes VI-VIII is only issued with parents. He also directed that House Masters must prepare a list of urgent requirements on fortnightly basis of their house and give the same to appointed individual/committee for further procurements from the market.

- (h) School No. 6068 - Cadet Ishant Deora – Class IX– and School No. 6091- Cadet Saatyam Shekhawat- class XII- Expert to be called for NDA coaching and to train cadets for SSB.

Action taken: Principal conveyed that an expert was called to teach Maths to the cadets who had appeared for UPSC-NDA examination in Sep 2023. A retired interviewing officer and GTO have come to school training Cadets for SSB from 22 – 27 Oct 2023. Apart from this, the three serving officers have also been taking classes of Cadets. NDA classes for cadets of class XI have also been planned after Autumn break.

- (i) School No. 6067- Cadet Karan Pratap Singh – Class IX – Measures should be adopted to improve communication skills.

Action taken: Varied measures have been adopted and platforms are provided to cadets to improve their communication skills and overcome:

- During school assembly, Cadets of all classes are given opportunities to speak on the stage. It is ensured by House Masters that all cadets get an opportunity to participate in assemblies.
- During House Masters assembly on Saturday and during night roll-call, cadets are encouraged to speak on varied topics as per their class and level.
- Under varied programmes of the government of India, Inter-house competitions and inter-school competitions, cadets are encouraged to participate.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ ASL is taken in all classes wherein cadets have to participate as marks are included for the same in their final assessments. ➤ Regular Speaking sessions are conducted in classes. ➤ Work is also in progress to establish a digital language lab in the School. <p>(j) School No. 5935– Cadet Ujjwal Mukherjee – Class X– Children are sleeping during classes which is adversely affecting their academic progress.</p> <p><u>Action taken:</u> Principal conveyed that there are many activities organized in school but children are given sufficient time to sleep. He also informed that some children study till late night which might result in them being inattentive during class hours, and also no teacher permits any Cadet to sleep during class hours.</p> <p>(k) School No.6333– Cadet Jainam – Class –VI- Instructors to be hired and platform to be provided to cadets to play individual games in school</p> <p><u>Action taken:</u> Principal conveyed that more focus is laid on Cadets taking part in team games to imbibe in them team spirit which is an essential quality checked during SSB. However, efforts would be made to teach Cadets selective individual games as well like table tennis, tennis.</p>
5.	Points conveyed by Principal	<p>The following points were conveyed :</p> <p>(a) SSB Training for 16 cadets who have cleared UPSC-NDA Examination have been organized and taken by serving officers and experts. The same will be conducted after autumn break also.</p> <p>(b) CBSE Board syllabus of class X and XII will be completed by 10 December, 2023 and the cadets of class X and XII have been directed to report to school by 20 November 2023 for the same. Tests/Pre-board examinations will be organized from 20 Dec onwards.</p> <p>(c) Use of mobile phones is strictly prohibited in the school. Parents are advised not to give mobile phones to their wards as it can adversely affect their growth and academics. If a cadet carries mobile phone with him/her to school, the same to be deposited with their respective House Masters. He also conveyed that access to internet facility will be made available to cadets in the house office under the supervision of their House Master. It was proposed that in case mobile is confiscated from a Cadet a fine of ₹ 5000/- will be levied, same will be deducted from the IRLA of the Cadet & parents will be informed. The parents agreed to the proposal.</p>

		<p>(d) Leave will not be granted unless there is an unavoidable circumstance/emergency.</p> <p>Cadets interested in pursuing their hobby of playing varied instruments can bring their instrument to school and deposit the same with their House Masters and use the same as and when required. At last Principal once again thanked the parents for their valuable suggestions.</p>
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