

INTER-STATE BOARD FOR ANGLO-INDIAN EDUCATION

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Dear Principal,

14th December 2015

Season's Greetings from the Members of the Inter State Board for Anglo Indian Education.

This is with reference to our earlier letter regarding SAGE the Assessments we plan to conduct in the month of February 2016. Due to your busy schedule you may have by oversight failed to see our brochure sent to you earlier. We decided to conduct these Assessments after receiving requests from Principals of schools, who had the experience of holding the tests conducted by the Inter State Board in English and Mathematics at the class VIII level during the 1980 s. With the retirement of late Mr A.E.T. Barrow it was discontinued. We have decided to continue the Assessments since Principals of schools found it most beneficial for both pupils and teachers.

Due to the winter vacation approaching soon we have extended the enrollment date to 15th January, 2016.

SAGE is a scientifically designed Assessment tool strictly based on the Syllabus prescribed by the Inter State Board for Anglo Indian Education to check the knowledge about the concepts, understanding of the concepts and Application of the concepts learnt. It not only provides detailed data and information on strengths and weaknesses of individual pupils in these domains, but also firmly points towards areas of improvement for teachers, school managements and policy makers.

A brochure has already been sent to you which provides a detail insight of the benefits to various stake holders like students, teachers, etc.

This is to remind you that the tests to be conducted under SAGE for all pupils from classes 3 to 8 in order to receive the desired results should be made mandatory. These tests will be conducted in English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and Aptitude (Verbal and Non verbal). The tests will be conducted from February 7 to February 15, 2016. A fee of Rs. 150/- per child per subject will be charged. You are advised to enroll your school students on or before 15th January 2016 and send the same to us. A copy of the student's enrollment form is attached with this email. The same can be downloaded and given to students.

For any further clarification/information on the matter you may contact the Honorary Secretary.

We hope these tests will address the concerns faced by all stake holders.

We look forward to your support and cooperation to strengthen the Board.

With Kind Regards,

Stephen DaCosta
Honorary Secretary