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## CAREER COUNSELLING

'Transforming Schools through Career Counseling' Virtual Workshops for CBSE School Leaders, Teachers, Counselors, Parents, and Students (July 2024)

## Dear Parents/ Students,

**The primary aim of NEP 2020** is to develop a vibrant and transformative school education sector that ensures the development of the unique potential of each learner and provides a safe and stimulating learning environment to all students and teachers.

The NEP 2020 proposes for an overhaul of the existing teaching learning patterns, by optimising learners' academic and vocational capabilities. CBSE, has taken the task for effective implementation of online portal for Career Guidance and Counselling of class IX-XII students in all affiliated schools in the same context.

It is imperative for the students to understand their learning strengths and weaknesses; have realistic goals commensurate with their capabilities. Guidance and Counselling serves the basic needs of each individual as a unique entity as there are perceptible differences between the individuals in native capacities, abilities and interests. Equally significant are the changes within the individual during the course of time with maturity and exposure. Besides, Guidance also enhances positive attributes of an individual which help to build a positive self-image.

"To bring scale, speed and standard to the career guidance process, CBSE has dovetailed these objective to develop a holistic integrated vision for career guidance and counselling for building knowledge and skills of students and to make them 'Future Ready'.

To ensure the professional development of school leaders, teachers, and counselors in area of career/psychosocial counseling, and to facilitate students and parents in the career decision-making process, CBSE will be organizing a training series in July 2024. This will be a series of five virtual workshops (Details at Annexure –A), focusing on one stakeholder per week, specially designed to provide the participants with a holistic approach to career advising and decision-making processes.

	S N	Date and Time	Meant for	Topic & Speakers	Links
	1	Wednesday 10 July 2024 3.00-5.00 pm IST	Teachers	<b>Topic</b> -Transformative Teaching: Integrating Career Education in CBSE Curricula <b>Context Setting</b> - Ganesh Kohli, Founder, IC3 Institute <b>Keynote speakers</b> Dr. Ram Shankar, Director (Training), CBSE Ganesh Kohli, Founder, IC3 Institute <b>Expert Panel Details</b> Poonam Borah, National Project Officer, UNESCO, India Upasana Kinra, College Advisor and Behavioral Counselor, DPS Delhi.Rupa Chakraborty, Director, Suncity SchoolsKrithika Balaji, Assistant Director- Academics, IC3 Institute	Webinar Link: https://youtube.com/liv e/SzYFUdk0bNM
	2	Thursday 18 July 2024 3.00-5.00 pm IST	Counselors	<ul> <li>Topic–Navigating Careers with Conscience: Rethinking Counseling in CBSE Schools</li> <li><u>Context Setting</u>– Krithika Balaji, Assistant Director- Academics, IC3 Institute <u>Keynote speakers</u></li> <li>Dr. Biswajit Saha, Director (Skill Education), CBSE Saji Varghese, Founder, Sunbird Straws</li> <li><u>Expert Panel Details</u></li> <li>Gargee M., Director, Symbiosis Society of Schools, Pune Bhakti Shah, Outreach and counseling professional Audrey Hemetner, Founder, The Bedrock Program Devesh Varma - Head of Ola Foundation Krithika Balaji, Assistant Director- Academics, IC3 Institute (Moderator)</li> </ul>	Webinar Link:

3	Wednesday 24 July 2024 3.00-5.00 pm IST	Parents	<ul> <li>Topic –The Power of Choice: Empowering CBSE Parents for Informed Career Decisions</li> <li><u>Context Setting</u>– Ganesh Kohli, Founder, IC3 Institute</li> </ul>	
			Keynote speakers Shri Himanshu Gupta, Secretary, CBSE Kiran Bir Sethi, Founder, Design for Change & The Riverside School in India Expert Panel Details Davi Sanchez Netto, Principal, JBCN International School, Mumbai Coco Wong, Founder, and CEO of Kids International Gaurav Rey, Vice President, Strategy, Salesforce India Krithika Balaji,	<b>Webinar Link:</b> <u>https://youtube.com/liv</u> <u>e/GR3W14wFzMY</u>
			Assistant Director- Academics, IC3 Institute (Moderator)	
4	Monday 29 July 2024 3.00-5.00 pm IST	Students	<b>Topic</b> –From insight to impact - Self- Reflection Strategies for CBSE Student Career Planning <u>Context Setting</u> – Krithika Balaji, Assistant Director-	Webinar Link:
			Academics, IC3 Institute <u>Keynote speakers</u> Dr. Sanyam Bhardwaj, Controller of Examinations, CBSE Karthik Krishnan (President - Purple Patch, New York)	
			Expert Panel Details Purva Parwani, Founder, Claylab Education Tanvi Ratna, Founder and CEO, Policy 4.0 Lucy Sattler - Founder and CEO, Study Work Grow Krithika Balaji, Assistant Director- Academics, IC3 Institute (Moderator)	<u>https://youtube.com/liv</u> <u>e/qwyasI-tExQ</u>