

MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD ON 14 MARCH 2020
BETWEEN MANAGEMENT COUNCIL, ACADEMIC STAFF &
PARENTS OF CADETS OF CLASS IX & XI

1. A meeting between Management Council, Academic Staff and Parents of cadets of Class IX & XI was held on 14 March 2020 at Carriappa Hall. A total of 93 parents attended the same. The issues discussed and decisions arrived at, are elucidated in succeeding paragraphs.

2. **Information on Tuition Classes.** It was intimated that tutorials for upcoming Class X have been planned. The total fees will be Rs 12,000/- for the year. The tutorial institute will be conducting trial classes from 09 March 2020 onwards till the end of academic session. These classes are on voluntary basis.

3. **Discipline.** Commandant emphasized on discipline of cadets for better academic environment, which leads to better results. Comdt requested parents for their co-operation and support in maintaining the discipline of cadets. Comdt informed the parents that 11 cadets from current Class X suspended due to disciplinary reason and five (05) of them suspended again during exam period. Comdt appealed the parents against NOT to give money and mobile to the cadets. They are using it in destructive way. The upcoming Class X cadet's discipline level is below average. Money given by parents used in buying tobacco, kharra, gudakhu etc. There were large numbers of cases from Class IX regarding tobacco use.

4. **Late Reporting from Breaks.** Comdt informed that higher classes are not reporting in time and because of this, there is a loss of academic time. A large amount of fine was recovered from the parents. Yet the parents continue to bring their wards much beyond the given break period. He requested the parents to ensure that their wards report back on time.

5. **Academic Performance.** Academic performance of Class IX is below average. 64% students failed in Unit Test II. It is decided that cadet who is not pass in Class IX, will not be promoted to Class X. Cadet has to appear for Retest. He fail again, he had to give Retest II. If he will not able to pass, then decision of promotion will be decided. He requested the parents to counsel their wards and refrain from giving them mobiles, money and taking extra leave.

Points from Parents

6. Some parents of cadets of Class IX showed concern about the problem in Marathi. Their wards were very good in other subjects, but due to Marathi, they were not getting expected results. They want special classes for Marathi. Comdt replied that already they have weak Marathi classes conducted twice a week by special teacher. But he will think about it.
7. One parent showed concern that as next year is a silver jubilee year for school and there will be grand functions, study of Class X & XII will be hampered. Comdt assured that studies of Class X & XII will be taken in consideration.
8. One parent gave suggestion about parent's meeting & result day on single day, as parent have to come to school on short intervals, which is very hectic for them. Comdt assured them that we will take this issue in consideration while planning for next year.
9. One parent complained that there is no seating arrangement and water arrangement for parents at gate. Comdt had taken this issue in consideration.
10. Comdt showed concern about Corona epidemic and assured parents about measures taken by school. He also informed that as per government advice, school's schedule will run.
11. There being no further points, the Comdt declared the meeting over.