



MEGHALAYA BOARD OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
HEADQUARTERS :: TURA.

NOTIFICATION NO. 46

Dated Tura, the 26th March, 2025.

This is for information of all concerned that in pursuance of the Government's notification No. EDN. 52/2023/185 dated 23rd May, 2024 and letter No. EDN. 52/2023/Pt./43 dt. 26/03/2025, the Board is pleased to adopt NCERT textbooks (Meghalaya Edition) for Class XII Arts Stream w.e.f. 2025 - 2026 academic session in the following subjects: -

(i) English Core (ii) English Elective (iii) Geography (iv) History (v) Home Science (vi) Political Science.

For the rest of the subjects, the existing syllabi and textbooks shall continue until further orders.

The following textbooks shall be followed in all Higher Secondary Schools until further orders.

Encl: List of recommended textbooks for Class XII.

**C.P. Marak, IFS (Rtd.)
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Meghalaya Board of School Education,
Tura.

Memo No. MBOSE/AW/RNT/170/18/25103-153

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1. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Education Deptt., Shillong for information.
2. The Director, Educational Research & Training, Meghalaya, Laitumkhrach, Nongrimmaw, Shillong - 793011 for information.
3. The Director, School Education & Literacy, Meghalaya, Shillong - 793003 for information.
4. All District School Education Officers with a request to circulate the Notification to all Higher Secondary Schools under their respective jurisdictions.
5. All Higher Secondary Schools for information and necessary action.
6. The Director, Accreditation & Controller of Examinations, MBOSE, Tura.
7. The Director (Regional), MBOSE Regional Office, Shillong for information.
8. The Deputy Director (I.T.E.S.), MBOSE, Tura to upload it in the official website.

Executive Chairman,

Meghalaya Board of School Education,
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LIST OF TEXTBOOKS FOR CLASS XII FOR 2025-26

SL.NO.	SUBJECT	NAME OF THE TEXTBOOKS
1	ENGLISH	<p>a)English Core: Flamingo (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Book Palace, First Floor Crystal Conclave, H.P. Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 781001.</p> <p>b)Supplementary Core: Vistas (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Students' Publication, Bara Bazar, Shillong - 793002.</p>
2	ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH	<p>Prose/Poetry/Plays: Imprints Class XII -Macmillan India Ltd. S. C. Goswami Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 781001.</p> <p>Reference Books for Grammar & Composition:</p> <p>1)English Grammar & Composition XII - Pearson Education, 482 F.I.E. Patparganj, New Delhi - 110092, India.</p> <p>2)Current English Grammar & Usage by R. P. Sinha copy edited by Prof. P. Madhavan - Oxford University Press</p> <p>3)Writing With A Purpose by Champa Tickoo & Jaya Sasikumar - Oxford University Press.</p>
3	ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION	<p>Recommended Textbook Frank Environmental Education (Class XII) - Frank Bros. & Co. (Publishers) Ltd.</p> <p>Reference Books:</p> <p>i)Ecology and Environment by P. D. Sharma; Rastogi Publications.</p> <p>ii)Environmental Biology by P. D. Sharma; Rastogi Publications.</p> <p>iii)Man & His Environment by Dr. S. R. Joshi & N. Joshi; Gautam Bros. & Co.</p>
4	ASSAMESE(MIL)	<p>i)Sahitya Saurav -Jyoti Prakashan, Jasowanta Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 1</p> <p>ii)Chiraj (Drama) -Phani Sharma Published by: Asom Prakashan Parishad</p> <p>iii)Prabeshika Rachana Siksha - Giridhar Sharma</p> <p>iv)Rachana Bichitra -Dharma Singha Deka</p> <p>v)Bohal Byakaran by: Satyanath Bora.</p>

5	BENGALI	<p>Prose, Poetry & Novel: Uchcho Madhyamik Path Sankalan by MBOSE - C & P Enterprises, Educational Publishers, M. C. Road, Guwahati - 781003.</p> <p>Grammar & Composition (Any standard textbook on Bengali Grammar & Composition may be used)</p>
6	GARO (MIL)	<p>i) A ·chik Chanchibewale Seanirang: Compiled and edited by - K. M. Momin, Published by - Tura Book Room, Tura.</p> <p>ii) Seokgimin Poetryrang by D. S. Nengminza Published by - Garo Hills Book Emporium</p> <p>iii) Chasong Gital A ·chik Poetryrang by K. M. Momin</p> <p>iv) A ·chik Kattarang by Winnish K. Sangma</p>
7	HINDI (MIL)	<p>i) Aroh Bhag 2 - NCERT Publications.</p> <p>ii) Vitan Bhag 2 - NCERT Publications.</p> <p>iii) Hindi Vyakaran Aur Vyavahar - NCERT.</p>
8	KHASI (MIL)	<p>a) Prose i) Ka Pyrkhath U Khasi- H. O. Mawrie</p> <p>ii) Ki Syntiew Ha Ranab -W. Kharkrang</p> <p>b) Poetry i) Ki Jingsneng Tymmen (Part II) - R. S. Berry</p> <p>ii) Ki Poetry Khasi -V. G. Bareh</p> <p>iii) Na Nengpei Ki Sur Myllung- B. C. Jyrwa.</p> <p>iv) Ka Samoi Jong Ka Lyer - K.S. Nongkynrih</p> <p>v) Ka Grammar - H. W. Sten</p>
9	MIZO (MIL)	<p>a) Prose & Poetry Mizo - XII (Core) by MBSE - St. Joseph's Press, Tlangnuam, Aizawl - 796005.</p> <p>b) Mizo Grammar & Composition for Classes XI & XII by MBSE - Milan Press, Zodin Square, Aizawl - 796001.</p>
10	NEPALI (MIL)	<p>i) Uchha Madhyamik Nepali Sahitya - Textbook Committee (Nepali), Shillong.</p> <p>ii) Madhyamik Nepali Vyakaran Ra Rachana - Shree Raj Prakashan, Darjeeling.</p> <p>iii) Ramro Rachana Mitho Nepali by Krishna Prasad Parajuli - Sahayogi Press, Kathmandu.</p>

11	ECONOMICS	<p>1) Indian Economic Development (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati - 781008.</p> <p>2) Introductory Macroeconomics (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Students' Publication, Bara Bazar, Shillong - 793002.</p>
12	POLITICAL SCIENCE	<p>1) Contemporary World Politics (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Students' Publication, Bara Bazar, Shillong - 793002.</p> <p>2) Politics in India Since Independence (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Students' Publication, Bara Bazar, Shillong - 793002.</p>
13	HISTORY	<p>a) Themes in Indian History - Part I (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Book Palace, First Floor Crystal Conclave, H.P. Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 781001.</p> <p>b) Themes in Indian History - Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Book Palace, First Floor Crystal Conclave, H.P. Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 781001.</p> <p>c) Themes in Indian History - Part III (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Book Palace, First Floor Crystal Conclave, H.P. Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati - 781001.</p>
14	PHILOSOPHY	<p><u>REFERENCE BOOKS:</u></p> <p>i)Textbook Of Inductive Logic: B. N. Roy</p> <p>ii)Symbolic Logic : I. M. Copi</p> <p>iii)Introduction To Indian Philosophy: J. N. Sinha</p> <p>iv)Introduction To General Philosophy: John Patrick</p> <p>v)A Manual Of Ethics : J. N. Sinha</p>

15	GEOGRAPHY	<p>1) Fundamentals of Human Geography (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>2) India: People and Economy (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>3) Practical Work in Geography – Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
16	EDUCATION	<p>Intermediate Education Class XII -Pearson Education,Dorling Kindersley (P) Ltd.,482 F. I. E., Patparganj, Delhi – 110092.</p> <p>Reference Books - Class XII</p> <p>i) Aggarwal, J.C; Theory and Principles of Education Vani Educational Books Vikas Publishers House Pvt. Ltd.</p> <p>ii) Alur, M. Inclusive Education – 2005 DVS Publishers, Pan Bazar, Guwahati.</p> <p>iii) Bhatia & Bhatia, A Textbook of Education for Beginners Kalyani Publishers</p> <p>iv) Bhati, H.R. Elements of Educational Psychology Orient Longman Pvt. Ltd.</p> <p>v) Brown, Robert Psychology Pearson Education (Singapore) Indian Branch, New Delhi – 110092.</p> <p>vi) Chauhan, S.S. Exceptional Children Vikas Publishing House, Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.</p> <p>vii) Jam, M. Developmental Psychology Eastern Book House, Guwahati</p> <p>viii) Loreman, T. Inclusive Education – 2005 DVS Publishers, Pan Bazar, Guwahati.</p> <p>ix) Mangal, S.K. Fundamentals of Educational Technology Parkash Brothers, Ludhiana</p> <p>x) Mangal, S.K. Psychological Foundations of Education Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.</p> <p>xi) Mohanty, Jagannath Modern Trends in Indian Education Deep and Deep Publications, New Delhi – 110027</p>

		<p>xii) Morgan, Clifford & Co. Introduction to Psychology Tata McGraw Hills, New Delhi.</p> <p>xiii) Panda, K.C. Exceptional Children Vikas Publishing House, Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.</p> <p>xiv) Prasad, J Art Education – Concepts, Epistemacy and Role – 2005 DVS Publishers, Pan Bazar, Guwahati.</p> <p>xv) Reddy, G.L. B of Children with Special Needs Ekta Book Distributors, New Delhi – 110059</p> <p>xvi) Roback, A.A. Psychology and Personality Development Eastern Book House, Guwahati.</p> <p>xvii) Safaya, R.N. Development of Educational Theory and Practice Bani Mandir, Guwahati.</p> <p>xviii) Sen, Anima Psycho – Social Integration of the Handicapped – A Challenge to the Society Mittal Publications, New Delhi – 110054.</p> <p>xix) Sharma, R.A. Technology of Teaching Loyal Book Depot, Meerut</p> <p>xx) Smith, W. Art Education – Scholastic and Industry – 2005 DVS Publishers, Pan Bazar, Guwahati.</p> <p>xxi) Taneja, V.R. Educational Thought and Practice Sterling Publishers, Pvt. Ltd.</p>
17	HOME SCIENCE	<p>1) Human Ecology and Family Science - Part I (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati - 781008.</p> <p>2) Human Ecology and Family Science - Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati - 781008.</p>
18	GEOLOGY	<p><i>Reference Books:</i></p> <p>i) A Textbook of Geology - P. K. Mukerjee (World Press, 1997)</p> <p>ii) Principles of Petrology - G. W. Tyrrell (B. I. Publications Pvt. Ltd, 1998)</p> <p>iii) Petrology - E. G. Ehlers and H. Blatt (CBS, 1986)</p> <p>iv) Invertebrate Palaeontology - H. Woods (CBS, 1985)</p> <p>v) Invertebrate Palaeontology - R. R. Shrock and W. Twenhofel (CBS, 1987)</p> <p>vi) Geology of India and Burma - M. S. Krishnan (CBS, 1986)</p>

		<p>vii) Fundamentals of Historical Geology and Stratigraphy of India - R. Kumar (Wiley Eastern, 1996)</p> <p>viii) Rec. Geological Survey of India, 107 (2): 80 - 90</p> <p>ix) Economic Mineral Deposits - A. M. Bateman and M.L. Jensen (John Wiley, 1981)</p> <p>x) Indian Mineral Resources - Krishnaswamy and Sinha (Oxford IBH, 1988)</p> <p>xi) A Handbook of Economic Geology - A.K. Sen and P.K. Guha (Modern Book Agency, Calcutta, 1993)</p> <p>xii) Geology of Petroleum - A.I. Levorsen (Vahil, Jetfor and Simon, 1997)</p> <p>xiii) An Introduction to Geology of Coal and Indian Coalfields - N.L. Sharma and K.S.V. Ram (1991)</p> <p>xiv) Engineering Geology - N.C. Kesavelu (Mc Millan India, 1993)</p> <p>xv) Environmental Geology - D.R. Coates (John Wiley)</p> <p>xvi) Environmental Geology - E.A. Keller (Oxford, 1985)</p> <p>xvii) Ground Water Hydrology - D.K. Todd (John Wiley)</p> <p>xviii) Introducing Groundwater - M. Price (George Allen and Unwin, London).</p>
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19	ANTHROPOLOGY	<p>Reference Books: Bhattacharya D. K. 1997 (1st published 1973). <i>Prehistoric Archeology (A Comparative Study of Human Succession)</i>. Delhi Hindustan Publishing Corporation (India).</p> <p>Basu Roy, Indrani. 2003. <i>Anthropology: The Study of Man</i>. New Delhi. S. Chand & Company Ltd.</p> <p>Das, B. M. <i>Outlines of Physical Anthropology</i>. Allahabad.1997 (1st Published 1961. Kitab Mahal)</p> <p>Das, B. M.and Deka, R.1992. <i>Practical in Physical Anthropology</i>. Allahabad. Kitab Mahal</p> <p>Doshi S.L. and Jain, P. C.2001. <i>Social Anthropology</i>. New Delhi. Rawat Publications.</p> <p>Hasnain Nadeem. 1992. <i>General Anthropology</i>. New Delhi. Jawahar Publishers and Distributors.</p> <p>Mair Lucy. 1984 (1st published 1965). <i>An Introduction to Social Anthropology</i>. New Delhi. Oxford University Press</p> <p>Jha Makhan. 1994. <i>An Introduction to Social Anthropology</i>. Vikas Publishing House Pvt. Ltd.</p> <p>Sarkar, R.M 1994. <i>Fundamentals of Physical Anthropology</i>. Calcutta. Book World Publishers.</p> <p>Scupin, Raymond and Decorse, Christopher R. 2005. <i>Anthropology: A Global Perspective</i>. New Delhi. Prentice-Hall of India.</p> <p>Srivastava, A.R.N. 2005. <i>Essentials of Cultural Anthropology</i>. New Delhi. Prentice-Hall of India.</p>
20	COMPUTER SCIENCE	<p>Computer Science <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
21	ELECTIVE ENGLISH	<p>a) English Elective: Kaleidoscope <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
22	ASSAMESE ELECTIVE	<p>i) Assamiya Sahityar Dristipat – by Hemanta Kumar Sarmaah</p> <p>ii) Assamiya Sahityar Katha – by Satendra Goswami</p> <p>iii) Assamiya Sahityar Chamu Buranji – by Jatindranath Goswami</p>

23	BENGALI ELECTIVE	<p>a) Bibidha Prabadha - Bankim Chaterjee</p> <p>b) Prayaschitta (Drama) Rabindranath Tagore</p> <p>c) Pre - University Poetry Selection</p> <p>d) History of Bengali Literature</p>
24	GARO ELECTIVE	<p>a) Chigitchakgreni Nokma by Icylian R. Marak - Tura Book Room, Tura.</p> <p>b) Maniani Bidik - Mihir N. Sangma - Tura Book Room, Tura.</p> <p>c) Dak Ge · sao Dakmesokani by Viola Sonachi B. Sangma - Distribution: Mrs V. S. B. Sangma, Upper Chandmari, Tura, West Garo Hills, Meghalaya - 794002.</p> <p>d) Grammar: A · chik Grammar Bak III & IV by E. G. Phillips - Tura Book Room, Tura.</p>
25	HINDI ELECTIVE	<p><i>Prose & Poetry:Antaraa Bhag - 2</i> NCERT Publications</p> <p><i>Rapid Reader:Antaral Bhag - 2</i> NCERT Publications</p> <p>Sahitya Shastra Parichaya - Prem Swaroop Gupta-NCERT Publications.</p>
26	KHASI ELECTIVE	<p>a)THEORY AND CRITICISM Katto Katne Shaphang Ka Sonnet -by B. L. Swer</p> <p>b)POETRY i) Na Dymmiew Tngen by Edward Dkhar ii) Ha Ki Sur Ka Poetry by S. S. Majaw iii) Ki Sur Shongsbai by K. W. Nongrum</p> <p>c)DRAMA - Ka Sohpdung Ki Jingphohsniew by W. D. Jyrwa.</p> <p>d)NOVEL U Klop by C. Wolflang</p> <p>v)FOLKLORE Ki Khana Nongtymmen Na Ki Tnum Soppring U 7 Trep by E. W. Dkhar.</p>
27	MIZO ELECTIVE	<p>a) Mizo - XII (Elective) by MBSE - Baptist Literature Service Serkawn, Lunglei.</p> <p>b) The Taming of the Shrew (Drama) - - do - Translated by P. L. Liandianga</p> <p>c) Lal Hlau Lo Thi (Fiction) - - do - by Lalzuia Colney</p>

28	NEPALI ELECTIVE	<p>i) NOVEL by Lal Bahadur Chettri –Sajha Prakashan, Kathmandu.</p> <p>ii) DRAMA by Gopal Prasad Rimal – Sajha Prakashan, Kathmandu.</p> <p>iii) Ramro Rachana Mitho Nepali by Krishna Prasad Parajuli - Sahayogi Press, Kathmandu</p> <p>iv) Madhyamik Nepali Vyakaran Ra Rachana by Shree Raj Prakashan, Darjeeling</p>
29	MATHEMATICS	<p>a) Mathematics Part I (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>b) Mathematics Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
30	PHYSICS	<p>1) Physics Part I (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>2) Physics Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
31	CHEMISTRY	<p>1) Chemistry Part I (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>2) Chemistry Part II (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
32	BIOLOGY	<p>Biology (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
33	ACCOUNTANCY	<p>1) Accountancy- Not-for-Profit Organisation and Partnership Accounts (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>2) Accountancy- Company Accounts and Analysis of Financial Statements (NCERT-Meghalaya Edition) M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>

		<p>3) Accountancy – Computerised Accounting System for Class XII <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
34	BUSINESS STUDIES	<p>1) Business Studies I <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p> <p>2) Business Studies II <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
35	ENTREPRENEURSHIP	<p>1) Entrepreneurship - Class XII - C.B.S.E., Delhi</p>
36	INFORMATICS PRACTICES	<p>Informatics Practices <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>
37	MUSIC (WESTERN)	<p>Recommended textbooks:</p> <p>i) Introduction to music by Ronald Pen</p> <p>ii) Fundamentals of Music, 4th ed; by R. Elliott (Prentice-Hall India).</p>
38	PHYSICAL EDUCATION	<p>1) CBSE Physical Education Class XII Textbook</p>
39	PSYCHOLOGY	<p>Psychology <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati – 781008.</p>

40	SOCIOLOGY	<p>1) Social Change and Development in India <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati - 781008.</p> <p>2) Indian Society - Sociology <i>(NCERT-Meghalaya Edition)</i> M/S Laxmi Publications Pvt. Ltd., Hemson Complex, M. D. Shah Road, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati - 781008.</p>
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