

F.No. DE.40(6)/Sc.Br./NSD/2025-26/1972-1978

Date: 21/08/25

C I R C U L A R

Subject: Celebrations of 'National Space Day' in all the Schools of DoE, GNCT of Delhi.

Please find enclosed herewith the letter D.O. No. 10.28/2024-NCERT dated 12.08.2025 regarding celebration of second National Space Day received from Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India.

In this regard, as 23rd August, 2025 approaches, the second National Space Day will be celebrated throughout the country to showcase the achievements in space technology and its applications as also the most recent success of India on the International Space Station.

Further, a vast array of resources showcasing India's accomplishments in space exploration and technology is available on platforms like DIKSHA, NISHTHA, NCERT website & on e-Pustakalya (National Digital Library). *Bharat on the Moon portal* is frequently updated with new and contemporary activities on a regular basis and Special *Modules on Chandrayaan* are also accessible at:

1. <https://bharatonthemoon.ncert.gov.in/>
2. <https://ncert.nic.in/chandrayaan.php>

A new age appropriate and grade-specific *Special Module on India: A Rising Space Power* is being developed by NCERT to instill a sense of curiosity and innovation, in the next generation of space enthusiasts and would be launched on 23.08.2025. The same will be available on NCERT website and at NDL for easier accessibility.

In view of the above, all the Principals/HoS of Govt./Govt. Aided/Pvt. Unaided recognized schools of DoE, GNCT of Delhi are requested to disseminate the above to their school students and to organize special school assemblies, exhibitions, workshops, interactive sessions and talks by local space technology experts/scientists in offline/virtual mode at school level, focused on highlighting India's growing prominence as a space power. Thereafter, the Principals/HoS of the schools will submit an ATR through the Google form with any one of the links given below **till 25.08.2025**:

1. <https://forms.gle/ET56W9Sof2FJRZ1SA>
2. <https://tinyurl.com/nationalspaceday2>

This issues with the prior approval of the competent authority.

(Dr. Sudhakar Gaikwad)
Dy. Director of Education (Science)

Enclosed: As above,

F.No. DE.40(6)/Sc.Br./NSD/2025-26/1972-1978

Date: 21/08/25

Copy for information and necessary actions to:-

- 1- Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
- 2- Secretary to Hon'ble Minister of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
- 3- PS to Secretary of Education, GNCT of Delhi
- 4- PS to Director of Education, Directorate of Education, GNCT of Delhi.
- 5- All District-DDEs to ensure the compliance please.
- 6- All HOSs of Govt./Govt. Aided/Private Unaided Recognized Schools of DoE, GNCTD.
- 7- OS(IT) with the request to upload the circular on the official website of Department of Education and in public circulars section.

(Dr. Sudhakar Gaikwad)
Dy. Director of Education (Science)

Fwd: D.O. No. 10-28/2024-NCERT

4 messages

Ashok Kumar <secyedu@nic.in>

Wed, Aug 13, 2025 at 12:51 PM

To: Veditha Reddy <dired@nic.in>, addl.de.school@gmail.com, Marcel Ekka <dir12scert@gmail.com>, sciencebranch <sciencebranch@gmail.com>

Cc: Ashish Sood <min-hep@delhi.gov.in>

From: ins4section2025@gmail.com

To: "secyedn and" <secyedn.and@gmail.com>, "Pallavi Sarkar" <secedn.and@nic.in>, "Pallavi Sarkar" <secedn@nic.in>, secretaryeducationap@gmail.com, "secy se edn" <secy.se.edn@gmail.com>, ballepukalyan@gmail.com, "Seceducation deptt" <Seceducation.deptt@gmail.com>, "secy-edn-bih" <secy-edn-bih@nic.in>, "dr alokshukla" <dr.alokshukla@gmail.com>, "Dr Arun T IAS" <secy-edu-dd@nic.in>, "Ashok Kumar" <secyedu@nic.in>, "Secretary Health" <secyhealth.goa@gov.in>, secedu-pri@gujarat.gov.in, acssehry@gmail.com, pssed2020@gmail.com, hrdjharkhand@gmail.com, "Dr. K VASUKI IAS" <secy.gedu@kerala.gov.in>, "Dr Sanjay Goyal" <secy.sed@mp.gov.in>, "Acs schedu" <Acs.schedu@maharashtra.gov.in>, dwahlang@yahoo.com, hmangsatabam@yahoo.co.in, zirmawia218@aol.com, osdplanning@gmail.com, secysme@gmail.com, "Secretary Transport, Puducherry" <secytran.pon@nic.in>, "Anindita Mitra" <psse@punjab.gov.in>, gpupadhyaya@gmail.com, sikkimhrdd@gmail.com, schsec@tn.gov.in, "Pr. Secretary to Government" <prlsecyedu@telangana.gov.in>, "secy se ts" <secy.se.ts@gmail.com>, "saumya edn tr" <saumya.edn.tr@gmail.com>, "ps seced" <ps.seced@gmail.com>, secretarybasic04@gmail.com, upefaspo@gmail.com, psawasup@gmail.com, rmsundaramias@gmail.com, pssecretary76@gmail.com, secyeduap@gmail.com, "Narayan Konwar" <konwar.narayan@nic.in>, "bih higheredu" <bih.higheredu@gmail.com>, ssabihar@gmail.com, "Prerna Puri" <secy-edu@chd.nic.in>, "secy schooledu cg" <secy.schooledu.cg@gmail.com>, "secede-sect goa" <secede-sect.goa@nic.in>, "Rakesh Kanwar" <secy-edu-hp@nic.in>, "Rakesh Kanwar" <secy-hedu-hp@nic.in>, prsprim-edu@karnataka.gov.in, secygednkerala@gmail.com, "Secretary utl" <secretary-utl2@utl.gov.in>, "Vikrant Raja" <sec-power@utl.gov.in>, "acs schedu2" <acs.schedu2@maharashtra.gov.in>, gyanhuirem@gmail.com, "analeeb razi" <analeeb.razi@nic.in>, secretarysedmiz@gmail.com, "Commissioner cum Secretary S and ME Deptt" <secysme.od@nic.in>, "secyedn pun" <secyedn.pun@nic.in>, "secy schooleducation" <secy.schooleducation@rajasthan.gov.in>, "Tashi ChopheLepcha" <Secy.schooleducation@sikkim.gov.in>, Secretaryeducation2022@gmail.com, ssasikkim@gmail.com, "Saradindu Chaudhuri" <saradindu.chaudhuri@gov.in>, "acsup se" <acsup.se@gmail.com>, "addl csbasic" <addl.csbasic@gmail.com>, "ps basic education up" <ps.basic.education.up@gmail.com>, "Ravinath Raman" <secy-edu-ua@nic.in>, wbssed@gmail.com, dired@nic.in, pigeligu@gmail.com, paaneducation@gmail.com, dseladakh@gmail.com, "Mr MENUK HOL JOHN" <secyedu-ngl@nic.in>, "Director School Education" <dired-ngl@nic.in>, issearun@gmail.com

Cc: "Anu Jain" <anu.jain85@nic.in>

Sent: Wednesday, August 13, 2025 11:54:53 AM

Subject: D.O. No. 10-28/2024-NCERT

Respected Sir,

Please find the attachment on the subject cited above for information and necessary action.


The links mentioned in the D.O. are placed below:

<https://bharatonthemoon.ncert.gov.in/>
<https://ncert.nic.in/chandrayaan.php>

with regards

NCERT Section,


D/oSE&L, MoE

 **Principal Secretary-Secretary_Education to all States-UTs001.pdf**
719K

Dr. Rita Sharma <addl.de.school@gmail.com>
To: sciencebranch <sciencebranch@gmail.com>

Wed, Aug 13, 2025 at 12:55 PM

[Quoted text hidden]

 **Principal Secretary-Secretary_Education to all States-UTs001.pdf**
719K

Veditha Reddy <dired@nic.in>

Wed, Aug 13, 2025 at 7:42 PM

To: "addl. de school" <addl.de.school@gmail.com>, spdssa <spd_delhi@rediffmail.com>, "sciencebranch@gmail.com" <sciencebranch@gmail.com>

From: "Ashok Kumar" <secyedu@nic.in>


To: "Veditha Reddy" <dired@nic.in>, "addl. de school" <addl.de.school@gmail.com>, dir12scert@gmail.com, sciencebranch@gmail.com

Cc: "Ashish Sood" <min-hep@delhi.gov.in>

Sent: Wednesday, August 13, 2025 12:51:17 PM

Subject: Fwd: D.O. No. 10-28/2024-NCERT


[Quoted text hidden]

 **Principal Secretary-Secretary_Education to all States-UTs001.pdf**
719K

Dr. Rita Sharma <addl.de.school@gmail.com>
To: sciencebranch <sciencebranch@gmail.com>

Thu, Aug 14, 2025 at 2:59 PM

[Quoted text hidden]

 **Principal Secretary-Secretary_Education to all States-UTs001.pdf**
719K

संजय कुमार, भा.प्र.से
सचिव

Sanjay Kumar, IAS
Secretary



स्कूल शिक्षा और साक्षरता विभाग
शिक्षा मंत्रालय
भारत सरकार
Department of School Education & Literacy
Ministry of Education
Government of India

D.O No. 10.28/2024-NCERT

12th August, 2025

Dear Colleagues,

As you may recall with pride, 23rd August 2023 is etched in history as a glorious day for Indians with the success of Chandrayaan-3 mission when the Vikram Lander landed on the surface of the Moon. This achievement of ISRO made India the fourth country to land on the Moon and the first one to do so on the Lunar South Pole region. To commemorate this achievement, the Hon'ble Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi has declared 23rd August as the National Space Day (NSpD).

2. As 23rd August, 2025 approaches, it has been decided that the second National Space Day, will be celebrated throughout the country to showcase our achievements in space technology and its applications as also the most recent success of Indian on the International Space Station.

3. Accordingly, you are requested to kindly encourage each school under your jurisdiction to **organize special school assemblies, exhibitions, workshops, interactive sessions and talks by local space technology experts / scientists in offline/ virtual mode**, focused on highlighting India's growing prominence as a space power. By organizing such events, schools can inspire young minds, foster a sense of national pride, and encourage students to explore careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). This initiative will not only enhance students' knowledge but also motivate them to contribute to India's future advancements in space technology.

4. It is worth mentioning that a vast array of resources showcasing India's accomplishments in space exploration and technology is available on platforms like DIKSHA, NISHTHA, NCERT website & on e Pustakalya (National Digital Library). It is also pertinent to mention that **Bharat on the Moon portal** of this Department is frequently updated with new & contemporary activities on a regular basis and **Special Modules on Chandrayaan** are also accessible at:

<https://bharatonthemoon.ncert.gov.in/> and

<https://ncert.nic.in/chandrayaan.php>

5. Further, a new age appropriate and grade specific **Special Module on India: A Rising Space Power** is being developed by NCERT to instill a sense of curiosity and innovation, in the next generation of space enthusiasts and would be launched on 23.08.2025. The same shall be made available on NCERT website and at NDL for easier accessibility.

Contd....2/-

124 'सी' विंग, शास्त्री भवन, नई दिल्ली-110001
124 'C' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
Telephone: +91-11-23382587, +91-11-23381104 Fax : +91-11-23387589
E-mail: secy.sel@nic.in

6. I would like to reiterate that now is the opportune moment to make our younger generation take pride in India's Space Program and also to motivate them to strive for excellence and contribute to India's continued progress in space exploration and technology.

Best Wishes

Yours sincerely,

12/8/2025 ..
(Sanjay Kumar)

To,

Principal Secretary / Secretary (Education) to all States/UTs.