Directorate of School Education
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Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001

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Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh

Dated Shimla-171001 the Aug., 2026

To

All the Dy Directors of School Education (Secondary/Elementary/Quality) in Himachal Pradesh.

All the Principals of GSSSs Complexes in HP

Subject: **Celebration of Independence Day in all Govt. Schools.**

Memo;

In continuation to this Directorate letter of even No dated 29.07.2026 on the subject cited above, it is informed that the "80th Independence Day" shall be celebrated with great enthusiasm, dignity, and patriotic fervour in all Government Schools in the state on 15th August, 2026. In this regard you are directed to ensure the following :

1. It shall be ensured that the students of 6th to 12th Classes of all schools falling under a Complex shall assemble at the concerned GSSS complex for Independence Day celebrations. In addition to this the students of Primary schools located within 500 meter distance from the Complex School shall also assemble at the Complex School Level. All other Primary schools located at a distance of more than 500 meter from the complex School shall celebrate the Independence Day in their own schools.
2. It shall be ensured that live telecast of Hon'ble CM's speech from the State Level Independence Day Function is done in every Govt. Senior Secondary Complex School of the State. For this purpose the Heads of the school shall put in place the necessary ICT arrangements well in time.
3. The senior students of all schools located within the 2 Kms radius of the Sub-Divisional/Distt. Headquarters will attend the program of Sub- Divisional/District level Independence Day Celebrations.
4. The school shall celebrate the function with the following minute to minute programme:
    a. Flag Hoisting accompanied by National Anthem.
    b. Message of Chief Guest.
    c. Talk show on the contribution of Mahatma Gandhi, Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru and other prominent freedom fighters. Teachers shall motivate the students to understand the significance of Independence Day and the sacrifices made by the nation's freedom fighters.
    d. Skit/Dialogue on fight against drug abuse, Nasha Nivaran, War against Chitta etc.
    e. Cultural program of students.

f. Sweets distribution to the students.

g. Closing.

You are therefore requested to issue necessary instructions to all Heads of GSSS Complex Schools under your jurisdiction and ensure that the celebrations are conducted in a befitting manner.

Director School Education
Himachal Pradesh

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