

**SACRED HEART CONVENT INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
SARABHA NAGAR, LUDHIANA**

CAMBRIDGE CHECKPOINT EXAMINATION FOR GRADE V & VIII

Circular No.: 26/2023-24

Dated: 02.12.2023

Dear Parents & Students,

"Education is the key to unlock the golden door of freedom." - George Washington Carver

Warm greetings from the Sacred Heart Convent International School.

We are excited to share with you an essential development in our academic calendar. This year, we embark on a journey to enhance our students' learning experiences with the introduction of the Cambridge Checkpoint Examination for our grade 5 and grade 8 students. These examinations represent a significant milestone in our commitment to delivering a holistic and enriching educational experience.

Checkpoint Examination Details:

Cambridge Associate School: As a registered "Cambridge Associate School," affiliated with the University of Cambridge International Examinations, we are thrilled to announce that our Grade 5 and 8 students will have the unique opportunity to participate in the esteemed Cambridge Checkpoint exams.

Curriculum Alignment: At Sacred Heart Convent International School, our curriculum closely aligns with the Cambridge curriculum framework. During this semester, our dedicated teachers will work diligently with our students to equip them with the knowledge and skills necessary to excel in these assessments.

Examination Month: The Cambridge Checkpoint will be conducted in the month of April 2024.

Understanding Checkpoint Papers:

The Cambridge Checkpoint assessments are carefully designed to evaluate students' performance as they reach the culmination of Cambridge Primary (Grade 5) and Lower Secondary (Grade 8). These comprehensive assessments cover core subjects: English, Mathematics, and Science. They provide invaluable insights into learners' academic progress and are independently marked by Cambridge examiners. The results offer an internationally recognized benchmark of learner performance.

Why should your child participate? Participating in the Cambridge Checkpoint Papers offers numerous advantages:

1. **Global Recognition:** These assessments are recognized worldwide and serve as a testament to your child's academic abilities.
2. **Personal Growth:** They encourage critical thinking, problem-solving, and analytical skills, which are essential for lifelong learning.
3. **Preparation for Future Challenges:** Cambridge Checkpoint Papers are an excellent stepping stone for students who aspire to take on the Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) program.
4. **Parental Insight:** These papers provide valuable insights into your child's strengths and areas that may need improvement, allowing you to support their educational journey more effectively.

We are confident that the Checkpoint Examinations will be a valuable addition to your child's educational journey and personal development. We eagerly anticipate your enthusiastic participation.

The fee structure is as follows:

Cambridge Primary Checkpoint (**per candidate, per subject**) : Rs. 2,500/-

Cambridge Lower Secondary Checkpoint (**per candidate, per subject**) : Rs. 2,500/-

If you wish for your child to partake in the Checkpoint Examinations this year, kindly express your interest by completing the attached consent form and returning it to the school office no later than 08.12.2023. Your prompt response will enable us to make the necessary arrangements for your child's participation.

Thank you for your continued partnership in ensuring the academic excellence of our students.

Best Regards,

Sr. Shanthi
Sr. Shanthi Dsouza
Principal

Sacred Heart Convent
International School
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CONSENT LETTER

Kindly give your consent by filling in the required details. Kindly enter the information in **BLOCK LETTERS**.

CANDIDATE NAME	Gender (M/F)	DATE OF BIRTH			SUBJECT (YES/NO)		
		DD	MM	YYYY	ENGLISH	MATHS	SCIENCE

CONSENT

I/We _____ Parent/Guardian of

studying in Grade _____ have read the circular and give my consent for my child to appear for the **Primary /Lower Secondary** Checkpoint Exam organised by Cambridge in the following subjects: -

1. Maths _____ Amount: 2,500/-

2. _____ Amount: _____

3. _____ Amount: _____

Total Amount : _____

Signature of the Parent: _____

Date: _____

****Kindly hand over the consent letter along with the fee (per subject) to the Class teacher positively by 08.12.2023.**