



# Iqra Educational Institute

SDA Colony Bemina, Srinagar

## National Education Policy 2020

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This is in continuation of **Circular No. Ext-10-2023-24** regarding the implementation of certain student-friendly reforms under National Education Policy 2020. The institution is pleased to note that the initial steps taken have shown encouraging results, and parents have gradually started appreciating the long-term benefits of these measures.

As already informed, the measures such as the **no-bag policy** for LPD, **restriction of homework** up to Grade 2nd, and a **child-friendly approach to assessment** were introduced to **reduce stress** on children and to **support their physical, emotional, and social development**. These steps will continue, and the **institution is now moving further ahead with the implementation process in a gradual and systematic manner**.

### **Further steps to be implemented:**

- Activity-based learning shall be strengthened in the foundational classes so that children learn through participation, observation, conversation, and guided practice rather than through pressure-based routines.
- Teachers shall continue to focus on concept clarity in the classroom and avoid unnecessary academic burden on young learners, in line with the earlier homework and bag-load reforms.
- Parents are requested not to compare children unnecessarily or create fear regarding assessments, as the institution is committed to **reducing exam stress and promoting continuous, indirect, and child-friendly assessment**.
- More emphasis shall be laid on reading habits, speaking skills, classroom interaction, cleanliness, discipline, and value-based behavior so that the child develops in a holistic manner.
- Co-curricular and physical activities shall be given due importance to ensure the balanced growth of every student.
- Regular review of these reforms shall be carried out, and further improvements shall be made wherever required in the best interest of the students.
- **The parents are once again requested to cooperate with the institution in letter and spirit. Positive educational reforms require patience, trust, and mutual understanding, and with your cooperation, these changes will surely produce better results for our children.**

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