

## Parental Concerns

**1. I want to know the significance of Check Point's marks aggregation in Term Examination result.**

Ans. It is designed to facilitate students who miss the exam / CP / NLT due to any genuine reason.

**2. If I am dissatisfied with the checking and marking standard, who is to be consulted?**

Ans. The Section Head is to be informed about the concern. She would seek consultation from the relevant subject teacher to do the needful.

**3. Will failure in one Check Point affect the promotion of my child?**

Ans. The promotion will be granted on the basis of consolidated result and not on single Check Point.

**4. What should I do if the Check Point Date Sheet and Content is not shared timely?**

Ans. As per APSACS Assessment Policy, Date Sheet and content for Check Points must be shared with parents one week prior to the Check Point. The relevant authorities be consulted for further clarification.

**5. My child is in Class IV and will appear in Examination for the first time. How does school guide and prepare him?**

Ans. The students are guided in ways listed below:

- i) The students are assessed on what they have been taught in the classroom through Check Points.
- ii) The Check Points are structured in a way that prepares them for upcoming examination.

**6. How can Check Points and NLTs prove to be fruitful for my child?**

Ans. It augments an essential component of APSACS Assessment Policy that is Continuous Assessment. It helps in following ways:

- It provides a sound base for upcoming exam.

- The content is less as compared to term exam, therefore, the students tend to perform better in Check Points resulting in securing good marks.
- They are benefitted by getting aggregates.
- They also get familiarized with the term exam paper pattern.

**7. I want Check Points be based on objective type questions only.**

Ans. It will not prepare your child for Term Exam, which covers both subjective and objective type questions. It will also affect his/her learning.

**8. I want to see the solved Term Exam papers of my child.**

Ans. The parent can only see the Term Exam papers of their ward on request. They need to submit a written request to school authorities, so that necessary arrangements may be made.

**9. If my child's overall result in Class VIII is less than 50%, will he/she be promoted to Class 9<sup>th</sup>?**

Ans. He /she will not be promoted to Class 9<sup>th</sup>. The overall Pass percentage for Class VIII is set as 50 % to polish students' competence and performance in External Examination.

**10. I want to know if detention is allowed in APSACS board classes or not?**

Ans. APSACS do not allow detention/ private admission in board classes.

**11. I want to know about APSACS criteria for appearing in FBISE Exams?**

Ans. Students of SSC and HSSC must fulfill the basic criteria set by FBISE in order to be eligible for FBISE registration / admission. For details visit Federal Board Website.

**12. I want to know why APSACS Date Sheet for Senior Classes is different from FBISE Date Sheet.**

Ans. FBISE is catering for both National and International schools and offers a wide range of subjects. Therefore, the date sheet is spread over months in alignment with the number of subjects offered. Whereas, APSACS students mostly opt for Medical and Pre-Engineering. Therefore, the date sheet has to be set accordingly. If APSACS follow the same plan as that of FBISE, the academic teaching will be compromised.

**13. Is conditional promotion allowed?**

Ans. It is strictly discouraged at all levels.

**14. I want to know about APSACS Policy for double promotion?**

Ans. It is not permissible in APSACS.

**15. In case, I am unable to attend PTM, how can I receive the result of my child later on?**

Ans.

- i) The result is available on APSACS Information System (AIS).
- ii) Parents can also seek special appointment from the school authorities.