

No: B6/61/2023

Office of the Deputy Director of Education,  
Malappuram, dated 24.03.2023

From,

The Deputy Director of Education,  
Malappuram

To,

Principal  
BenchMark International School  
Tirur, Malappuram-676101

Sir,

Sub: - CBSE- Certificate of Recognition for the School under Section 18 of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act 2009 read with Rule 14 of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011

- Ref: - 1. Judgment dated 22.01.2021 in WP (C) No; 22812/2020(B)  
2. Govt. Lr No: N3/77/2021/G.Edn dated 16.12.2021  
3. Application dated 23.11.2022 of the Principal BenchMark International School Tirur, Malappuram-676101  
4. Lr No; NS(2) 232961/2021/DGE dated 13.01.2022, of the Director of General Education, Thiruvananthapuram.  
5. Lr No; NS(2) 10819/2018/DGE dated 14.12.2022, of the Director of General Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

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With reference to your application dated 23.11.2022 and subsequent correspondence with the School and inspection conducted on 15.03.2023 in this regard, I convey the grant for Formal Prior Recognition to BenchMark International School Tirur, Malappuram-676101 for Class I to XII, with effect from date of application before this office i.e. 23.11.2022. The Formal Prior Recognition is granted subject to the following conditions as mentioned in the letter cited in the reference. The following documents were produced for obtaining the Formal Prior Recognition by the school authorities

1. No Objection Certificate issued by the Government of Kerala as per order No: G.O(MS)No.111/2013/Gedn dated 26.03.2013
2. Building Fitness Certificate dated 14.06.2022 issued by the Assistant Engineer, LSGD, Tirur Municipality
3. Certificate of Sanitary Fitness as per Certificate No. H2/19499/2022 dated 17.06.2019 of the Health Supervisor, Tirur Municipality
4. Water Analysis Report of Water maq, Cleanhub Pollution Control systems Pvt Ltd, Smart Trade city Kottakkal-676503 (Approved Kerala State Pollution Control Board, Approval No. PCB/LAB/C4/2016) Dated 13.06.2022
5. No Objection Certificate dated 20.10.2022 by the Office Of the Station Officer Fire and Rescue Station, Tirur as per No.C443/2021 Dtd 20.10.2022

6. Extension of General Affiliation granted by the Central Board of Secondary Education upto 31/03/2024 as per Lr.No.CBSE/ AFF/931136/EX -01081-1920/2019-20 dated 05.10.2020
7. List of teachers showing the qualifications
8. List of Class wise / Division Wise Pupils Strength

The above sanction is subject to the fulfilments of the following conditions namely:-

1. The School shall abide by the Provisions of Right of children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 and the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011.
2. The School shall admit in Class 1( or in Pre Primary class, as the case may be ), to the extent of at least 25% of the strength of that class, children belonging to weaker section and disadvantaged group in the neighbourhood and provide free and compulsory elementary education till its completion.
3. For the children referred to in paragraph 2, the school shall be reimbursed in accordance with the provisions of sub-section(2) of section 12 of the Act and for the purpose of receipt of such reimbursements the school shall maintain a separate bank account.
4. The School management shall not collect any capitation fee and subject the child or his or her parent or guardian to any screening procedure.
5. The school shall not deny admission to any child for lack of proof of aged and shall adhere to the provisions of section 15 of the Act. The school shall ensure that,
  - i. No child admitted shall be held back in any class or expelled from school till the completion of elementary education in a school;
  - ii. No child shall be subjected to physical punishment or mental harassment;
  - iii. No child is required to pass any Board Examination till the completion of elementary education;
  - iv. Every child completing elementary education shall be awarded a certificate as laid down in rule 21.
  - v. Inclusion of students with disabilities/special needs as per provisions of the Act.
  - vi. The teachers are recruited with the minimum qualifications as laid down under sub-section(1) of section 23 of the Act.
  - vii. The teachers perform their duties specified under sub-section(1) of section 24 of the Act and those under the rules issued thereunder.
  - viii. The teacher shall not engage himself or herself in non-educational and private teaching activities otherwise than permitted under the Act.
6. The school shall follow the syllabus on the basis of curriculum laid down by State Government/Educational Authority.
7. The school shall maintain the standards and norms of the school as specified in section 19 of the Act and the Rules issued thereunder and the facilities reported at the time of inspection i.e. on 15.03.2023 are as given under :-
  - Area of school campus :13152.2833 sq.mt
  - No. of class rooms : 53 rooms
  - Room for Headmaster-cum-office-cum-storeroom : Provided Separately
  - Separate toilet for boys and girls with water supply : Yes , functioning as per Norms
  - Drinking water facility : Available
  - Barrier free Access; Available

- Availability of Teaching Learning Material/Games and Sports Equipments/ Library/Laboratory, Information and Communication Technology, Language Laboratory: Provided sufficiently
8. No unrecognized classes shall run within the premises of the school or outside in the same name of the school.
  9. The school buildings or other structures or the grounds are used only for the purpose of education and skill development.
  10. The school is run by a society registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 (21 of 1860), or a public trust or an educational agency constituted under any law for the time being in force.
  11. The school is not run for profit to any individual, group or association of individuals or any other persons.
  12. The accounts shall be audited and certified by a Chartered Accountant and proper accounts statements shall be prepared as per rules. A copy each of the statement of Accounts shall be sent to the concerned Educational Officer every year.
  13. The school furnishes such reports and information as may be required by the concerned Educational Officer from time to time and complies with such instructions of the Government to secure the continued fulfilment of the condition of recognition or the removal of deficiencies in working of the school.
  14. The Formal Prior Recognition allotted to your school is as per **Lr No: B6/06/2023 dated 24.03.2023 of this office** and this may please be noted and quoted for any correspondence with this office/ educational authorities
  15. Renewal of Registration of school is to be ensured as applicable.
  16. This certificate of Formal Prior Recognition granted under the provisions of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 relates to classes 1 to 8. The recognition granted under the provisions of Kerala Education Act and Rules issued thereunder or other orders in force will continue in respect of standards above class 8.
  17. In case of the schools which have obtained the No objection Certificate from the Government on certain conditions must regularise the NOC after fulfilling the conditions mentioned therein, routing application through the Educational Officer concerned.
  18. This Formal Prior Recognition letter is granted subject to production of aforementioned documents before the undersigned , and the documents (if any) produced are found to be malafide the Formal prior Recognition letter granted hereby would be cancelled without any prior notice .

Yours faithfully,



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**PEN No: 343188**  
**Deputy Director of Education,**  
**Malappuram**