



# مدرسة جيه اس اس الخاصة JSS PRIVATE SCHOOL

Grade 12

JSSPS/CTP/PO/GEN/172/25-26  
9th March 2026

## Subject: CBSE Directive – Postponement of Class XII Board Examinations in the Middle East Region

Dear Parents,

Greetings from JSS Private School!



## केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड ( शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन ) CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (An Autonomous Organisation under the Ministry of Education, Govt. of India) Circular-5

CBSE/CE/SPPS/2026/2

Date: 09 March 2026

To  
The Principal  
Schools affiliated to CBSE  
In Bahrain, Iran, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the UAE

Subject: Board Examinations of Class XII in the Middle East Regions- reg

Madam/Sir,

This is continuation to the circular dated 07.03.2026. After a critical review of the current situation in parts of the Middle East (**Bahrain, Iran, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the UAE**), mental agony of the students and the prevailing uncertainties, the Board has decided to postpone the examinations scheduled from **12 March 2026 (Thursday) to 16 March 2026 (Monday)**. The new dates shall be announced later.

2. The Board will review the situation on **14 March 2026 (Saturday)** and take appropriate decisions with regard to all remaining examinations scheduled from **16 March onwards**.
3. All students are advised to stay in touch with their schools for updates and follow official announcements carefully.

(Dr Sanyam Bhardwaj)  
Controller of Examinations

This is to inform you that the **Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)** has issued an official directive regarding the **Class XII Board Examinations for schools in the Middle East Region**, including the UAE. The decision has been taken after careful review of the prevailing situation in the region and keeping in mind the wellbeing of students.

As per the **CBSE notification dated 09 March 2026**, the following points are to be noted:

### 1. Postponement of Examinations

The **Class XII Board Examinations** scheduled from **12 March 2026 to 16 March 2026** have been **postponed** for all CBSE-affiliated schools in the Middle East region.

**2. Reason for the Decision**

The Board has taken this decision after reviewing the current situation in certain parts of the Middle East and considering the mental stress and uncertainties faced by students.

**3. New Examination Dates**

The revised schedule for the postponed examinations will be announced by CBSE at a later date.

**4. Review by CBSE**

The Board will review the situation again on 14 March 2026 and take further decisions regarding the remaining examinations scheduled from 16 March 2026 onwards.

**5. Further Communication**

Parents and students are advised to regularly check official updates from the school and CBSE for the latest information regarding the revised examination schedule.

**6. Support for Students**

The school understands that this situation may cause concern among students and parents. We encourage our students to remain calm, continue their preparation, and stay focused on their studies. All teachers and the IPC team are available around the clock and can be contacted at any time for support, guidance, or assistance should students experience any stress or anxiety during this period.

**7. School Communication Channels**

Any further updates or instructions received from CBSE will be promptly communicated to parents and students through the school's official communication channels.

The wellbeing, safety, and academic progress of our students remain our highest priority. We request parents to continue supporting and reassuring their children during this period.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact the school.

Stay safe; Stay healthy; Stay connected.

Regards,

Sd/-..  
**Chitra Sharma**  
**Principal**