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Notification

It is hereby notified that the Himachal Pradesh Board of School Education (HPBOSE) will conduct the Class 8th, 10th and 12th examinations under the Himachal Pradesh State Open School (HPSOS) for the September 2026 session. Accordingly, the process of online registration and submission of admission forms will commence from 16th April of 2026. All eligible candidates intending to appear in these examinations are required to visit their nearest HPSOS Study Centres within the prescribed timeline to complete the registration and online form filling formalities. For these exams, the schedule for online registration and admission form submission is as follows:

Fee Categories	Registration and online admission Dates	Appearing Types
Without late fee	16-04-2026 to 18-05-2026	1. Fresh Admission (Direct Admission/Without TOC/Direct Science).
With late fee of ₹ 1000/-	19-05-2026 to 19-06-2026	2. Fresh Admission (Availing TOC/Re-admission).
With late fee of ₹ 2000/-	20-06-2026 to 13-07-2026	3. Additional Subject. 4. Special Marks Improvement Exam (SMIE)

The schedule for Re-appear and Improvement examinations (within one year) under HPSOS will be communicated separately through a distinct circular, to be issued subsequent to the declaration of the March 2026 HPSOS results. All concerned study centres are advised to await formal notification and refrain from initiating any related processes until official dates are announced.

The following fee structure has been officially prescribed by the HPBOSE for various categories of candidates appearing under the HPSOS;

Sr. No	Appearing Types	Class 8 th	Class 10 th	Class 12 th
1	Fresh Admission (Direct Admission/Without TOC)	₹2400	₹3000	₹2900
2	Fresh Admission (Availing TOC/Re-admission)	₹2600	₹2900	₹2800
3	Re-appear (One or Full Subjects)	₹800	₹1000	₹800
4	Improvement (within 1 Year)	NA	₹1000	₹1000
5	Additional Subject	NA	₹1100	₹1100
6.	Special Marks Improvement Exam (SMIE)	NA	Fig "A"	Fig "A"

Attempts	Fee (₹) For Theory	Fee (₹) Practical
1 st	₹ 1500 Per subject	₹ 250 per Subject
2 nd	₹ 2000 Per subject	₹ 350 per Subject
3 rd	₹ 2500 Per subject	₹ 450 Per subject

All study centres operating under the Himachal Pradesh State Open School (HPSOS) across Himachal Pradesh are hereby directed to ensure strict compliance with the revised rules, updated instructions, and amended prospectus applicable for the September 2026 session.

Most Important to Note;

1. Review by Coordinators and Assistant Coordinators:

Before initiating any candidate's online admission, it is mandatory for the coordinators and assistant coordinators of the concerned HPSOS study centres to thoroughly review the latest amended instructions and prospectus, which contain critical policy updates and procedural guidelines. The latest amended instructions and prospectus are available on the official website of the Himachal Pradesh Board of School Education (HPBOSE) as well as through the respective study centre login credentials.

It is hereby notified that the login rights of those HPSOS study centres which have not paid the renewal fee are deactivated, as their study centre stands cancelled. Consequently, they will not be able to fill HPSOS admission forms until the renewal process is duly completed.



2. **Instructions for Candidates:**

All candidates applying under HPSOS for Classes 8th, 10th and 12th must carefully read the **instructions, eligibility criteria, Rule regarding "Special Marks Improvement Exam"** and **passing requirements** before submitting their online applications through the HPSOS study centres. The amended instructions and prospectus are accessible both with the HPSOS coordinators and on the board's website (www.hpbose.org).

3. **Assistance & Contact Details:**

For any assistance, HPSOS study-centres and aspirants may contact the board office during office hours (10:00 AM to 05:00 PM) at the following details:

- **For class 8th and 10th Examination Branches:** Phone 01892-242199, Email: hpboesososm1.32@gmail.com.
- **For class 12th Examination Branch:** Phone 01892-242152, Email: hpboesososp2.33@gmail.com.
- **For administrative Information (HPSOS):** Phone 01892-242159, Email: hpboesososadmin.31@gmail.com.

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Copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. Sr./Jr. Scale Stenographer, Chairman/Secretary, HPBOSE Dharamshala.
2. All Deputy & Assistant Secretaries/Section Officers of HPBOSE Dharamshala.
3. The IT Cell is directed to **upload this notification along with the complete instructions and amended prospectus** to both the official board's website and the study centres' login IDs, and to activate the online application strictly in accordance with the prescribed schedule, ensuring that all necessary updates, configurations and validations are fully incorporated before making the portal live for public access.
4. All In-charges of Book Distribution, Information & Guidance Centre, HPBOSE.
5. All concerned officials at HPSOS Study Centres for necessary action.
6. Public Relations Office, HPBOSE.

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