

# **Checklist: Is Your School NEP-Ready?**

## **A Quick Audit for Schools Moving Toward 21st-Century Excellence.**

### **1. Curriculum & Pedagogy**

- Have you integrated Experiential Learning approaches across subjects?
- Are you offering multidisciplinary choices (e.g., Music + Math, AI + Literature)?
- Have you introduced Vocational Education from Grade 6 onwards?
- Are your teachers trained in Competency-Based Education (CBE)?
- Have you mapped your curriculum to Foundational, Preparatory, Middle, and Secondary stages as per NEP?

### **2. Teacher Capacity Building**

- Have your teachers undergone Continuous Professional Development (CPD) training aligned with NEP standards?
- Have you implemented Digital Pedagogy training (smart boards, LMS, AI tools)?
- Are you tracking teacher training hours per year as per NEP guidelines?
- Do you have in-house or partnered Faculty Development Programs (FDPs)?

### **3. Student Assessment Reforms**

- Are you moving beyond rote learning to formative assessments and portfolio evaluations?
- Have you adopted Holistic Progress Cards (HPCs) instead of traditional report cards?
- Are students assessed on 21st-century skills (critical thinking, creativity, communication, collaboration)?

### **4. Infrastructure & Technology Integration**

- Do you have smart classrooms and an active Learning Management System (LMS)?
- Are you leveraging EdTech tools for blended learning and hybrid models?
- Have you equipped your library/laboratories for multidisciplinary exploration (STEM + Humanities)?
- Is there an active IT security policy protecting student data online?

### **5. Inclusion, Equity & Outreach**

- Are your school policies aligned with equity and inclusion mandates of NEP (support for disadvantaged groups)?

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- Have you introduced language options under the Three-Language Formula?
- Are you providing counselling and mentorship programs for socio-emotional well-being?

#### **6. Governance & Leadership**

- Is there a defined School Development Plan aligned with NEP goals?
- Is the School Management Committee (SMC) active and involved in decision-making?
- Are you preparing for external school quality audits in the next 2 years?
- Are you tracking student pathways to higher education, skilling, entrepreneurship?

#### **Score Your NEP Readiness:**

20-22: You're Leading the Change!

15-19: Strong Progress. Finish the race!

10-14: Good Start, Needs Structured Acceleration.

Below 10: Time for an Urgent NEP Transformation Plan!