



# EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

## GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM

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National Initiative for Proficiency in Reading  
With Understanding and Numeracy [NIPUN  
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# SCHOOL ALMANAC 2023

## FEBRUARY

- 6<sup>th</sup> February (Monday) : School reopens.
- 15<sup>th</sup> February (Wednesday) : Submission of 10 Meritorious Class IV (passed) girl students of each district for Him Jyoti Scholarship.
- 20<sup>th</sup> February (Monday) : Class V Competitive Exam for Merit/Perna Scholarship
- 28<sup>th</sup> February (Tuesday) : National Science Day.

## MARCH

- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> March (Wednesday-Friday) : Base line assessment for Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN)
- 14<sup>th</sup> March (Tuesday) : Submission of list of students for Class VIII passed Merit/Perna Scholarship by the District Office to the Exam Section and top 20 SC/ST students passing Class VIII in 2022 to Exam Section.

## APRIL

- 1<sup>st</sup> April (Saturday) : Submission of School wise Staff Bio-Data and Students' Enrolment (as on 31.03.2023) to Planning Section (HQ) through the District Office.
- 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> April (Monday-Wednesday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 10<sup>th</sup> April (Monday) : Submission of report on School Safety Policy on prescribed format to the Education Department (HQ) on regular basis by the District Chief Education Officer on or before 10<sup>th</sup> April.
- 13<sup>th</sup> April (Thursday) : Submission of Classes IX & X language wise and Subject wise Vocational Education Enrolment to the District Office.
- 17<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> April (Monday-Saturday) : L.D.Kazi Memorial Inter-School Gold Cup Football tournament for Boys & Girls.
- 28<sup>th</sup> April (Friday) : Submission of Classes IX & X Language wise and Subject wise Vocational Education Enrolment to the Examination Section by the District Office.

## MAY

- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> May (Monday-Wednesday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 16<sup>th</sup> May (Tuesday) : State Day.
- 31<sup>st</sup> May (Wednesday) : Campaign for "No Smoking Day" at School Level.

## JUNE

- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> June (Thursday-Saturday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 5<sup>th</sup> June (Monday) : World Environment Day.
- 12<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> June (Monday-Saturday) : First Term (Half Yearly Examination).
- 21<sup>st</sup> June (Wednesday) : International Yoga Day.
- 24<sup>th</sup> June-2<sup>nd</sup> July (Saturday-Sunday) : Summer Vacation (09 days).

## JULY

- 3<sup>rd</sup> July (Monday) : School reopens after Summer Vacation.
- 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> July (Wednesday-Friday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 10<sup>th</sup> July (Monday) : Submission of report on School Safety Policy on prescribed format to the Education Department (HQ) on regular basis by the District Chief Education Officer on or before 10<sup>th</sup> July.
- 11<sup>th</sup> July (Tuesday) : World Population Day.
- 13<sup>th</sup> July (Thursday) : Bhanu Jayanti.
- 17<sup>th</sup> July (Monday) : Last date for Submission of School Toppers of Class X & XII (XII Stream wise) in CBSE Board Exam 2023 to the District Office.
- 25<sup>th</sup> July (Tuesday) : Submission of list of District Toppers of Class X & XII (Class XII Stream wise) in CBSE Board Exam 2023 by District Office to the office of Joint Director/Exam.

## AUGUST

- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> August (Tuesday-Thursday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 10<sup>th</sup> August (Thursday) : Issue of NMMS forms from the Exam Section.
- 15<sup>th</sup> August (Tuesday) : Independence Day.

## SEPTEMBER

- 5<sup>th</sup> September (Tuesday) : Teachers' Day.
- 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> September (Monday-Wednesday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 15<sup>th</sup> September (Friday) : Last date for submission of NMMS forms to the District Office.
- 16<sup>th</sup> September (Saturday) : State Level Science Seminar at Gangtok.
- 20<sup>th</sup> September (Wednesday) : Submission of NMMS filled up forms by the District Office to the Exam Section.
- 22<sup>nd</sup> September (Friday) : Submission of Classes IX & X Subject wise Enrolment (including Language & Vocational Education) to the District Office.
- 25<sup>th</sup> September (Monday) : Last date of Submission of Class IX & X Subject wise Enrolment (including Language & Vocational Education) to Exam Section through District Office.
- 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> September (Tuesday-Thursday) : State Level Science Exhibition.

## OCTOBER

- 2<sup>nd</sup> October (Monday) : Gandhi Jayanti.
- 6<sup>th</sup> October (Friday) : Submission of Staff Bio-Data and Students Enrolment (as on 30.09.2023) to District Office.
- 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> October (Monday-Wednesday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 10<sup>th</sup> October (Tuesday) : Submission of details of winter coaching proposal to SPO/Samagra Shiksha by District Office.
- 13<sup>th</sup> October (Friday) : Submission of report on School Safety Policy on prescribed format to the Education Department (HQ) on regular basis by the District Chief Education Officer on or before 13<sup>th</sup> October.
- 17<sup>th</sup> October (Tuesday) : Submission of Staff Bio-Data and Students Enrolment to the Planning Section by District Office.
- 20<sup>th</sup> October (Friday) : Issue of NMMS Admit card by the District Office.
- 29<sup>th</sup> October (Sun.) : State Level NMMS Exam to be conducted by District Office.

## NOVEMBER

- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> November (Wednesday-Friday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 6<sup>th</sup> November (Monday) : State Level School Band Competition.
- 9<sup>th</sup> November (Thursday) : State Level Kala Utsav.
- 11<sup>th</sup> November (Saturday) : National Education Day.
- 14<sup>th</sup> November (Tuesday) : Children's Day.
- 20<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> Nov. (Monday-Tuesday) : Second Term (Annual Examination).

## DECEMBER

- 3<sup>rd</sup> December (Sunday) : World Disability Day.
- 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> December (Monday-Wednesday) : 3 days training for Mentors and Primary teachers on Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN).
- 5<sup>th</sup> December (Tuesday) : Nomination of eligible candidates for CMSS by the Schools to the respective District.
- 7<sup>th</sup> December (Thursday) : Submission of nominated list of CMSS candidates by District to the Exam Section after scrutiny of documents.
- 8<sup>th</sup> December (Friday) : Last Working Day.
- 9<sup>th</sup> Dec.2023 -31<sup>st</sup> Jan.2024 : Winter Vacation. (54 days).

## NOTE

- 6<sup>th</sup> January (Saturday) 2024- Selection Test for Chief Minister's Merit Scholarship Scheme.
- Holiday cannot be declared on any working day, except in any cases of local urgency, subject to prior permission of Chief Education Officer of concerned District. However, the declared holiday must be compensated by adjusting the working hours of the school.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays will be holidays and other Saturdays will be treated as half working days.
- All the co-curricular activities should be preferably conducted in the second half or on half working days.
- Lessons in Law to be taught to Classes IX & X students as a Co-curricular Subject. (Not more than two periods/week/class).
- School Timing from 09.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. to be followed by all the Schools mandatorily. Syllabi to be completed at least 15 days before 1<sup>st</sup> Term and 2<sup>nd</sup> Term Examinations respectively. Remaining periods to be utilised for revision.
- School timing w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023 till the last academic working day shall be from 09:15am till 03:30pm.
- Total No. of Working Days for the Academic Session 2023-2024: 208 days.
- School reopens on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024 (Thursday).