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**All Heads of Schools affiliated to CBSE**


**Subject: Publication of Book 'India-Unity in Cultural Diversity' by NCERT**

Please find enclosed communication no. F.No.-1-7/2019-IS.5 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2020 from Sh. Rajesh Kumar Maurya, Under Secretary, Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India regarding publication of book titled '**India-Unity in Cultural Diversity**' by NCERT under Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat Programme.

The book provides definite information about people of all the States and UTs of India, their languages, dress, food, art and crafts etc. The book is available at [https://seshagun.gov.in/sites/default/files/book\\_unity\\_in\\_diversity.pdf](https://seshagun.gov.in/sites/default/files/book_unity_in_diversity.pdf)

Please share this book with the students to facilitate them in knowing their partnering State/UT closely.

Attachment Enclosed.

  
(Dr. Joseph Emmanuel)  
Director (Academics)

Copy to the respective Heads of Directorates, Organizations and Institutions as indicated below with a request to disseminate the information to all the schools under their jurisdiction:

1. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, 18-Institutional Area, Shaheed Jeet Singh Marg, New Delhi-16
2. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, B-15, Sector-62, Institutional Area, Noida-201309
3. The Director of Education, Directorate of Education, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old Secretariat, Delhi-110 054
4. The Director of Public Instructions (Schools), Union Territory Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh-160 017
5. The Director of Education, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok, Sikkim –737101
6. The Director of School Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar –791 111
7. The Director of Education, Govt. of A&N Islands, Port Blair – 744101
8. The Director of Education, S.I.E., CBSE Cell, VIP Road, Junglee Ghat, P.O. 744103, A&N Island
9. The Director, Central Tibetan School Administration, ESSESS Plaza, Community Centre, Sector 3, Rohini
10. The Additional Director General of Army Education, A – Wing, Sena Bhawan, DHQ, PO, New Delhi-110001
11. The Secretary AWES, Integrated Headquarters of MoD (Army), FDRS Building No. 202, Shankar Vihar (Near APS), Delhi Cantt-110010





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12. The Under Secretary (EE-1), MHRD, Govt. of India, Department of SE&L, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-01
13. All Regional Directors/Regional Officers of CBSE with the request to send this circular to all the Heads of the affiliated schools of the Board in their respective regions
14. All Joint Secretaries/ Deputy Secretaries/ Assistant Secretaries/ Analysts (Academic, Training and Vocational Unit), CBSE
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22. SPS to Controller of Examinations, CBSE
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**Director (Academics)**



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Ministry of Human Resource Development  
Department of School Education & Literacy  
(IS-5 Section)

Date: 22.01.2020  
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

To,

The Additional Chief Secretary/Principal Secretary / Secretary (Education),  
All States and UTs

**Subject: -“Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat (EBSB)” activities in schools.**

Madam/Sir,

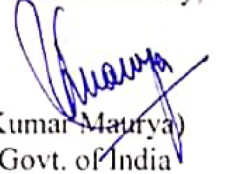
Please refer to this Department's D.O. letter of even number dated 7<sup>th</sup> November, 2019 and subsequent letter dated 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2019 regarding “Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat (EBSB)” activities in schools and guidelines for the same.

Under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat, NCERT has published a book named “**India- Unity in Cultural Diversity**”. The book provides definite information about people of all the States and UTs of India, their languages, dress, food, art and crafts etc. The book will facilitate the students in knowing their partnering States/UTs closely. Therefore, you are requested to share this book with every school.

The URL of the book is given below and the PDF of the book is available at mhrd.gov.in.

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=1zdo4IcciVyzwxwqzoVXwyYmvfbilLVpj>

Yours faithfully,



(Rajesh Kumar Maurya)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
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Copy to: (For information and necessary action)

1. The Chairperson, Central Board of Secondary Education,
2. The Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan
3. The Commissioner, Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti,
4. The Director, Central Tibetan Schools Administration (CTSA)
5. The Chairman, National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS)