



RIDGE VALLEY SCHOOL

RVS/CIR/094/2022-23

22nd Sept 2022

IBT ACER

Dear Parent,

Greetings!

This is to share with you that all students from Grade III - VIII, will be participating in the IBT (International Benchmark Test) Assessment and reporting program developed by the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER).

ACER has created a global program of school-level tests in English, Mathematics, Science and Reasoning suitable for students across a range of countries. These high-quality tests enable teachers, parents, and school leaders to get an insight into the educational development of students throughout their years of secondary schooling.

Requiring students to think about topics rather than just recall information, to apply their subject knowledge rather than just remember facts, the IBT is at the forefront of modern educational measurement.

This academic year, the students will be appearing in only two assessments, English, and Mathematics. These assessments will be conducted in **the online mode** at school as per the schedule mentioned below:

Grades III TO V

Subject of the Benchmark Assessment	Day/Date
Mathematics	Thursday, November 17 th , 2022.
English	Tuesday, November 29 th , 2022.

Grades VI TO VIII

Subject of the Benchmark Assessment	Day/Date
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Mathematics	Thursday, 24 th November 2022.
English	Monday, 28 th November 2022.

We request you to please send a **cheque of Rs. 440, in favour of Ridge Valley School** with your ward by **Wednesday September 28th, 2022**, to the class teacher. **Kindly mention the name, class and section of your ward behind the cheque.**

Those students who are a part of the Wellness Department at school **will only appear for the subjects they are pursuing at school** and are requested to send the cheque with the amount (Rs. 220 per subject) accordingly to their respective class teachers.

Please find the link to the IBT India website to know more about the program:
<https://www.acer-ibt.org/in>

Warm Regards,

Ms. Nidhi Tewari
Principal