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Subject: Observance of International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking on 26th June, 2026

The United Nations *International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking* is observed every year on **26th June** to strengthen awareness and action towards achieving a society free from substance abuse and drug trafficking. The observance aims to sensitize students regarding the harmful effects of drug abuse and encourage healthy, positive, and responsible life choices.

In view of the above, all the Heads of Government, Government-Aided and Recognized Unaided Private Schools under the Directorate of Education, GNCT of Delhi are hereby directed to conduct the following activities on **26th June 2026 (Friday)**:

1. E-Pledge Against Drug Abuse

Schools shall encourage students, teachers, and all staff members to take the E-Pledge against Drug Abuse available at:

<https://pledge.mv.gov.in/fightagainstdrugabuse/>

Since the schools are closed for summer vacations, the E-Pledge link may be shared through respective class groups/online platforms for wider outreach and participation.

2. Awareness and Creative Expression Activities

Students may be encouraged to prepare and share audio/video messages, drawings, posters, slogans, or poems on the theme **"Say No to Drugs"**. The best entries from each school may further be shared by the schools on their social media handles while tagging the Directorate of Education.

3. Zonal Level Awareness Sessions

The DDEs (Zones), along with District CICs and District Nodal Officers, to organize Zonal Level Awareness Sessions for all HoSs of Government, Government-Aided and Recognized Unaided Private Schools to further disseminate the message of *Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan*.

4. Display of IEC Material

The IEC material (Annexure-II) and the NMBA Helpline Number 14446, shared by the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment enclosed herewith, may kindly be displayed prominently in schools for wider awareness among students and staff.

Schools are encouraged to ensure maximum participation of students, teachers, and staff members in the above-mentioned activities.

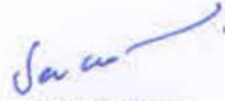
Further, as part of strengthening the support ecosystem for students, teachers and parents with regard to achieving a drug-free Delhi by 2027, all HoSs are to ensure that the YUVA Helpline numbers 10580 / 1800116888 are prominently displayed at key locations within the school premises, including the entrance gate, Principal's office, EVGC room, and admission area, to facilitate easy access for students and parents.

Further, the report of the E-Pledge activity is to be shared by schools with the concerned District DDEs in the prescribed format (Annexure-I) by **28th June 2026** positively.

Thereafter, Districts shall compile the data and submit the consolidated report to EVG Bureau by **30th June 2026** in the prescribed format.

This issues with the prior approval of the Competent Authority.

Encl: Annexure-I & II

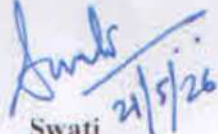

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2. PS to Addl.DE (Admn/EVGB), Directorate of Education, GNCTD.
3. All DDE (District), Directorate of Education, GNCTD.
4. All HoS/ CIC/Nodal Officer (EVGC)/EVGC through MIS for Compliance.
5. IT Branch to upload in MIS.
6. Guard File.


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Annexure I

E Pledge

S.No.	School name	School ID	Classes participated	Total students in school	Total number of students participated	Total number of teachers participated

From District to EVGB

S.No.	District	Total number of schools in district	Total schools participated in the district	Total number of students participated	Total number of teachers participated

Annexure II



Dear friends,

Youth is the energy of any nation and the power of youth has an important contribution in the development of society and country. Therefore, it is very important that maximum number of youth join the drug free India campaign. Accepting this challenge of the country, today we unite under the Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan and take a pledge that not only the community, family, friends, but also ourselves will be drug free because change should start with ourselves.

So let us all together take a firm decision to make our district/state.....(name) drug-free.

I pledge that I will do everything possible to the best of my ability to make my country drug-free.

प्रियसाथियों

युवा किसी भी राष्ट्र की ऊर्जा होते हैं तथा युवाओं की शक्ति का समाज एवं देश के विकास में महत्वपूर्ण योगदान है। अतः यह अति आवश्यक है कि नशा मुक्त भारत अभियान में सर्वाधिक संख्या में युवा जुड़े। देश की इस चुनौती को स्वीकार करते हुए हम आज नशा मुक्त भारत अभियान के अंतर्गत एकजुट होकर प्रतिज्ञा करते हैं कि न केवल समुदाय, परिवार, मित्र, बल्कि स्वयं को भी नशा मुक्त कराएँगे क्योंकि बदलाव की शुरुआत अपने आप से होनी चाहिए।

इसलिए आइए हम सब मिलकर अपने जिले/राज्य.....(नाम) को नशा मुक्त कराने का दृढ़ निश्चय करें। मैं प्रतिज्ञा करता हूँ कि अपने देश को नशा मुक्त करने के लिए अपनी क्षमता के अनुसार हर सम्भव प्रयास करूँगा।

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