

## Circular for the parents of Classes XI & XII students Session: 2022-23

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**Subject: Informal Farewell Party Outside School** 

Dear Parent

Namaste

Graduation Ceremony/Farewell for the outgoing batch of class XII is a day for thanks giving and seeking blessings of Almighty, parents and educators. This is also a day to receive good wishes from other students and educators and to make a promise with school and Almighty to follow the path of values for the future.

In the present times, informal farewell parties have surpassed reasonable proportions. Rather than a day of solemn and sanctified happiness it has become a day to have unhealthy fun with friends and show off our material possessions in ways which are loud and inappropriate.

It has come to our notice, that few students are planning to have informal farewell party in hotel/club with their friends & some junior students, almost unmonitored by their parents or any elders. In the absence of close monitoring by the elders, students tend to indulge in activities which are indecent and inappropriate and totally unacceptable. Students who decide not to, or are unable to be a part of such lavish celebrations are ridiculed by other students, leading to very unhealthy competition among them.

This letter is to request you, as parents, to immediately put an end to loud, lavish and unmonitored informal farewell celebrations. We would like to bring in your notice that school is planning for a very graceful, dignified graduation ceremony for the outgoing batch of class XII, where educators, parents and other students of school will extend good wishes to the batch of class XII and will pray to Almighty for their meaningful and successful future.

It will not be an exaggeration to say that the present manner of informal farewell celebrations, in many cases, can pave the way to disaster. It is high time; parents please say a firm 'NO' to such celebrations in hotels/clubs. We take this opportunity to humbly inform all parents and students that if we come to know about any indecent or unhealthy activity taking place in any informal farewell party outside school, school would rethink about holding a formal farewell and graduation ceremony in school.

We do hope that you will appreciate our common concern and cooperate in promoting a happy and healthy atmosphere among all our students. As a school, we have always endorsed and propagated a simple way of life and this small step on your part will go a long way in ensuring that these values become a part and parcel of our students' lives as well.

Kind regards

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