

**Important Notifications: Grade IX and Grade XI Students [Academic Year 2027-28]****1. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR STREAM SELECTION:**

Please be informed that the Eligibility criteria for Stream Selection have been reviewed for the upcoming Academic Session 2027-28 for the students currently studying in **Grade 10 [AY 2026-27]**.

Parents and students are requested to make a note of the same so that the students are well placed in streams best aligned with their aptitude, academic preparedness, future goals and success right through their career. We request you to guide your child accordingly while considering stream preferences. For any clarification or counselling support, please feel free to contact the school office.

The below Stream Selection Criteria shall be applicable for **Academic Year 2027-28 - Admission to Grade XI:**

**Science Stream with Mathematics**

Students must secure:

- Minimum 55% and above each in Science and Mathematics
- Minimum 33% in all other subjects

**Science Stream without Mathematics**

Students must secure:

- Minimum 55% in Science
- Minimum 33% in all other subjects

**Commerce Stream with Mathematics**

Students must secure:

- Minimum 55% in Mathematics
- Minimum 33% in all other subjects

**Commerce Stream without Mathematics**

Students must secure:

- Minimum 50% in Mathematics
- Minimum 33% in all other subjects

**Humanities Stream**

Students must secure:

- Minimum 33% in all subjects



*Students scoring below 33% shall not be eligible for Provisional Admission in Grade XI for any stream.*

**2. INTRODUCTION OF SKILL SUBJECTS FOR GRADE IX AND XI [2027-28]:**

The following additional Skill Subjects shall be introduced for **Grade IX and Grade XI (Academic Year 2027-28)**, subject to CBSE approval.

**Grade IX (Secondary Level)**

- Artificial Intelligence (417)
- Information Technology (402)
- Telugu (007 – AP / General)
- Telugu (089 – Telangana)
- Marathi (009)
- Kannada (015)
- Health Care (413)
- Marketing and Sales (412)
- Data Science (419)
- Multimedia (415)
- Design Thinking (422)

**Grade XI (Senior Secondary Level)**

- Artificial Intelligence (843)
- Information Technology (802)
- Applied Mathematics (241)
- Health Care (813)
- Business Administration (833)
- Web Applications (803)
- Cost Accounting (823)
- Data Science (844)
- Physical Activity Trainer (845)
- Medical Diagnostics (828)

### 3. ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENT:

All students registered under CBSE [Grades 9 to 12] must meet the minimum attendance requirement of 75% to be eligible for the LOC Registration. The attendance details shall be recorded by the class teachers as follows:

30 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	75%
31 <sup>st</sup> October 2026	75%
31 <sup>st</sup> December 2026	75%

- **Condonation Rules below 75%:**

The school Principal may approve, subject to submission of appropriate documentation / in case of unavoidable circumstances.

From Nursery to Grade 8, the attendance requirement shall be governed by the Examination Policy as mentioned in the School Diary.

### 4. NEW LANGUAGE POLICY FOR CLASSES IX AND X AS PER CBSE

Concerning alignment of scheme of studies for languages in Classes IX and X with NCERT syllabus as per the recent **CBSE circular No: Acad-33/2-26 dated 15.05.2026**, the following exceptions are applicable to the students:

- Students studying in CBSE schools outside India and
- Foreign students coming back to India maybe granted case-by-case exceptions, from the requirement of two native Indian languages

Hence, the rule of studying 3 languages is not applicable for current Grade IX and X students of IISD.

  
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Principal

CC: CMC/SMC Members/VP Academics/ All Section Heads

