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Subject: Youth Parliament Programme for grade 9 and 10

Dear Parents.

The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Govt. of India has been implementing off-line Youth Parliament Programme since 1966 in various educational institutions of the country. The objectives of the programme are to strengthen the roots of Parliamentary democracy, inculcate healthy habits of discipline, develop tolerance of the views of others and to enable the student community to know about the parliamentary system of government functioning.

A web portal on National Youth Parliament Scheme has also been developed by the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs to increase the coverage of the Youth Parliament Programme. All educational institutions can access the portal at www.nyps.mpa.gov.in to take part in the Youth Parliament Programme.

Following are the salient features of the programme:

- 1. All educational institutions recognized by the Central/State Govt. of the country are eligible to participate in this programme.
- 2. The registration for participation is done by the educational institutions through the web portal www.nyps.mpa.gov.in
- 3. E-training modules, videos, photographs and scripts are available on the portal for online selflearning of the participants.
- 4. After successful registration, the educational institutions can conduct Youth Parliament sittings in their respective institutions.
- 5. Each student taking part in the sitting will get a Digital 'Certificate of Participation' and Teachersin-charge and Head of Institution will get a 'Certificate of Appreciation' through the web portal. All schools having classes IX to XII are requested to register themselves on www.nyps.mpa.gov.in and participate in the programme.

Please enroll your names with your SST teacher. The last date to confirm your registration with the school is 17th October 2020