

ST. PAUL'S SR. SEC. SCHOOL, PALI

(INTIMATION TO THE STUDENTS OF CLASS X : 2025–2026) Regarding Two Board Examination Policy & Admission Criteria for Class XI (2026–2027)

As per the NEP 2020, the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has introduced the Two Board Examination Policy for Class X from the session 2025–2026.

Under this policy:

- All students of **Class X** must compulsorily appear in the **First Board Examination** in order to become eligible for the **Second Board Examination** (if they choose to appear).
- Students may appear in the **Second Board Examination** for improvement in **up to three main subjects: Science, Social Studies, Mathematics, and a Language.**
- Students placed in the **compartment category** may also appear in the Second Board Examination.
- A separate LOC (List of Candidates) will be filled for the Second Board Examination.

Board Examination Schedule:

- **First Board Examination: 17th February 2026 to 10th March 2026**
- **Second Board Examination (Tentative): 15th May 2026 to 01st June 2026**

Important Note:

Students who *remain absent* for any reason and fail in **three or more subjects** in the First Board Examination **will not be allowed** to appear for the Second Board Examination.

Provisional Admission to Class XI (Session 2026–2027)

All students of **Class X** and their parents are informed that Class XI (provisional classes) will commence from **Wednesday, 08th April 2026.**

Allocation of subjects in **Science** and **Commerce** streams will be based on the performance in **Pre-Board I and II.**

- Provisional admission to Class XI will be granted on the basis of **both Pre-Board results.**
- Final confirmation of admission will depend on the results of the **First Board Examination**, and subsequently the **Second Board Examination (if applicable).**

All students are therefore advised to give their **best performance in both Pre-Board Examinations** to secure their desired stream.

Result Declaration (Proposed):

- **First Board Examination Result:** April 2026
 - **Second Board Examination Result:** June 2026
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CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO CLASS XI (2026–2027)

For the Students of St. Paul's School, Pali.

Admission Guidelines

1. Provisional Registration/Admission **does not guarantee final admission.**
 2. Provisional Registration/Admission will be given based on Pre-Board Results.
 3. The **Principal's decision** regarding admission is final.
 4. Final Subjects will be allotted **strictly on the basis of First and Second Board Examination Results based on merit.**
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STREAM-WISE MINIMUM PERCENTAGE REQUIREMENTS

(For Students of St. Paul's School)

1. Science / Commerce Stream (with any set of optional subjects)

- Minimum 72% aggregate
- Minimum 62% in Science & Mathematics (Standard)

2. Science / Commerce Stream (WITHOUT Mathematics – 041)

- Minimum 65% aggregate
- Minimum 55% in Science

3. Commerce Stream (with any set of optional subjects)

- Minimum 65% aggregate
- Minimum 50% in Mathematics (Standard)

4. Commerce Stream (WITHOUT Mathematics – 041)

- Minimum 58% aggregate

5. Commerce Stream with Physical Education

- Minimum 50% aggregate
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SUBJECT COMBINATIONS

SCIENCE GROUP

Compulsory Subjects	Optional Subject (any one set):
1. English Core 2. Physics 3. Chemistry	1. Mathematics & Computer Science 2. Biology & Computer Science 3. Mathematics & Physical Education 4. Biology & Physical Education

COMMERCE GROUP

Compulsory Subjects	Optional Subject (any one set):
1. English Core 2. Accountancy 3. Business Studies 4. Economics	1. Mathematics 2. Informatics Practices 3. Physical Education

REGISTRATION AND ADMISSION SCHEDULE

1. Issue of Registration Forms:

16th March 2026 to 24th March 2026 (09:00 am to 11:00 am)

2. Last Date for Submission of Forms:

25th March 2026 (up to 11:00 am)

3. Registration & Processing Fees (St. Paul's Students):

Rs. 4500/- (To be submitted via cheque at the time of form submission)

4. Display of Final List of Selected Candidates:

28th March 2026

5. Fees Payment:

By cheque in favour of:

R.C. DIOCESAN ED. SOCIETY ST. PAUL SCHOOL, PALI

6. Commencement of Classes:

Wednesday, 08th April 2026

PRINCIPAL

St. Paul's School, Pali