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NOTIFICATION

The Council had introduced two new subjects namely Artificial Intelligence[ARTI] and Data Science[DTSC] in the H.S Curriculum from the academic year 2023-24.

From the coming academic year 2025-26, Artificial Intelligence [ARTI] and Data Science [DTSC] have been merged into a new subject Artificial Intelligence and Data Science [AIDS].

It would be pertinent to inform you about the following aspects in regard to these subjects.

| Artificial Intelligence and Data Science [AIDS] | |
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| Allowed for | Students from Set I |
| Eligibility Criteria for Schools | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Computer Science [COMS] must be running at the school.• Duly qualified teacher in COMS can teach this subject. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● <i>It may be noted that one duly qualified teacher can teach at most three subjects out of COMA , COMS , AIDS , CBST and APAI. Any school having more than three of these subjects should have two duly qualified teachers.</i>● <i>In all cases, consent from teacher needed stating that they would examine HS answer scripts of all those subjects which they would be teaching at the school.</i>● <i>The schools won't be allowed to apply for introduction of ARTI or DTSC from the academic year 2025-26.</i>● <i>Schools, in which ARTI or DTSC or both are already running, will be automatically allowed to introduce AIDS from the current session.</i>● <i>ARTI or DTSC should not be offered to any student as a subject who would be registering themselves as student of Class XI from the academic year 2025-26.</i>● <i>Students of present Class XI will continue studying their respective subjects ARTI or DTSC in Class XII and would appear for H.S Examination 2026 with those subjects.</i>● <i>Continuing or Special H.S candidates will also be allowed to appear with ARTI or DTSC in the subsequent years.</i>● <i>In our set structure, AIDS hold the same position as held by ARTI and DTSC.</i> | |

In case of any query in this regard, please contact Academic Section and you are being requested to check the Notification Section and Download Center in the Council website on a regular basis for the latest uploads.

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