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Good News for CBSE Students..
AI Lessons from Classes 9 to 12

20-hour special module to be introduced; part of internal assessment

New Delhi, Oct 27 ('Vadha): In view of the rapidly changing technological world, major changes are taking place in school education. With the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) increasing day by day, the Central Government has taken steps to create awareness on AI among students from a young age.

As part of this, the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) will introduce AI and Computational Thinking modules for students. The National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has developed a 20-hour introductory module for students of Classes 9 to 12.



Key Highlights

- 20-hour special module for Classes 9 to 12
- Introduction to AI and Computational Thinking
- Awareness on deepfakes and misinformation
- How AI tools work and responsible usage
- Part of school-level internal assessment
- To be implemented from academic year 2026-27

What will students learn?

- Basics of AI technology
- Identifying deepfake videos and fake information
- Analysing responses from AI chatbots
- Verifying information using reliable sources
- Responsible and ethical use of AI tools

The module aims to help students understand how AI works, how to identify false information, and how to use AI tools responsibly.

CBSE has announced in a circular issued on April 9 that these modules will be implemented in the 2026-27 academic year as part of internal assessment. As per the revised policy, AI and Computational Thinking modules will be compulsory for Class 9 students, while the current system will continue for Class 10.

NCERT is also preparing dedicated AI textbooks for students who wish to study the subject in greater depth. IIT Madras and IIT Jodhpur have supported NCERT in developing this module.

SSC JE, TGPSC Exams on Same Day..
TGPSC Takes Key Decision for Candidates

Relief for aspirants as special arrangements planned

Hyderabad, Oct 27 ('Vadha): The schedules of the Telangana Public Service Commission's (TGPSC) Assistant Executive Engineer (AE) exams for the Roads and Buildings Department and the Staff Selection Commission's (SSC) Junior Engineer (JE) exams were announced on the same dates, causing concern among candidates.

TGPSC AE exams were scheduled for November 6 and 7, while SSC JE exams are to be conducted from November 2 to 6. Many candidates brought this clash to the notice of the Commission.

Taking serious note of the issue, TGPSC Chairman Burra Venkatesham spoke to the SSC Chairman and took initiative to resolve the problem.

Who can apply for the facility?

Candidates appearing for SSC JE (Civil) on November 6 and also applied for TGPSC AE (Civil) can avail the special facility.

Documents to be submitted

- Copy of SSC JE hall ticket (with November 6 date)
- TGPSC AE application copy
- TGPSC One Time Registration (OTR) ID

Last date for submission

October 30, 2026 (5:00 PM)

Submit at TGPSC Help Desk or send to **helpdesk@tgpsc.gov.in**



After verification, TGPSC will make feasible arrangements for such candidates to appear for the AE exam on November 7, 2026.

The Commission appealed to all eligible candidates to submit the required documents within the given deadline and make use of this opportunity.

After Degree, PG or Government Job?
Which is the Right Choice?

Experts suggest plan based on your goals, interest and opportunities



Hyderabad, Oct 27 ('Vadha): Should you pursue a postgraduate (PG) or prepare for government jobs after degree? This is a common question that worries every graduate.

Experts say that degree is the basic eligibility for most competitive exams like Civil Services, State PSC Groups, Banking, Railways and SSC.

Key Advice from Experts

- Start job preparation during degree itself
- PG is not mandatory for most competitive exams
- Choose based on your interest, job goals and financial situation
- Maintain balance between education and job preparation
- PG is useful for research, teaching or specialised fields
- There is no need to depend on a single job notification