# **Concessions by Goa State Board**



# The concession are for children with any of the below disabilities

- Intellectual disability
- Slow learners
- Specific Learning Disability
- Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Hearing impairment
- Loco-motor and neuro-motor disability including cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy, spina bifida, polio and accident cases.
- Visual impairment
- Multiple Disability, Deaf Blindness
- Mental illness
- Any other disability as per declaration by the Director of Education under this scheme.

## Documents needed to apply for Concessions for Goa State Board

- Disability certificate from IPHB at Bambolim, DEIC- Mapusa or DEIC/Hospicio- Margao
- IQ certificate
- Aadhaar card copy
- Birth certificate copy
- Covering letter from the school

(Above mentioned documents to be submitted to school who will then send the same to the education board)

# Following are the concessions provided by the Goa State Board for standards 9th and 10th:

- Separate paper considering their special ability
- Special seating arrangement preferably on the ground floor Nearest examination Centre
- Enlarged print of question paper
- Allowance of additional time to answer the paper.
- Use of a simple calculator
- Use of a Reader/Reader cum Writer
- Facility of writer in the subjects with practical work only for taking down notes
- Allowed to drop Second & Third Language and take subjects like painting, cookery, data processing, DTP, astronomy and other such subjects offered by the board.
- Marks are not cut for spellings and other grammatical mistakes.

### Important points to remember

- The application for the concessions must be initiated by the parents to the school. Parents should inform the school about requirements for concessions latest by 8th std.
- **The disability certificate is valid for 5 yrs** and hence can be applied for, at the DEIC or IPHB by the parent when the child is in the 6th or 7th grade.
- It is also important to note that the process for applying for the disability certificate takes a couple of months and hence parents **should not wait till the last minutes.** (Applications for concessions will not be considered by the DEIC or IPHB when the child is in the 9th grade)

### **OPTIONAL SUBJECTS offered by the Goa Board for CWSN**



GOA BOARD OF SECONDARY AND HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION (A Corporate Statutory Body constituted by an Act of the State Legislature )

Subjects with Code No. offered under Children with Special Needs (CWSN) for S.S.C.

Sr. No.	(
1	Functional English F.L.( 2115)
2	Functional Marathi F.L.( 2114)
3	Functional Hindi S.L.( 2125)
4	Functional English T.L.( 2146)
5	Functional Konkani T.L.( 2147)
6	Functional Marathi T.L.( 2148)
7	Functional Portuguese T.L.( 2149)
8	General Science (M) (2034)
9	General Science (E) (2035)
10	General Science With accommodation(M) (2036)
11	General Science With accommodation(E)(2038)
12	Everyday Mathematics (E)( 2039)
13	Everyday Mathematics (M)( 2040)
14	History and Political Science(E) (1016)
15	History and Political Science(M) (1018)
16	Geography & Economics (E )( 1017)
17	Geography & Economics(M) (1019)
18	Geography & Economics With accommodation(E)(2037)
19	Geography & Economics With accommodation (M)( 2020)
20	Basic Floriculture (E)( 2053)
21	Basic Cookery (E)(1065)
22	Home Vegetable Gardens(1071)
23	Fundamentals of Bakery(2129)
24	Data Processing(2150)
25	Desk Top Publishing(1150)
26	Drawing & Painting(1151)
27	Tailoring and Cutting (E)(1174)

### NSQF and its benefits by the State Board for ALL Children

NSQF is a skilled platform which was initiated by the Indian Government in 2012 under National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC). Under the NSQF, students have to study all six subjects in class and they have to choose an NSQF subject as their seventh subject. Students have to pass any six subjects to clear Class X.

- Domestic Wiring
- Domestic Electrical Appliances
- Electronics
- Cookery
- Garment Cutting Sewing
- Garment Designing & Decoration
- Food processing
- Bakery
- Horticulture (E) & (M)
- Floriculture
- Fine Art
- Astronomy

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