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*Respected Sir / Madam,*

The two-year long commemoration period of the 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi will be concluding on 2nd October, 2020. To celebrate the occasion, The Department has collaborated with National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) to organize a quiz on Mahatma Gandhi. The Quiz is designed carefully to assess the knowledge and understanding of Life, Works and Values that Mahatma Gandhi stood for. The Quiz items are meant for children from the primary classes-III to V, Middle- VI to VIII and Secondary /Senior Secondary IX to XII. The questions will be available in Hindi and English medium.

2. The quiz portal can be accessed on Discover Gandhi portal at: <http://gandhiparichay.in/>, DIKSHA platform (<https://diksha.gov.in/>) and the Discover Gandhi mobile App which can be easily downloaded from Google Play Store on Android mobile phone (<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.discovergandhi.kholkhol>). To facilitate Children with Special Needs (CwSN) audio recordings are embedded in quiz for questions as well as instructions on how to take the quiz. The quiz will be open from 2 OCTOBER, 2020, starting on 10.00 AM and will close on 1 NOVEMBER, 2020 midnight on the above mentioned platforms.

3. You are kindly requested to issue necessary instructions in this regard to encourage the participation of school going children in the quiz and make the initiative successful.

*With warm regards,*

Yours sincerely,

(L. S. Changsan)

Encl : As above.

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