

- (7) No recognized school shall change its uniform before five consecutive academic years.
- (8) All recognized schools shall provide a prospectus to a new student along with the admission form. Such prospectus shall provide as much information about the school as may be practicable, including but not limited to the information mandated to be disclosed every year in Form VI.
- (9) Permitted fee increase for existing students: A recognized school may increase the fee chargeable under clause (i) of sub-rule (4), for its existing students by itself every year, equivalent to average percentage per capita increase of monthly salary of teaching staff of previous year, but the fee increase shall not exceed latest available yearly percentage increase in consumer price index plus five per cent:

Provided that, in years of implementation of new pay commission in a school, such school may increase the fee chargeable under clause (i) of sub-rule (4), for its existing students, equivalent to average percentage per capita increase of monthly salary of teaching staff of previous year, but the fee increase shall not exceed latest available yearly percentage increase in consumer price index plus ten per cent.

**Explanation I.-** The yearly percentage increase in consumer price index shall be the sum average of percentage increase in the national composite consumer price index (CPI) published by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India for a period of twelve months, January to December of the current academic year with the corresponding twelve months, January to December of previous academic year. The Department shall notify this yearly percentage increase in consumer price index every year in the month of January in form VI-A.

**Explanation II.-** At the time of admission, irrespective of the grade/class in which a student is entering the school, the school shall provide to the parent/guardian, a statement stating the complete fee structure for all grade/class upto grade/Class XII for that year as declared in Form VI. The fee for ensuing years shall be computed by applying permitted fee increase formula as determined under sub-rule (9).

- change fees*  
(10) Fee for new students: A recognized school shall be free to determine the fee chargeable under clause (i) of sub-rule (4) for students seeking fresh admission in any class/grade/level in a particular academic year: