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**Subject: Involvement of SCERT Faculty, DIET Principals, and faculty members of DIETs in NEEEV scheme.**

The *New Era of Entrepreneurial Ecosystem & Vision (NEEEV) Scheme*, launched by the Government of NCT of Delhi on 18 September 2025, is a pioneering initiative that integrates entrepreneurship education into the school curriculum for students in Classes 8 to 12 in Delhi government schools. Aligned with the vision of the *National Education Policy (NEP) 2020*, the scheme emphasizes skill-based, experiential, and competency-driven learning to prepare students for future challenges and opportunities. It seeks to nurture innovation and entrepreneurial skills among students from an early stage, enabling them to become self-reliant and future-ready citizens.

The key components of the scheme are as follows:

- 1. In-Classroom Curriculum** - This component covers the theoretical aspects of the scheme, where students of classes 8 to 12 learn the foundational skills of becoming entrepreneurs. They explore the entrepreneurial ecosystem with the guidance of teachers equipped with manuals. These manuals cover various techniques of ideation and prototype development taught under Design Thinking, etc. They also include engaging activities that make the classroom interactive and enhance students' skills.
- 2. StartUp Stormers** - A flagship competition for students from Classes 9 to 12, beginning with ideation in Class 9 and progressing to venture development. Around 5,000 school teams will be selected at the school level by the School Innovation Council(SICs). Each selected team of 5 members will receive financial support of 20,000. In the next stage at the Zonal level, 5000 teams selected by SICs will be further screened to around 1000 teams that will be further screened, and around 150 will be shortlisted.
- 3. NEEEV Dialogue** - A speaker series platform for students from Class 8 to 12 to interact with university faculty, entrepreneurs, and experts from the industry, etc., to ask questions, exchange thoughts, and develop a practical understanding on entrepreneurship, innovation, and new trends. This fosters inquiry, innovation, critical thinking, and real-world learning in schools. It also connects students with genuine stakeholders from the entrepreneurial ecosystem, channelizing their queries and concerns into meaningful outcomes.
- 4. Specialised Skill Workshops** - Specialised workshops will be conducted for students by experts on various entrepreneurial aspects such as ideation, business planning, financial literacy for entrepreneurs, artificial intelligence, negotiation skills and marketing, as per the needs and requirements of students.

**5. Industry Visits** - Industry visits will be held to provide students with practical exposure which will help them understand the smooth functioning of a business along with the innovation and other processes involved in it.

**6. Constitution of SIC, ZIC, and DIC-** To ensure effective implementation of the above components, **District Innovation Councils (DICs)** and **Zonal Innovation Councils (ZICs)**, and **School Innovation Councils(SICs)** have been constituted, which will provide strategic leadership, oversee quality compliance, and monitor the scheme.

School Innovation Council (SIC)				
S. No.	Designation	Role	No.	Remark
1	Principal/HoS	Chairperson	1	-
2	University Faculty	Member	1	Teaching Faculty (Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/ Professor/Incubation cell member, etc, from NCERT/ SCERT/ DIETs/ B. Ed. colleges/ NIEPA, etc., including government and private institutes)
3	Entrepreneur	Member	1	An entrepreneur
4	Teacher	Member	2	1 NEEEV School Program Coordinator 1 Mentor teacher or any other teacher of the school
5	Students	Member	2	
Note: HoS/Principal may nominate one additional person of good repute in StartUp/skill-building/etc.				

Zonal Innovation Council (ZIC)				
S. No.	Designation	Role		Remark
1	DDE-Zone	Chairperson	1	-
2	Principal/HoS	Convener	1	Principal/HoS of Designated Zonal School
3	Principal/HoS	Member	1	
4	University Faculty	Member	1	Teaching Faculty (Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/ Professor/Incubation cell member etc from NCERT/SCERT/DIETs/B.Ed. college/NIEPA etc. including government and private institutes)
5	DIET- NEEEV Coordinator	Member	1	Designated Faculties of Respective DIET for NEEEV related coordinations
6	Entrepreneurs	Member	1	



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**Note:** DDE-Zone may nominate one additional person of good repute in StartUp/Skill-building/registration/Legal aspects/MSME/GST/IPR etc.

<b>District Innovation Council(DIC)</b>				
S. No.	Designation	Role		Remark
1	DDE-District	Chairperson	1	-
2	DDE-Zones	Member	As per the District	-
3	<b>DIET Principal</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>DIET Principal of the respective District</b>
4	Principal/HoS	Convener	1	Principal/HoS of Designated District School.
5	University Faculty	Member	1	Teaching Faculty (Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/ Professor/Incubation cell member etc from NCERT/SCERT/DIETs/B.Ed. college/NIEPA etc. including government and private institutes)
6	Entrepreneurs	Member	1	
<b>Note:</b> DDE-District may nominate one additional person of good repute in StartUp/Skill-building/registration/Legal aspects/MSME/GST/IPR etc.				

DIETs are essential in implementing the NEEEV initiative at the school, zonal, and district level. The Principal of each DIET shall be a member of the District Innovation Council (DIC), constituted under the leadership of the DDE (District), responsible for overseeing the implementation of the NEEEV scheme within their respective districts.

Faculty members of SCERT and DIETs shall be members of the Zonal Innovation Councils (ZICs), constituted under the leadership of the DDE (Zone), and shall oversee the implementation of the NEEEV Scheme within their respective zones.

Faculty members of SCERT and DIETs may also facilitate NEEEV Dialogue sessions, Specialized Workshops, etc., and may act as members of the School Innovation Councils (SICs), based on their relevant expertise and professional competencies.


The Principals of the DIETs are requested to actively facilitate the involvement of their respective faculty members in the School Innovation Councils (SICs) and Zonal Innovation Councils (ZICs), which is essential for their effective implementation at all levels as per the table below:

SCERT/DIETs	District of DoE	Zone of DoE
DIET KKD	East	1,2,3
DIET BNN	North East (I & II)	4,5,6

DIET DG	North, Central and New Delhi	7,8, 27, 28, 29
DIET KP	North West-A	9,10
DIET PP	North West- B	11,12,13
DIET RN	West A + B	14,15,16,17,18
DIET RKP	South West - A	19,20
DIET GH	South West - B	21,22
DIET MB	South	23,24
B. Ed. Division	South East	25, 29

The concerned authorities are hereby directed to ensure compliance for the effective implementation of NEEEV at the school level.

**Annexure-A is enclosed for all NEEEV Circulars.**

  
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## Annexure-A

S.No	DoE Circular
1	<a href="#"><u>Introductory Overview of the NEEEV (New Era of Entrepreneurial Ecosystem &amp; Vision) Scheme to All Govt. Schools of DOE with the Nomination of the NEEEV School Program Coordinator.</u></a>
2	<a href="#"><u>Implementation of NEEEV Scheme in Delhi Government Schools for classes 8th to 12th from the Session of 2025-26 and Constitution of School Innovation Councils(SICs) in all Government Schools of NCT Delhi.</u></a>
3	<a href="#"><u>Guidelines and Tentative Schedule for the Implementation of "Startup Stormers" Competition under the NEEEV Scheme for the Financial Year 2025-26.</u></a>
4	<a href="#"><u>Sub: Allocation of the Fund for Expenditure under Major Head 2202 02 109 42 00 49(NEEEV: New Era of Entrepreneurial Ecosystem &amp; Vision) and guidelines for its effective Utilization in Govt. school of DoE for the session 2025-26.</u></a>