

**CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION
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To

All Head of Institutions
Affiliated to CBSE

Dear Principal,

Sub : Clarification Regarding Functional English – Class XI

As you are aware the CBSE has decided to introduce Functional English as a separate Elective Subject in class XI from the academic year 2003-2004. The Board has prepared the textual material for the same. There will be two prescribed books for the same as follows :

1. Main Course Book Volume I
2. Literature Reader Volume I

The textual materials for Class XI would be available by the end of March 2003 from the Bookstores of the Head office, CBSE or from the Regional Offices of the Board. The code number of the course on Functional English is 101.


The schools that are already following English communicative might find the above course providing a basic continuity in course content and Methodology. The schools who would like to introduce the subject may send their request for the additional subject. The application form for the additional subject can also be downloaded from our website at www.cbse.nic.in.

The application copies may also be endorsed on email at directoracad@hotmail.com. However, once they have applied for the course they need not wait for a formal communication from the Board. They will get their permission letters in due course.

The Board has, however, decided to continue the English Core (code no. 301) and English Elective (001) as per the existing curriculum and scheme of studies. The schools are free to opt any or all the above courses according to their convenience.

For further clarifications, if any, you may mail at directoracad@hotmail.com

Yours faithfully,


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