

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
ANDHRA PRADESH :: AMARAVATI**

PRESENT: K. SANDHYA RANI, I.Po.S.,

Rc.No.758/PS-1/2018

Date:02/07/2018

Sub:- School Education Department - Secondary Education - Opening of English Medium Classes from 6th to 8th - Instructions issued - Reg.

Read:-Govt. Memo.No.434390/Prog.I/A2/2017 School Education (PROG.I) Department, Dated:16.11.2017.

The attention of all the Regional Joint Directors of School Education and the District Educational Officers in the State is invited to the reference read above, wherein Government have issued orders for opening of parallel English Medium Sections for classes VI to X at a stretch in Government and Local Body Schools subject to condition that the enrolment of the school shall be more than 300 and willing students to study the English Medium shall be more than 100 apart from certain other conditions.

In this regard, they are informed that certain proposals / requests are being received from field functionaries / students / parents / public representatives for obtaining permission to open English Medium sections in certain schools even though there is no adequate student enrolment as stipulated by the Government for opening of parallel English Medium sections in High School. Further, they are assuming that the enrolment of the school will be increased if the English Medium sections are opened in the Government / Local Body High Schools.

Keeping in view the demand, all the Regional Joint Directors of School Education and the District Educational Officers in the State are hereby permitted to take admission in English Medium Sections in class 6th to 8th for the academic year, 2018-19 and open English Medium Section in Class 6th to 8th where the enrolment is more than 20 in each section, subject to condition that there is no additional staff and financial commitment to Government and subject to ratification orders from Government. These sections shall not be treated as Parallel English Medium Sections.

Further, they are requested to submit the proposals for parallel English Medium Sections and additional infrastructure where the enrolment in the English Medium as per Government Orders referred.

In the meanwhile they are requested to take the following steps:

- Wide publicity should be given for opening of English Medium Sections in class 6th to 8th in Government and Local Body Schools.
- Take the support of the public representatives and SMC members while enrolling new admissions in English Medium Sections in the respective locality.

They are, therefore, requested to take necessary action for opening of English Medium Sections in Class 6th to 8th during the year 2018-19 as per the resolution of SMC members duly following the conditions stipulated in the Government Memo cited and submit proposals by 15.07.2018 without fail.

Sd/- K. SANDHYA RANI
Commissioner of School Education

To

All the District Educational Officers in the State.

All the Regional Joint Directors of School Education in the State.

Copy to the State Project Director, SSA, A.P. for information

Copy to the Director, RMSA, Andhra Pradesh for information.

Copy submitted to the Special Chief Secretary to Government, School Education Department, Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati for information.

Copy submitted to the P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister for H.R.D., Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati for information

//t.c.f.b.o//

Suregh
SUPERINTENDENT