

PRIVATE SECONDARY EDUCATION AUTHORITY

MONITORING OF NORMS AND STANDARDS IN A FACILITY RECKONED AS:

SCHOOL FARM GRADE 11 – Year 2021/2022
--

Subject Appellation and Level:

- **AGRICULTURE - Grade 11 only – SC/OL CIE syllabus code 5038**

(Use of the *School Farm* is optional in the *Agriculture* syllabus)

Name of School : _____ Dept. _____

Date of Verification : _____ Farm No. _____

Is the facility New / Relocated / Existing? _____

Number of sections and students using this facility:

Grade	No. of Sections	No. of Students	No. of Groups
11			

Educator in Charge: _____ Qualifications: _____

IMPORTANT NOTES:

The following conditions should be fulfilled to ensure a reasonable standard:

- A plot of land of min. area 1000 m² should be provided, other than Garden for Agriculture.
- A minimum score of 75 % should be obtained in both sections A and B.
- Record of use of the Farm should be kept as required.

A) PHYSICAL FACILITIES – weightage: 70%							
Item	Description	Requirements	Marks Per Unit	Marks Item-wise	Existing	Score <i>(for PSEA use only)</i>	
1. Plot of Land	The Plot should be preferably within the school compound or in the vicinity.	An area of 1000 m ² is required.* <i>(see side-notes)</i>	2.7/m ²	2700			
	*NOTES:	CONDITIONS OF LAND					
	a) For existing Farms the previously approved land area shall be accepted and rate pro-rata.	Topography	No drastic incline and hazard-free	15%	900		
		Shape	Square or rectangular	15%			
		Land Quality	De-rocking done	15%			
	b) For new Farms the required area should be 1000m ²	Cleanliness	Free from garbage, dry leaves and unwanted materials	15%			
		Organisation	Distinct quarters for animals	15%			
		Access	Pathways & guiding signs	15%			
		Decorations	Flowers etc.	10%			
	2. Fencing	Fencing Height	2m if external OR 1.5m if internal	300	300		
CONDITIONS OF FENCING		• Neat	50	50			
		• Not damaged	50	50			
			Sub-Total	4000			

Item	Description	Requirements	Marks Per Unit	Marks Item-wise	Existing	Score (for PSEA use only)	
3. Store	In the farm or nearby	10m ² (see side-note)	80/m ²	800			
			25/m ²	250			
			• Well-built	20%			
			• Lighting	20%			
			• Ventilation	20%			
			• Organisation	20%			
• Cleanliness	20%						
4. Water Tank (With water, tap and watering accessories: Hose, Water cans, etc.)	Min. capacity: 2000 L	1	300	300			
			CONDITIONS OF TANK	• Clean	50	50	
				• No Leakage	50	50	
				• Accessories	50	50	
5. Animal Shed (With livestock - Empty shed not rated)	(a) Rabbit Shed	1		400			
	(b) Poultry Shed	1		400			
	(c) Others (e.g. Goat, Fish)	1		400			
	CONDITIONS & QUALITY OF SHEDS	• Design		100			
		• Materials		100			
		• Maintenance		100			
			Sub-Total	3000			
			TOTAL Sect. A	7000			

B) RECORDS AND SAFETY ITEMS – weightage 30%						
Item	Description	Requirements	Marks Per Unit	Marks Item-wise	Existing	Score <i>(for PSEA use only)</i>
6. Stock Book	Up to date and signed. New items highlighted.	1	400	400		
7. Use of Farm Signed, class-wise record of use to be kept for Grade 11 students.	Practical sessions in the Farm during the academic year and spread over all 3 terms. <i>(see note below)*</i>	Min. of 20 sessions per class Class No. ----- ----- ----- ----- ----- -----	100	2000	Average per class: ----- <i>(Max. of 20 reckoned per class)</i>	-----
*NOTE: Practicals reckoned pro-rata for the current academic year - max. 20 per class or group on 8.5 months.						
8. First Aid Kit	Equipped to treat cuts, wounds and eye problems	1	600	600		
			TOTAL Sect. B	3000		

MARK SCHEME AND SCORE

SECTION	WEIGHTAGE SECTION-WISE	TOTAL MARKS	ACTUAL MARKS SCORED	% SCORE Section-wise
A. Physical Facilities	70%	7 000		
B. Records and Safety Items	30%	3 000		
OVERALL	100%	10 000		

REMARKS AND SHORTCOMINGS

(With particular reference to conditions at page 1 and score obtained)

Signature of PSEA Supervisor / Senior Supervisor (s)

Date:-----

Signature of Manager

Date:-----