

No:EDN-H(Ele)(Quality Education)/2024-25
Directorate of Elementary Education,
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001.

Dated Shimla August, 2025.

To: Director of
Elementary Education
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Kangra at Dharamshala

Directorate of School Education
18 AUG 2025
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001

All the Deputy Directors,
Elementary/Secondary
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001.

Subject: Prohibition of unauthorized reference/help books in the
class rooms.
Sir,

It has come to the notice of the Department that in some schools, help books/guide books are being used by teachers for teaching purpose in the classrooms which hampers the perspective of qualitative education and restricts the inputs by the teacher.

In view of the above, you are hereby directed to instruct all Heads of Institutions (Hols) under your control that the use of any kind of help book, guidebook, or reference material during classroom teaching is strictly prohibited. Only NCERT text books are to be used for teaching in the classroom. Any deviation from these directions will be viewed seriously and strict action will be initiated against the concerned teacher and Heads of Institutions.

do the needful

This may be treated as Most Urgent and compliance ensured.

Director
School Education
Himachal Pradesh,
Shimla- 171001

Office of the Deputy Director of School Education (Secondary),
Kangra at Dharamshala.

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Copy forwarded to:-

1. The Director of School Education, H.P Shimla for information please.
2. All the Principal/Headmaster of GSSSs/GHSs of Distt. Kangra for further necessary compliance as per above direction.
3. I.T. incharge (internal) to upload this on website.
4. Guard file.

Deputy Director
School Education (Secondary)
Kangra at Dharamshala