



## West Bengal Board of Secondary Education

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To,  
The Head of the Institutions,  
Selected for NSQF/Vocational Optional Elective Subjects,  
Under West Bengal Board of Secondary Education

No.D.S.(C)/ 091/24

Date : 08.07.2024

Sub: Introduction of 3 (three) more optional elective subjects and exclusion of 2 (two) optional elective subjects and change of code of 1 (one) subject under CSS-VSE project programme for **Madhyamik Pariksha (SE), 2026 onwards.**

In reference to the letter of Directorate of Vocational Education & Training bearing No. 147-VET/NSQF/2023-24 dated 4th July, 2023 and bearing No. 130-VET/NSQF/2024-25 dated 13th March, 2024, I am to inform you that the President, Ad-hoc Committee, West Bengal Board of Secondary Education has been pleased to include 3 (three) more optional elective subjects with existing 13 (thirteen) optional elective subjects [excluding 2 (Two) optional elective subjects] under CSS-VSE project recommended by Vocational Education & Training, Govt. of West Bengal from Class IX in 2024 academic session.

The subject symbol & code nos. of above mentioned 16 (sixteen) optional elective subjects under CSS-VSE project are furnished below :

Sl.	Optional Elective Subject	Subject Symbol	Subject Code	Sl.	Optional Elective Subject	Subject Symbol	Subject Code
1	Banking, Financial Service and Insurance	BFSI	77	9	Electronics	Elec	91
2	Food Processing	FP	78	10	Tourism & Hospitality	TH	93
3	Telecom	TCOM	79	11	Construction	Cons	94
4	Retail Sector	RStr	86	12	Apparel	Aprl	95
5	Security Sector	SStr	87	13	Plumbing	Plmb	96
6	Automotive	AStr	88	14	Beauty & Wellness	BW	97
7	IT/ITes Sector	IT	89	15	Power	Pwr	98
8	Healthcare	HStr	90	16	Agriculture	Agr	99

You are, therefore, requested to include/exclude/change the aforementioned subjects as optional elective subjects in the curriculum of class IX in current session and opt the same during registration process of class IX (2024).

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