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Dear Parents,

Greetings from Love Dale Residential School.

As part of the continuous efforts to strengthen skill-based and competency-oriented education in alignment with the latest educational initiatives, the school is introducing **Kaushal Bodh** for Classes VI to VIII and **Kaushal Vikas** for Class IX from the academic year 2026–27.

Kaushal Bodh (Classes 6–8): A mandatory vocational education program that uses activity booklets rather than traditional textbooks. It uses project-based, hands-on learning to introduce students to diverse fields (like agriculture, creative design, and financial literacy) and to teach the dignity of labour.

Kaushal Vikas (Class 9): A structured skill-education textbook that builds upon the broad exposure gained in Kaushal Bodh. It provides in-depth exposure to help students develop specific, foundational competencies across various vocations.

These programmes are designed to enhance students' practical knowledge, life skills, creativity, problem-solving abilities, and vocational awareness, thereby supporting their holistic development.

Parents are hereby informed that the prescribed textbooks for the above subjects will have to be purchased once they become available in the market/bookstores. Further details regarding availability and purchase instructions will be communicated through the school office in due course.

Kindly note that examinations and assessments for these subjects will also be conducted henceforth as part of the academic evaluation process. Therefore, students are expected to give due importance to these subjects and maintain regular preparation.

All parents are requested to extend their cooperation and support in the successful implementation of these programmes.

Thank you for your continued trust and support.

Dr. Annamma George
Principal