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Department of Health and Family Welfare, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is celebrating 2<sup>nd</sup> anniversary of the launch of POSHAN Abhiyaan. It has been implemented in creating a mass awareness on nutrition by following Jan Andolan Strategy.

To celebrate the occasions and reinforcing the momentum gained through various convergence activities, it has been decided to celebrate the POSHAN Pakhwada from 8<sup>th</sup> March to 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2020 across the country.

The school going adolescents are to be tested and counselled on prevention and treatment for anemia during these camps.

All Heads of the Govt./Govt. aided/unaided secondary/higher secondary schools and special schools in the state are instructed to co-operate with the Health Officers visiting their schools for the successful implementation of POSHAN Pakhwada.

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(Vandana Rao, IAS) 11/03/2020  
Director of Education

To,  
The Heads of Govt./Govt. Aided/unaided  
Secondary/Higher Secondary & Special Schools in the State of Goa.

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1. The Secretary, Govt. of India, Department of Health and Family Welfare, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare(Child Health Division), Room No. 156, A-wing, Nirman Bhawan New Delhi -110 011.
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