

CBSE's new move allows Grade 10, 12 students to review answer sheets online.

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Students in the UAE who took the CBSE board exams, now have the option to review their answer sheets online and verify the marks assigned to them. The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) recently announced that candidates will receive a link to check the marks awarded to them in the answer sheets. By paying a specified fee, candidates can utilise this service to address concerns about low marks.

The board said, "CBSE Board results for class X and XII are likely to be declared after May 20, 2024." This service will be accessible for five days after the link becomes active.

Each subject will require a fee of approximately Dh23 or Rs500 per student. Non-resident Indian (NRI) students must remit the fee to the CBSE's account in Indian rupees. "If a child thinks he/she has got less marks then the students can apply for revaluation. Revaluation is also of two types – one is re-totalling of the marks and second, complete revaluation," he added.

Principals reaffirmed their appreciation explaining how educators will also benefit as they have a clear understanding of the expected responses. The highlighted data from these assessments may be analysed to inform future instruction. Headteachers stressed this will expedite the process leading to transparency and fairness as students and parents can immediately access the evaluated answer scripts.

School leaders highlighted that while this serves as a prime example of effectively leveraging technology to reach every student, some stakeholders have expressed concerns. It's said teachers who are found to be lax in their stepwise marking will face disciplinary action.

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