

**Central Institute of Educational Technology**

**NCERT, New Delhi**

**Concept Note**

CIET-NCERT has been conducting many programs, workshops and different activities for children or teachers over many years. Likewise, it proposes to organize a sort of summer camp for the children as part of the PAC approved programs on IEC in ET/ICT for school and teacher education. In 2023, CIET has organized summer camp for 59 students. This year CIET-NCERT is again organizing summer camp for two weeks starting from 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 to 14<sup>th</sup> June 2024. The focus of this will be to introduce the children to various ICT skills through fun-filled activities. The maximum number of entries will be 40 children of classes VI - X. Online registration form will be activated to pre-register students. The last date for accepting the form is 28th May, 2024. Selection will be done on a first come first serve basis.

The major objective of the summer camp is to inculcate the basic ICT skills for creating digital resources. Through this the curiosity and desire to learn more about the ICT will be prompted. This camp will also provide them exposure towards the Audio, Video and Multimedia production activities and an ability to negotiate a range of devices, tools, mobile applications, software, information and resources. We will integrate the various skills like reading, writing and listening along with the planned activities so that participants can create their own products through technology. We will try to engage the students in a number of activities around different themes and each participant will get adequate hands-on experience. This exposure along with other activities is intended to prepare them as global citizens in the future with adequate life skills.

The summer camp will have following objectives:

- To develop digital literacy skills that will enable them to function as discerning students in an increasingly digital society.
- To create digital resources like video, audio and animations & interact with ICT devices confidently.
- To discover Augment Reality through 360 degree photography.
- To expose them towards the methods of expression like creating storyboards, films, animations etc.
- To acquire the skills in Visual and Performing Arts.
- To practice safe, legal and ethical means of using ICT.
- To instill the lifelong values of teamwork in a healthy environment.
- To approach and experience each activity as an exciting learning.
- To inculcate scientific temper through fun activities.

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