# A Comparative Study On Performance of Private School Students and Provincialised School Students In The Class-10th Board Final Examination

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Abstract - This is an attempt to make a comparative study between the performance of private school students and provincialised school students in the class -10 board final examination. For the purpose of the study, the result of class-10th board final examination of private school students and provincialised school students was collected from randomly selected five private schools and five provincialised schools in Udalguri district of Assam, India. The finding of the study shows that private school students' performance is better than provincialised school students' performance in the district.

Keywords: Class-10th, Examination, Performance, Private school students, Provincialised school students and Udalguri.

# I. INTRODUCTION

Education is backbone of social development. A family, a society and a country can develop with education and everyone wants development in their life, family, society and country. So parents want to give education to their children so that they can bring about development in their life, family, society and country as a whole. There are different types of school such as private school, provincialised school, Venture school etc. for imparting education in the district. Nowadays it is heard to say that many parents incline to send their children to give

education in private schools in spite of having to pay lots of amount of school fees in the district. Emergence and survival of many Private schools can also be seen in the district in spite of many provincialised Schools giving free education in the district. So the researcher tried to study the performance of private school students and provincialised school students in the class- 10th board final examination to find out the reason why many parents' inclination to private schools education are seen in the district.

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# II. OBJECTIVE OF THE STUDY

To study the performance of private school students and provincialised school students in the class- 10th board final examination.

# III. METHODOLOGY OF THE STUDY

This study is based on secondary data. For the purpose of the study, five private schools and five provincialised schools are randomly selected in Udalguri district of Assam, India. The results of class- 10th board final examination of the students were collected from the books of record of the selected schools. The result of the students from 2013 to 2017 was collected and used in the study. The data is analyzed with the help of table.

### IV. ANALYSIS OF DATA

Table-1: In the following table, total result of the total students of five private schools are shown from 2013 to 2017:

Year	Total Appeared	Total Passed		First Division		Second Division		Third Division	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
2013	148	134	90.54%	32	23.88%	74	55.22%	28	20.90%
2014	140	119	85%	39	32.77%	59	49.58%	21	17.65%
2015	164	154	93.90%	73	47.41%	54	35.06%	27	17.53%
2016	110	97	88.18%	48	49.49%	46	47.42%	3	3.09%
2017	143	124	86.71%	74	59.68%	47	37.90%	3	2.42%

Source- Collected from five randomly selected private schools.

From the above table it can be known that the maximum pass percentage of five selected private schools is 93.90% in 2015 and minimum pass percentage is 85% in 2014

during the years from 2013to 2017. High percentage of students of the five selected private schools obtained first and second division and less percentage obtained third

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division in the class- 10th board final examination during the last five years.

Table-2: In the following table, total result of the total students of five provincialised schools are shown from the year 2013 to 2017:

Year	Total Appeared	Total Passed		First	Division	Second Division		Third Division	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
2013	345	300	86.95%	13	4.33%	85	28.33%	202	67.34%
2014	399	234	57.89%	16	6.84%	76	32.48%	142	60.68%
2015	428	252	58.88%	19	7.54%	111	44.05%	122	48.41%
2016	577	338	58.58%	31	9.17%	127	37.57%	180	53.26%
2017	529	214	40.45%	26	12.15%	122	57.01%	66	30.84%

Source- Collected from five randomly selected provincialised schools.

From the above table it can be known that the maximum pass percentage of five selected provincialised schools is 86.95% in 2013 and minimum pass percentage is 40.45% in 2017 during the years from 2013 to 2017. Less percentage of students of five selected provincialised schools obtained first class, maximum students obtained third division and medium students obtained second division.

# Findings:

- 1) From the study it is found that the pass percentage of the students of five selected private schools is higher than five selected provincialised schools in the class-10th board final examination.
- 2) High percentage of students of five selected private schools obtained first division whereas less percentage of students of five selected provicialised schools obtained first division in the class-10 board final examination.
- 3) High percentage of students of five selected provincialised schools obtained third division whereas less percentage of students of five selected private schools obtained third division in the class-10 board final examination.

### V. CONCLUSION

It can be concluded that the performance of the students of private schools is better than the performance of the students of provicialised schools in the district. Pass percentage of the students of private schools is higher than provincialised schools students and percentage of private school students securing first division is higher than provincialised school students in the class- 10th board final examination in the district. Therefore it can be said that nowadays parents incline to send their children to private schools in the district because all parents want their children to acquire good education and result in the examination. But it is not possible for all the parents to

send their children in private schools so the performance of the students of provincialised schools should be improved in the district. Therefore there is a need to study in the district why the performance of the students of provincialised school is not better than private school students, why less percentage of students of provincialised schools can secure first division in the class- 10th board final examination.

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