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Highly reactive boards

Pre boards round the corner. Preparing notes. Rings a bell? With CBSE boards coming back in Class X, we bring you some unavoidable reactions you might see

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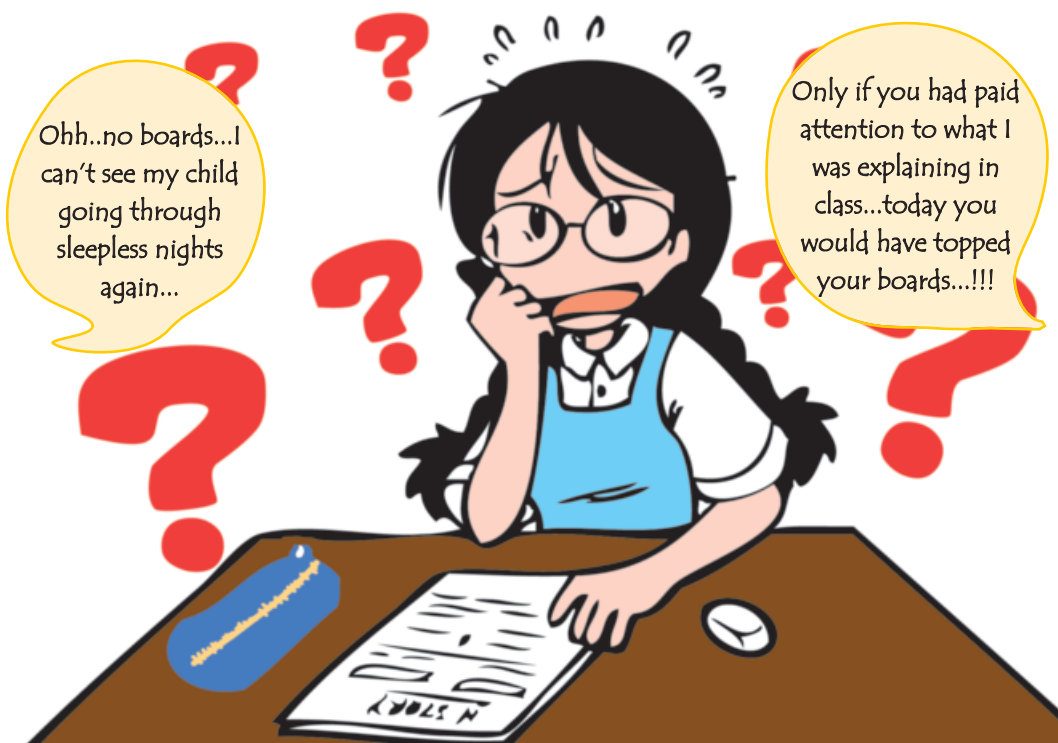
If one were to check the applicability of Newton's third law of motion, what better experiment than our very own devil in disguise- the Class X Board Exams? For every action, there is an equal and opposite reaction. So every time the government tosses the 'boards' coin, the stakeholders of the academia have their eyes popping out. We bring you the loudest heard so far, when its a head start this time.

Student's reaction

The nerd waala topper: (The typical spectacled boy who while drowning his head in HC Verma is smiling away to glory) Boards are coming? Oh perfect! Well at least now, I can focus on my studies rather than making glossy file covers, long projects and ASL speeches.

The all-rounder topper: (The extrovert class representative of Class X C is anxious) Okay. No more marks for my creativity, speaking skills, drawing won't fetch me marks now. I will score any which ways, but CCE meant extra...extracurricular.

The mediocre: (That student



occupying the last row, corner seat is wretched) When Board examinations come, I will be all by myself. No second chance to improve my marks. Now, all I am supposed to do is cram up the books and vomit it on the answer sheets. Isn't it too much?

Parent's reaction

The concerned Mom: (That superstitious Mom whose *dahi cheeni* never lets her child get

below 90): No! Boards can't be coming again. Oh! I can't see my child going through those sleepless nights like I did. I still remember my nervous breakdown a day before the exam. Wasn't CCE much kinder?

The achiever Dad: (That unparalleled father whose competitive nature is still climbing the peaks of Himalayas): Well thought! The Board examinations will prepare

my child for life, ie, Class XII boards and competitive exams. Besides, I will be able to judge where my child stands among the Class X students across India.

Teacher's reaction

The too challenging teacher: (That amazing teacher whose challenge management skills are so good that she might end up challenging Terry O'Brien): 10 CGPA holders never really get to

know their real calibre in Class X. It is after the first UT in Class XI that they are able to test the waters. Boards will keep the students grounded and motivate them to work hard.

The swimming -in -paper teacher: (That work loaded teacher whose table is flooded with notebooks and examination sheets) - Boards or CCE, my work load isn't getting any better is it? I mean who has ever been able to choose the better one between the humongous test papers and activities that come with CCE and the hectic work of getting board forms filled.

Principal's reaction

(That inspiring Principal whose green pen uncaps to write the sweet remarks on report cards) If Board examinations make a re-entry, the overall result of the school would be suddenly affected. Will they be demotivated if they don't get 95 percent? But then they would learn time management, planning, scheduling etc, and I will have city toppers too!

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Careers according to zodiac

Traits: Organised and problem solving and logical skills
Suitable careers: Banker, accountant and architecture are great choices for they require those with logical skills

Capricorn
(Dec 22-Jan 19)

Sagittarius (Nov 22-Dec 21)

Traits: Adventurous, spiritual
Suitable careers: Suitable for careers that require traveling. Careers involving animals, environment are also suited

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18)

Pisces (February 19-March 20)

Traits: Compassionate, creative, imaginative, artistic
Suitable careers: Any career in the field of arts is a good choice!

Aries (March 21-April 19)

Traits: Adventurous, outspoken and thrive with ambition
Suitable careers: Media persons, politicians or entrepreneurs, anything that pacifies pursuit of power

Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Traits: Practical, methodical, always look for stability
Suitable careers: Luxury sales, lawyer, educationist...careers that require hard work and dedication, but once established can provide the desired security

Gemini (May 21-June 20)

Traits: Curious, talkative and optimistic
Suitable careers: Teaching, communications, public relations and anything that is intellectually stimulating and gives a social outlet

Cancer
(June 21-July 22)

Traits: Nurturing and always taking care of things
Suitable careers: Counsellors, psychologists, teachers and therapists are all careers you can pursue

Scorpio (Oct 23-Nov 21)

Traits: Great analytical powers, and laser sharp focus
Suitable careers: Forensics, surgeon, scientist are all careers that require great focus and curiosity

Libra (Sep 23-Oct 22)

Traits: Need human interaction and diplomatic
Suitable careers: Lawyer, mediator, diplomat, social worker; basically all interaction based jobs

Virgo (Aug 23- Sep 22)

Traits: Perfectionist, attention to detail
Suitable careers: The perfectionist in them makes them apt for fields that require vast amounts of information like research, editor, technician etc

Leo (July 23-Aug 22)

Traits: Likeable, charismatic, born leaders
Suitable careers: Natural inclination is towards managerial positions, like CEOs

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