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Dear Shri Immanuel,

As you may be aware that the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, has launched राष्ट्रीय e-पुस्तकालय (Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya), an app for the National Digital Library for school-going children and adolescents, on the 10th of February 2024.

The राष्ट्रीय e-पुस्तकालय app serves as a storehouse of knowledge and stories, specifically curated for children and adolescent, containing quality books of, covering different genres like fiction, non-fiction, biographies, poetry, classics, comics, novels, etc. It also focuses on history, culture, scientific achievements, and other significant facets of India.

The mobile App currently hosts over 1000 books sourced from 46 publishers, in 23 languages, and spanning across 13 genres. The link for downloading the App is given below for both Android and iOS:

Android: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=national.digital.library>
iOS: <https://apps.apple.com/in/app/rashtriya-e-pustakalaya/id6475687147>

The app will be put to full use only when all children, teachers and parents are made aware of it and start reading after downloading it for free on their mobiles/ web access. It is therefore requested that the information may be reached out to all stakeholders and wide participation is encouraged. An informative banner as enclosed may also be featured on your respective websites.

Your personal involvement in raising awareness among students would greatly contribute to our mission of fostering a culture of reading and writing among the youth.

Therefore, your assistance is sought in disseminating information, in best possible manner, about राष्ट्रीय e-पुस्तकालय (Rashtriya e-Pustakalaya) Mobile application among all ICSE schools, both nationally and internationally.

Looking forward to your kind consideration on this matter.

Regards,

Your Sincerely,

Archana

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To,

Shri G. Immanuel,
Chairman, ICSE

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1. Secretary DoSEL
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