

Headline: CBSE introduces course on financial market in classes 9, 10

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CHANDIGARH: In a bid to provide career opportunities to students in the financial sector, the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) in collaboration with the National Stock Exchange (NSE) will start financial market management (FMM) course for students of Class 9 and 10 for the current academic session.

The NSE signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with the CBSE for promoting financial market-related educa-

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tion among youngsters through schools affiliated to the board.

The training of schoolteachers to teach the subject from Class 9 to 12 started from this month.

It is expected that around 150

teachers will get training in the initial round.

The FMM course covers 200 hours of teaching which includes theory and practical classes.

The subjects that the students will be taught include the 'basics of money management' for Class 9 and 'introduction to financial market' for Class 10.

In these classes, it can be taken either as a vocational subject or as an academic one. The NSE also offers undergraduate and postgraduate courses in financial markets in 18 universities/ institutions across India.