To

District Education Officer (Secondary),
Amritsar.

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Sub.: Heritage Walk Amritsar.

It is for your information that this department is conducting Heritage Walk to generate awareness about the ancient heritage of the city of Amritsar. **THE WALK IS ACCREDITED WITH NATIONAL TOURISM AWARD FOR 2011-2012 BY MINISTRY OF TOURISM, GOVT. OF INDIA.**

The walk route starts from Town Hall, a building that was built in 1863 by the British colonial administration and moves through 14 ancient monuments/religious places, namely Gurdwara Saragari Sahib, Quila Ahluwalia, Sangalwala Akhara, Chitta Akhara, Taksaal, Thakurdwara Dariana Mal and Galiara etc. (Leaflet of Heritage Walk attached)

The architecture of different periods i.e. Mugal period, Sikh period and British Periods are the major source of attraction for the tourists visiting the Heritage Walk Route. The walk is a source of attraction not only for domestic tourists, but the foreigners visiting the holy city of Amritsar. To facilitate the tourists, the department has engaged trained tourist guides, who accompany them every day in the morning as well as in the evening.

In order to generate awareness amongst Teachers and Students of all educational institutions in Amritsar, it is proposed that guidelines may kindly be issued from your office for arranging visits by teachers/students for undergoing Heritage Walk. The heritage walk in-charge Ms. Harpreet Bhullar (Contact No. 9646139200) shall co-ordinate with them and make arrangements for such programmes with the assistance of Tourist Guides of this department.

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Project Manager,
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