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**Syllabus
2026-2027
Class: VIII**

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English

I Periodic Test

English Reader: Lesson – 1 Dr. Kalam’s Humble beginning
Lesson – 2 Challenging the norms
Poem – 1 Autums’s song

Grammar: Sentence (Ch-1), The Noun (Ch-2), Pronoun (Ch-3),
Adjectives and Degrees of Comparison (Ch-4)

Writing: **a) Notice Writing:** The Youth Club of your school is planning to collect relief fund for the victims of Tsunami in Andaman and Nicobar Islands. Draft a notice as secretary of the club requesting students to contribute a certain sum for the same cause.

b) Letter writing (Informal): Write a letter to your father expressing your happiness on being selected as the captain of the school cricket team.

Vocabulary: Word building, Antonyms and Synonyms

Half Yearly Examination

English Reader: Lesson – 3 The Scales of Justice
Lesson – 4 Against the tide
Lesson – 5 A promise kept, A path diverged
Lesson – 6 The Visionary Journey
Poem – 2 A Tiger in the Zoo
Poem – 3 A child’s thought

Grammar: Determiners (Ch-5), Adverb and Degree of compar (Ch-6), Use of Modals Verbs (Ch-10), The Present Tense (Ch-11), The Past Tense (Ch-12), The Future Tense (Ch-13), Simple +

Complex and Compound sentences (Ch - 19), Comprehension, Editing

Writing: a) **Essay Writing:** Child Labour, A Curse
b) **Diary Entry:** You have shifted from a very congested area to a new locality where your friends are staying. You had a busy and exciting day. Write a diary entry expressing your feeling on the first day in new locality.

Vocabulary: Proverbs

(Including the Syllabus of I Periodic Test)

II Periodic Test

English Reader: Lesson – 7 The Curious Case at Copper Beeches
Lesson – 8 The eyes have it
Poem – 4 Our Casuarina tree

Grammar: Subject Verb Agreement (Ch-9), Active and Passive Voice (Ch-14), Preposition (Ch-15), Conjunctions (Ch-16)

Writing: a) **Advertisement Writing:** Your school has launched a campaign to encourage people to take up the responsibility for teaching at least one underprivileged child to read and write. Design a poster to advertise the campaign.

b) **Letter Writing:** Write a letter to the editor of your local newspaper, highlighting rampant wastage of water in your colony. Also give your suggestions in how one can avoid wastage and save water.

Vocabulary: Antonyms, Synonyms and Idioms.

Yearly Examination

English Reader: Lesson – 9 The guest in the bathroom

Lesson – 10 The unexpected sneeze

Lesson – 11 The open Window

Poem – 5 Everybody is doing it

Grammar: Clause (Ch-8), Conditionals sentences (Ch-17), Direct and Indirect speech (Ch-18), Synthesis of sentences (Ch-20), Similes (Ch-21), Comprehension, Editing

Writing: a) **Story Writing:** Frame a story with a suitable little using the given outline.

(An old farmer had four sons – the sons were lazy – the farmer got worried – on his death bed, summons his sons.....)

b) **Article Writing:** The Importance of Discipline

c) **Message Writing:** You are Rohan you have to go to market. Write a message for Anita to inform her about sheila's message.

(Including I + II Periodic test and half yearly Syllabus of grammar)

हिन्दी

प्रथम अंतराल परीक्षा

गुलिका: पाठ - 1, 2, 3

हिन्दी व्याकरण: पाठ - 1, 2, 3, 4

पाठ - 6 (विलोम शब्द, अनेकार्थक शब्द, वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द, पर्यायवाची शब्द, श्रुतिसम भिन्नार्थक शब्द, मुहावरे, लोकोक्तियाँ)

अनुच्छेद, पत्र, संवाद-लेखन

अर्धवार्षिक परीक्षा

गुलिका: पाठ - 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

हिन्दी व्याकरण: पाठ - 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

पाठ - 6 (विलोम शब्द, पर्यायवाची शब्द, वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द, अनेकार्थक शब्द, श्रुतिसम भिन्नार्थक शब्द, एकार्थक प्रतीत होने वाले शब्द, मुहावरे, लोकोक्तियाँ)

अपठित गद्यांश, अपठित पद्यांश, अनुच्छेद, पत्र, सूचना लेखन

(अर्धवार्षिक परीक्षा में प्रथम अंतराल परीक्षा का पाठ्यक्रम भी सम्मिलित होगा।)

द्वितीय अंतराल परीक्षा

गुलिका: पाठ - 9, 10, 11

हिन्दी व्याकरण: पाठ - 12, 13, 14

पाठ - 6 (विलोम शब्द, अनेकार्थक शब्द, वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द, पर्यायवाची शब्द, श्रुतिसम भिन्नार्थक शब्द, एकार्थक प्रतीत होने वाले शब्द, मुहावरे, लोकोक्तियाँ)

अनुच्छेद, पत्र, ई-मेल लेखन

वार्षिक परीक्षा

गुलिका: पाठ - 12, 13, 14, 15, 16

हिन्दी व्याकरण: पाठ - 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20

पाठ - 6 (विलोम शब्द, अनेकार्थक शब्द, वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द, पर्यायवाची शब्द, श्रुतिसम भिन्नार्थक शब्द, एकार्थक प्रतीत होने वाले शब्द, मुहावरे और लोकोक्तियाँ)

अपठित गद्यांश, अपठित पद्यांश, अनुच्छेद, पत्र, कहानी लेखन, विज्ञापन लेखन

(वार्षिक परीक्षा में समस्त व्याकरण पाठ्यक्रम सम्मिलित होगा।)

Mathematics

I Periodic Test

[Volume – 1] Ch-1:- A square and A cube

Ch-2:- Power Play

Ch-3:- A story of Numbers

Half Yearly Examination

[Volume – 1] Ch-4:- Quadrilateral

Ch-5:- Number Play

Ch-6:- We Distribute, Yet things Multiply

Ch-7:- A Proportional Reasoning – I

(Including the Syllabus of I Periodic Test)

II Periodic Test

[Volume – 2] Ch-1:- Fractions in Disguise

Ch-2:- The Baudha Yana – Pythagoras' Theorem

Yearly Examination

[Volume – 2] Ch-3:- Proportional Reasoning – 2

Ch-4:- Exploring some Geometric Themes

Ch-5:- Tales by Dots and Lines

Ch-6:- Algebra Play

Ch-7:- Area

(Including the Periodic I and Ch – 1, 2, 4 and 5 from Volume I)

Science

I Periodic Test

Ch – 1:- Exploring the investigative World of Science

Ch – 4:- Electricity: Magnetic and Heating Effects

ACTIVITY:- To determine the north and south poles of an electromagnet using a magnetic compass.

Ch – 7:- Particular Nature of Matter

ACTIVITY:- To demonstrate that the gases have no definite shape and volume.

Half Yearly Examination

Ch – 2:- The invisible Living World: Beyond Our Naked Eye

ACTIVITY:- To observe microorganisms in soil suspension

Ch – 5:- Exploring Forces

ACTIVITY:- To measure the weight and mass of different objects using a spring balance.

Ch – 6:- Pressure, Winds, Storms and Cyclones

ACTIVITY:- To show that air moves from a region of higher pressure to a region of lower pressure.

Ch – 8:- Nature of Matter: Elements, Compounds and Mixtures

ACTIVITY:- To demonstrate that water is composed of two different elements – hydrogen and oxygen.

(Including the Syllabus of I Periodic Test)

II Periodic Test

Ch – 3:- Health: The Ultimate Treasure

Ch – 9:- The Amazing World of Solutes, Solvents and Solutions

ACTIVITY:-To measure the mass of a solid object with the help of a digital weighing balance.

Ch – 10:- Light: Mirror and Lenses

ACTIVITY:- To verify the two laws of reflection

Yearly Examination

Ch – 11:- Keeping Time with the Skies

ACTIVITY:- To understand how the phases of two moon occur using a simple model of the Earth, Moon and Sun.

Ch – 12:- How Nature Works in Harmony

Ch – 13:- Our Home: Earth, a Unique Life Sustaining Planet

ACTIVITY:- To study vegetative reproduction in plants.

(Including the all Syllabus)

Social Studies

I Periodic Test

Geography – Ch – 1:- Natural Resources: Concept and uses

Map Work: Ch – 1 to 16. (From page 8 to 35)

History – Ch – 2:- Political Changes between 11th and 17th centuries

Half Yearly Examination

History – Ch – 3:- The Rise of the Marathas: Awakening of India

Map Work: Ch – 47

Ch – 4:- Colonial Rule: The Age of Expansion and
Exploitation

Map Work: Ch – 45, 46 (From page 74 to 77)

Civics – Ch – 5:- Universal Franchise: Backbone of India's
Electoral system

Ch – 6:- The Parliamentary system: Legislature
and Executive

Economics – Ch – 7:- Factors Determining the production

संस्कृत

प्रथम अंतराल परीक्षा

पाठ्यपुस्तक (शाश्वत संस्कृतम्): पाठ – 1, 2, 3

संस्कृत व्याकरण: संख्याशब्दाः (1 से 30 तक), शब्दरूप, धातुरूप, विशेषणानि,
पर्याय - विपर्यय शब्दाः

अर्धवार्षिक परीक्षा

पाठ्यपुस्तक (शाश्वत संस्कृतम्): पाठ – 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

संस्कृत व्याकरण: संख्यानाम् (31 से 50 तक), शब्दरूप, धातुरूप, प्रत्ययाः,
उपपदविभक्तयः, संस्कृत शब्दकोशः (दैनिक प्रयोगशब्दावली), पत्र, अनुच्छेद,
अपठित अवबोधनम्, संधि

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द्वितीय अंतराल परीक्षा

पाठ्यपुस्तक (शाश्वत संस्कृतम्): पाठ – 10, 11, 12

संस्कृत व्याकरण: संख्यानाम् (51 से 70 तक), शब्दरूप, धातुरूप, विपर्याय -
पर्याय, संस्कृत शब्दकोशः (दैनिक व्यवहार वचनानि)

वार्षिक परीक्षा

पाठ्यपुस्तक (शाश्वत संस्कृतम्): पाठ – 13, 14, 15, 16

संस्कृत व्याकरण: संख्यानाम् (71 से 100 तक), शब्द रूपाणि, धातु रूपाणि, चित्रवर्णनम्, संस्कृत-शब्दकोश: (दैनिक प्रयोग वस्तूनि), पत्र, अनुच्छेद, अपठित गद्यांश, अभ्यास प्रश्नपत्रम् - 1, अभ्यास प्रश्नपत्रम् - 2

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I Periodic Test

Lesson:- 1 to 10 + Current affairs

Half Yearly Examination

Lesson:-11 to 26 + Current affairs

(Including the Syllabus of I Periodic Test)

II Periodic Test

Lesson:-27 to 36 + Current affairs

Yearly Examination

Lesson:-37 to 52 + Current affairs

(Including the Syllabus of II Periodic Test)

Computer

I Periodic Test

Ch – 1:- More on MS – Excel 2010

Ch – 2:- Working with Charts in MS – Excel 2010

Ch – 9:- Internet Application

Half Yearly Examination

Ch – 3:- More on HTML

Ch – 4:- MS – Access

Ch – 5:- Working with MS – Access

(Including the Syllabus of I Periodic Test)

II Periodic Test

Ch – 6:- More on Flash 8

Ch – 7:- Animation in Flash 8

Ch – 8:- Networking and Communication Through Internet

Yearly Examination

Ch – 10:- Adobe Photoshop CS6

Ch – 11:- Working with Image Using Photoshop

Ch – 12:- Introduction to Visual Basic 2008

(Including the Syllabus of II Periodic Test)

Drawing

I Periodic Test

Drawing and Art Activity:- Page No. – 5 to 21

Activity:- (i) Different types of flowers and 3D flowers.
(ii) Wall decorative item or hanging.

Half Yearly Examination

Drawing and Art Activity:- Page No. – 22 to 42

Activity:- (i) Tricolour activity or hanging
(ii) Diwali activity

II Periodic Test

Drawing and Art Activity:- Page No. – 43 to 64

Activity:- (i) Clay (iii) Design
(ii) Photoframe

Yearly Examination

Drawing and Art Activity:- Page No. – 65 to 80

Activity:- (i) Paper Plate or Cake base activity
(ii) Cardboard activity

Academic Calendar 2026-2027

Months	Events	Public Holidays
April		3/04/2026 – Good Friday 14/04/2026 – Ambedkar Jayanti
May	09/05/2026 – PTM	01/05/2026 – Buddha Purnima
June		Summer Holidays
July	11/07/2026 – PTM <u>Periodic Test- I</u> 13/07/2026 to 21/07/2026	
August	08/08/2026 – PTM (Rakshabandhan Celebration) (Independence Day Celebration)	15/08/2026 – Independence Day 26/08/2026 – Milad-UI-Nabi 28/08/2026 – Raksha Bandhan
September	12/09/2026 – PTM (Teacher’s Day Celebration) (Janmashtami Celebration) (Dusshera Activity) <u>Half Yearly Exam</u> 14/09/2026 to 01/10/2026	04/09/2026 – Janmashtami
October	10/10/2026 – PTM	02/10/2026 – Gandhi Jayanti 18/10/2026 – 20/10/2026 (Dusshera Holidays) 26/10/2026 – Valmiki Jayanti 29/10/2026 – Karva Chauth
November	14/11/2026 – PTM <u>Periodic test - II</u> 23/11/2026 to 02/12/2026	07/11/2026 to 11/11/2026 Deepawali Holidays 15/11/2026 – Chhat Pooja 24/11/2026 – Guru Tegh Bahadur Martyrdom Day
December	12/12/2026 - PTM (Christmas Celebration)	25/12/2026 – Christmas Day
January	16/01/2027 – PTM (Republic Day Celebration)	01/01/2027 to 10/01/2027 (Winter Break) 26/01/2027 – Republic Day
February	13/02/2027 – PTM <u>Final Term Exam</u> 20/02/2027 to 14/03/2027	
March	25/03/2027 - Result declaration	06/03/2027 – Mahashivratri 10/03/2027 – Eid – ul – Adha 22/03/2027 – Holi

Note:- Above dates are tentative