

Class-VIII
SUBJECT-ENGLISH
Term 2
Session 2021-22
SYLLABUS

1. Reading Skills

- Reading Comprehension of unseen passage with short answer type questions

2. My English Companion

L- 7 The Punjab: A Glimpse

L-9 Charge for Love

L-10 Safety while Driving

L-12 Marco Polo

3. Poems

P-3 We who Love Books

P-4 My Dear Soldiers

4. Translation (41-80)

5. Vocabulary and Grammar from the above mentioned chapters

6. Writing Section

I. Paragraphs

1. A School Picnic
2. Our School Library
3. An Indian Farmer
4. The Little Boy of the story 'Charge for Love'

II. Stories

1. Destiny of a Donkey(**Appendix III, Teachers' Resources**)
2. The Moneylender and his Purse(**Appendix III, Teachers' Resources**)

III. Newspaper Headlines

All the newspaper headlines given in Appendix III, Teachers' Resources.

IV. Dialogue Writing

1. Inviting friend for dinner(**My English Companion, Page No. 111**)
2. Declining the invitation(**My English Companion, Page No. 111**)

V. Letter Writing

1. Write a letter to your younger brother congratulating him on his brilliant success.
2. Write a letter to your friend telling him/her all about an animal/a bird. You must also write why human beings should try to protect birds and animals from getting hunted by poachers.
3. Suppose you are Manjul. You live at 1806, 34D Chandigarh. Write a letter to your uncle requesting him to buy you a bicycle on your birthday.**(Appendix III, Teachers' Resources)**
4. Suppose you are Arnav. You live at 8, Lodhi Road Complex near JawaharLal Nehru Stadium, New Delhi. Your friend Niranjana has met with an accident. Write a letter to your friend to enquire about his condition.**(Appendix III, Teachers' Resources)**
5. Write a letter to your cousin to tell him about the new mobile phone that you are going to buy.**(Appendix III, Teachers' Resources)**

CLASS VIII (Session 2021-22)
ENGLISH (Term II)
STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER

Time : 2 hours

Question No.	Contents	Maximum Marks (40)
Section A (Reading Comprehension)		
1.	(a) Unseen Passage Comprehension	(5qx1m=5 Marks)
Section B (My English Companion)		
2.	Attempt 2 out of 4 Questions from (i) The Punjab-A Glimpse (ii) Charge for Love (iii) Safety while Driving (iv) Marco Polo	(2qx2m=4 Marks)
3.	Meanings of Words from English to Punjabi/Hindi	(2 Marks)
4.	(a) Back Exercises from Chapters (Any one out of these) True/False Fill in the blanks	(2 Marks)
	(b) Questions based on Poems (1out of 2) (i) We Who Love Books (ii) My Dear Soldiers	(1qx2m=2 Marks)
5.	Make sentences (2 out of 4)	2qx1m=2 Marks)
Section C (Vocabulary)		
6.	Any 2 out of these: Antonyms Synonyms Idioms Formation of Adverbs from Adjectives	2qx1m=2 Marks)
Section D (Translation, Grammar and Composition)		
7.	(a) Translation from English to Punjabi/Hindi (41-80) (Any 2 out of 3)	2qx1m=2 Marks)
	(b) Translation from Punjabi/Hindi to English(41-80) (Any 2 out of 3)	2qx1m=2 Marks)
8.	Grammar (Do as directed) Subject-Verb Agreement Use of Tenses Voice	3qx1m=3 Marks)
9.	(a)Paragraph Writing or Story Writing (b)Personal Letters (with internal choice) (c) Newspaper Headlines or Dialogue writing	(4 Marks) (5 Marks) (3Marks)
10.	Marks for Good Handwriting	(2 Marks)

Listening and Speaking Skills Based Practical Exam -10 marks

Listening-6

Speaking-4