

HOLY CROSS SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOLBHOPAL

VIII- ENGLISH

ANNUAL SYLLABUS 2026-27

NO.	MONTH	NO. OF DAYS	BOOK	TOPIC	TEACHING METHODS	COMPLETION DATE	SIGNATURE
1	April (23) PTI Term I	6 7	New Pathways Literature	Unit 1 Section 1 My Big Brother Section 2 Thank You Ma'am	*Focus on thoroughness *Lecture method *Interactive reading *Thematic Discussion		
2	April PT I Term I	3 3 1	Grammar	Ch. 1 Pronouns Ch 3. Determiners Synonyms Antonyms	*Problem solving method *Illustration *Repetition * Discussion		
3	April Term I	3	Writing	Informal letter	*Format with examples. *Practicing contractions		
4	June (12) Term I	3	New Pathways Literature	Unit I Section 3 It Was Long Ago.	*Experiential methods *Discussion method		
5	June Term I		Grammar Lesson 22				

		2 2 1 1 1	Vocabulary Ch. 23. Word Building Ch. 24 Idiomatic Expressions	1.Homophones 2. Homonyms 3.Formation of Verbs from Nouns 4 Formation of Verbs from Adjectives 5. Idiomatic Expressions	*Pairing words * Visual aids * Using pictures * Storyboards *Illustration *AV aids *Pair work Discussion methods * Improvising old thoughts. * Role plays		
6.	June Term I	2	Writing	Story Writing	*Pre writing and brainstorming * Format illustration		
7.	July (27) Term I	7 7	New Pathways Literature Unit 3 Section 1 Unit 3 Section 2	Pocahontas. The Diary of A Young Girl	*Lecture method *Inquiry based learning. Discussion		
8	July Term I	5 7	Grammar Ch. 6 Ch. 7	Modal Verbs S.V Agreement	*Role -playing method *Contextualised Scenarios *Interactive sorting and matching		

					* Sentence construction		
9	August (23) Term I	2	New Pathways Literature Unit 3 Section 3	Song Of Freedom	*Coral recitation *Analysis of imagery.		
10	August Term I	9	Grammar Lesson 8,9,10	Tenses	*Explanation method *Experiential method		
		9	Ch. 19	Active and Passive Voice	*Role Play.		
		1	Ch. 22	Collection words	*Story writing method		
11	August Term I	2	Writing	Notice Writing	*Format based Practice		
12	September (10)	10	Revision and doubt clearing sessions. For TERM I exam				
13	October (22) PT II Term II	8	New Pathways Literature Unit 5 Section 1	The Watery Place	Plot and theme discussion. Activity		
		8	Section 2	Feathered Friend	*Story mapping and analysis * Dramatic reading		

14	October PTII Term II	3	Grammar Ch. 11	Prepositions	*Demonstrati on method *Action based Learning		
15	October Term II	2	Writing	Formal Letter	*Formats based and practice		
16	November (20) Term II	3	New Pathways Literature Unit 5 Section 3	The Inventor	*Short talk on inventions * Recitation *Poem analysis		
17	November PTII Term II Term II	6 2. 2 2 2 3	Grammar Ch. 15 Ch. 22 Ch. 8, 9,10	Conjunctions Synonyms Antonyms Homophones Homonyms. Tenses	*Error correction *Conjunctions sentence sort *Repetition * Discussion *Pairing words * Visual aids * Using pictures * Storyboards		
18	December (25)	6	Revision and PT II				
19	December Term II	8	New Pathways Literature Unit 6 Section 1	The Boy Who Was Caught	*Experiential methods *Discussion method		

20	December Term II	8	Grammar Ch. 20	Direct and Indirect Speech	*Interactive dialogue exercise *Role play *Real world contexts.		
21	December Term II	2	Writing	Diary Entry	*Format understandin g *Practicing exercises		
22	January (24) Term II	7	New Pathways Literature Unit 6 Section 2	Macbeth	*Tracking themes *Physicalize characters		
		3	Section 3	Abandoned Farmhouse	*Visual and inquiry based introduction *Thematic exploration		
23	January Term II	1	Grammar Ch. 22	Collection words	*Spaced repetition		
		2	Ch. 23	Word building	*Visual mapping *Practicing		
24	January Term II	2	Writing	Idioms	* Improvising old thoughts. * Role play		
25	January	7	Revision for Term II				
26	February			Term-2 Exam			

CLASS (viii हिंदी)**ACADEMIC PLAN(2026-27)**

Month	Topic	No. of Days	Teaching Methods	Completion	Signature
अप्रैल -22	पाठ -1 स्वदेश	6	प्रस्तावना कौशल		
	पाठ -2 दो गौरैया	6	दृष्टांत कौशल		
	उपसर्ग	3	व्याख्या कौशल		
	प्रत्यय	3			
	समास	4			
जून -12	भाषा बोली लिपि और व्याकरण	2	प्रस्तावना कौशल		
		2	दृष्टांत कौशल		
	वर्ण विचार और उच्चारण स्थान		व्याख्या कौशल		
	संधि	2			
	शब्द विचार	2			
	रचनात्मक लेखन (अनुच्छेद -लेखन पत्र)	8			
जुलाई -26	पाठ -3 एक आशीर्वाद	5	प्रस्तावना कौशल		
	पाठ -4 हरिद्वार	5	दृष्टांत कौशल		
	पाठ -5 कबीर के दोहे	5	व्याख्या कौशल		
	संज्ञा ,सर्वनाम ,विशेषण	6			
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	पुनरावृत्ति				
अगस्त -23	पाठ -6 एक टोकरी भर मिट्टी	4	प्रस्तावना कौशल		
			दृष्टांत कौशल		
	क्रिया ,काल, क्रिया विशेषण	2	व्याख्या कौशल		
		2			

	संबंध बोधक रचनात्मक लेखन- (सूचना लेखन- ईमेल लेखन) पुनरावृत्ति	6 5			
सितंबर- 03	पुनरावृत्ति	3	प्रश्न कौशल		
अक्टूबर- 10	पाठ7 -मत बांधो पर्यायवाची ,अनेकार्थक विलोम शब्द श्रुतिसमभिन्नार्थक एकार्थक प्रतीत होने वाले शब्द, अनेक शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द	4 6	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
नवंबर-20	पाठ -8 नए मेहमान पाठ -9 आदमी का अनुपात पाठ -10 तरुण की स्वप्न समुच्चयबोधक , विस्मयादिबोधक , निपात	5 5 5 5	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
दिसंबर -23	पद परिचय वाक्य विचार, पद उपवाक्य एवं वाक्य भेद वाच्य वाक्य परिवर्तन और संश्लेषण विराम चिन्ह	3 3 3 3 4 3 4	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		

	अलंकार				
जनवरी-20	रचनात्मक लेखन (विज्ञापन लेखन संदेश लेखन पत्र लेखन अनुच्छेद लेखन) पुनरावृत्ति	12 8	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		

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VIII- MATHEMATICS

ANNUAL SYLLABUS 2026-27

S.N O.	MONTH	NO. OF DAY S	BOOK	TOPIC	TEACHING METHODS	COMP LETIO N DATE	SIG NAT UR E
1	April	12	Part-1	Ch-1 A Square and a Cube	Explanation, Discovery Method: Use dot grids and unit squares to "build" squares and cubes physically.		
2	April	10	Part-1	Ch-2 Power Play	Explanation, Discussion, Inquiry-based: Paper folding activity to visualize exponential		

					growth (2, 4, 8, 16 layers).		
3	June	6	Part-1	Ch-3 A Story of Numbers	Discuss the evolution of numbers from ancient systems to modern Rational Numbers.		
4	June +July	12	Part-1	Ch-4 Quadrilaterals	Hands-on Activity: Use sticks or paper cut-outs to explore properties of special quadrilaterals like Rectangles, Squares, parallelograms, Kites and Rhombuses.		
5	July PT_1 ch-1,2,3	10	Part-1	Ch -5 Number Play	Inductive Reasoning		
6	August	12	Part-1	Ch -6 We Distribute, yet things Multiply	Visual Algebra: Use Area Models (rectangles) to explain the Distributive Property and Identities.		
7	August	10	Part-1	Ch - 7 Proportional Reasoning-1	Explanation ,Discussion , comparison & Ratio.		
8	September Revision for Term-1+ Term _1 Exam	22	Part-1	Ch_1 to 7	Recalling, worksheets, Doubt clearing		
9	October	12	Part-2	Ch- 1 Fractions in Disguise	Explanation, Learning through Real life examples.		
10	October	8	Part-2	Ch-2 The Baudhayana Pythagoras Theorem	Explanation, Experiential learning :verification by area		
11	November	8	Part-2	Ch- 3 Proportional Reasoning-2	Explanation, Discussion,		

					Direct and inverse proportion through real life examples.		
12	November	12	Part-2	Ch -4 Exploring Some Geometric Themes	Explanation, Discussion ,Demonstration.		
13	December PT_2 Ch-1,2,3	10	Part-2	Ch- 5 Tales by Dots and Lines	Explanation ,Comparison, Observation ,representation of Data,Real life examples.		
14	January	8	Part-2	Ch -6 Algebra Play	Activity based learning, Demonstration method		
15	January	10	Part-2	Ch-7 Area	Explanation ,Decomposition method ,Problem solving method,		
17	January +February Term-2 Exam		Part-2	Revision ch _ 1 to 7 + Term_2 Examination	Recalling ,worksheets, Doubt clearing		

CLASS – VIII Science Academic Plan (2026-27)

Month	Topic	No. of Days	Teaching Methods	Completion	Signature
APRIL	Ch.1 - Exploring the Investigative World of Science	6	Explanation Discussion		

	Ch.2 - The Invisible Living world: Beyond Our Naked Eye	9	Mind maps Demonstration Brain storming		
JUNE	Ch.3 - Health: The Ultimate Treasure	6	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Demonstration Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
JULY + PT-1 EXAM (Ch: 1, 2, 3)	Ch.4 - Electricity: Magnetic and Heating effects Ch.5 - Exploring Forces REVISION for PT-1	10 10 6	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Lab Activities Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
AUGUST	Ch.6 - Pressure, Winds, Storms and Cyclones Ch.7 - Particulate Nature of Matter	10 13	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		

SEPTEMBER + TERM-1 Exam (Ch: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)	REVISION for Term-1 exam	6	Discussion Student Teacher interaction Doubt Clearing and Class Assessment		
OCTOBER	Ch.8 - Nature of Matter: Elements, Compounds and Mixtures	8	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Lab Activities Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
NOVEMBER	Ch.9 - The Amazing world of Solutes, Solvents, and Solutions Ch.10 - Light: Mirrors and Lenses REVISION for PT-2	7 7 6	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Lab Activities Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
DECEMBER + PT-2 EXAM (Ch: 8, 9, 10)	Ch.11 - Keeping Time with Skies Ch.12 - How nature works on Harmony	11 12	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Demonstratio n		

			Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
JANUARY	Ch.13 - Our Home: Earth, a Unique life Sustaining Planet	15	Explanation Discussion Mind maps Demonstratio n Brain storming Student Teacher interaction		
JANUARY + FEBRUARY Term-2 Exam (Ch: 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13)	Revision for Term-2 Exam	19	Discussion Student Teacher interaction Doubt Clearing and Class Assessment		

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VIII- SOCIAL SCIENCE

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N O.	MONTH	NO. OF DAYS	BOOK	TOPIC	TEACHING METHODS	COMPLETION DATE	SIGNATURE
1	April (22)	10	Part-1	Natural Resources And Their Use	* Recall * Illustration * Identification * Observation * Discussion * Exploration		
2	April	12	Part-1	Reshaping India's Political Map	* Comparison * Visualization * Analysis * Question/Answer * Interpretation		
3	June (12)	6	Part-1	Universal Franchise And India's Electoral System (Project Based)	* Discussion * Experiential Learning * Question/Answer * Explanation		
4	July (27)	10	Part-1	The Parliamentary System: Legislature and Executive	* Recall * Analysis * Question/Answer * Exploration * Comparison * Recapitulation		
5	July	10	Part 1	Factors Of Production	* Interaction * Illustration * Discussion * Real life relate * Exploration		
6	July	7	Part-1	Revision + PA-1	* Doubt Session * Question/Answer * Mind Mapping * Recapitulation		
7	August (23)	8	Part-1	The Rise Of The Marathas	* Presentation * Comparison * Question/Answer * Observation * Interpretation		
8	August	8	Part-1	The Colonial Era in India	* Visualization * Analysis		

					* Discussion * Explanation * Research		
9	August	7	Part-1	Revision for Term-1	Practice and mind mapping		
14	September (10)	10	Part-1	Revision for Term-1 Activity Exam	Spaced repetition Visual mapping Practicing		

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ACADEMICPLAN

(2026-27)

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अप्रैल-	प्रथम पाठ:- संगच्छध्वं संवदध्वम् द्वितीय पाठ:- अल्पानामपि वास्तुनां संहतिः कार्यसाधिका व्याकरण- संस्कृत वर्णमाला एवं उच्चारण स्थान	4 4 3	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
जून-	तृतीय पाठ:- सुभाषितरसं पीत्वा जीवनं सफलं कुरु	3	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		

	वर्ण संयोजन एवं वर्ण विन्यास	3			
जुलाई-	चतुर्थ पाठ:- प्राणम्यो देशभक्तोऽयं गोपबन्धुर्महामनाः पंचम पाठः गीता सुगीता कर्तव्या व्याकरण- संधि अनुच्छेद -लेखन पत्र लेखन	4 4 4 4	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
अगस्त-	व्याकरण- षष्ठः पाठः डिजीभारतम् - युगपरिवर्तनम् व्याकरण शब्द रूप -धातु रूप अव्यय ,पर्यायवाची विपर्याय चित्र वर्णन , वार्तालाप पुनरावृत्ति	4 10	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
सितंबर -	पुनरावृत्ति	3	प्रश्न कौशल		
अक्टूबर-	सप्तम पाठ:- मञ्जुलमञ्जूषा सुन्दर सुरभाषा अष्टम पाठ:-पश्यत कोणमैशान्यं भारतस्य मनोहरम्	3 3 3	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		

	नवम पाठः-- कोऽरुक्? कोऽरुक् ? कोऽरुक्? शब्द रूप धातु रूप	4			
नवंबर-	दशम पाठः- सन्निमित्ते वरं त्यागः (क-भाग) एकादश पाठः- सन्निमित्ते वरं त्यागः (ख-भाग) अव्यय -प्रत्यय पर्याय - विपर्याय	3 3 4	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
दिसंबर-	द्वादश पाठः-सम्यग्वर्ण प्रयोगेण ब्रह्मलोके महीयते (व्याकरण) अनुवाद, चित्र वर्णन, पत्र लेखन अनुच्छेद लेखन	3 8	प्रस्तावना कौशल दृष्टांत कौशल व्याख्या कौशल		
जनवरी-	पुनरावृत्ति				

