

QUEEN MARY'S SCHOOL,NORTHEND

Class VIII

MONTH WISE SYLLABUS

SESSION 2025-26

ENGLISH

PRESCRIBED BOOKS:

WOW ENGLISH COURSEBOOK

WOW GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION

NEW RADIANT READERS (S.R.)

APRIL & MAY

LITERATURE

Unit-1 CARE AND CONCERN

Section-1 Being Neighbourly

Section-2 Mending Walls (Poem)

GRAMMAR - Determiners: Part- 1 Determiners- 2 Quantifiers, Prepositions

WRITING - Story Writing, Notice (Events)

Supplementary Reader - Ch-1 The Man of the Island

JULY

LITERATURE

Unit-2 NATURE

Section-2 Daffodils (Poem)

Unit-3 HUMOUR

Section-1 Uncle Podger Hangs a Picture

GRAMMAR - Subject Verb Agreement, Tenses (Revision)

WRITING- Informal Letter, Descriptive Paragraph on objects and person.

Supplementary Reader - Ch-3 A Famous Writer

AUGUST

LITERATURE

Unit-4 FANTASY

Section-1 The Walrus and the Carpenter

Unit-5 MYSTERY

Section-1 The Blue Carbuncle

GRAMMAR – Active and Passive Voice

WRITING – Diary Entry

Supplementary Reader - Ch-7 The Fire in the Stable

SEPTEMBER

LITERATURE

Unit-6 COURAGE

Section-1 The Saviours

REVISION

OCTOBER

LITERATURE

Unit-7 INSPIRING PEOPLE

Section-2 A Nation's Strength

(Poem)

GRAMMAR – Modals: Part-1, Modals: Part- 2

WRITING – Formal Letter

NOVEMBER

LITERATURE-

Unit-8 FLAWS AND FOLLIES

Section-1 Mrs Packletide's Tiger

GRAMMAR – Reported Speech (Statements)

WRITING – Story Writing

Supplementary Reader - Ch-11 Lord Ullin's Daughter (Poem)

DECEMBER

LITERATURE-

Unit-8 FLAWS AND FOLLIES

Section- 2 Ozymandias(Poem)

GRAMMAR – Reported Speech (Questions and Imperatives)

WRITING- Formal Letter

Supplementary Reader – Ch-15 Recollections of Early Childhood

JANUARY

LITERATURE-

UNIT-10 TRAVEL

Section-1 The Rime of the Ancient
Mariner(Ballad)

GRAMMAR- Conjunctions

WRITING – Diary Entry

Supplementary Reader - Ch-14 Leisure (Poem)

FEBRUARY-REVISION

Hindi

PRESCRIBED BOOKS:-

1.हिंदी वसंत भाग -3

2.सदाबहार कहानियाँ -भाग 8

3.व्याकरण सुधा 8

अप्रैल:-

वसंत :-पाठ 1:-लाख की चूड़ियाँ

पाठ 3- दीवानों की हस्ती

सदाबहार कहानियाँ-

पाठ 3:- वह पत्ता न टूटा

व्याकरण :-

पाठ 12-पदबंध

समश्रुत भिन्नार्थक शब्द- 1 से 20

मुहावरे – 1 से 20

लेखन-

विज्ञापन लेखन (50 शब्दों में)

मई :-

व्याकरण-

विलोम शब्द:- पृष्ठ संख्या :- 38

लेखन-चित्र वर्णन (20-30 शब्दों में)

अपठित गद्यांश

औपचारिक पत्र लेखन

जुलाई :-

वसंत:-

पाठ 2- बस की यात्रा

सदाबहार कहानियाँ:-

पाठ 4:- जैसलमेर की राजकुमारी

व्याकरण-

पाठ 3: संधि (दीर्घ एवं गुण संधि)

वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द 1 से 20

लोकोक्तियाँ – 1-20

लेखन-

समसामयिक विषय पर अनुच्छेद, संवाद लेखन (50 शब्दों में),

अनौपचारिक पत्र लेखन। अपठित पद्यांश

अगस्त:-

वसंत पाठ 7:- कबीर की साखियाँ

सदाबहार कहानियाँ-

पाठ 5: स्वाभिमान

व्याकरण-

पाठ 5:- शब्द रचना: समास

अनेकार्थी शब्द -1 से 20

लेखन :-समसामयिक विषय पर अनुच्छेद लेखन ।

सितंबर :-

वसंत :-

पाठ 5-क्या निराश हुआ जाए

सदाबहार कहानियाँ-

पाठ 7:- आनंदमठ की ललकार

लेखन-

समसामयिक विषय पर अनुच्छेद।

संवाद लेखन (50 शब्दों में)

अक्टूबर:-

वसंत-

पाठ 10:- अकबरी लोटा

पाठ 11- सूर के पद

व्याकरण-

पाठ 7 – कारक

पाठ 15- वाक्य संबंधी अशुद्धि-शोधन

सनरूपी भिन्नार्थक शब्द – 21-40

लेखन

अपठित पद्यांश

नवंबर :-

वसंत:-

पाठ 13- बाज और साँप

सदाबहार कहानियाँ-

पाठ 11 :- घाट बाबू

व्याकरण-

लोकोक्तियाँ -21-25

पाठ 10-क्रिया (सरंचना के आधार पर)

पाठ 11:- क्रिया विशेषण

लेखन :-चित्र वर्णन

अपठित गद्यांश

दिसंबर :-

सदाबहार कहानियाँ :-

पाठ 12:- मूल्य

व्याकरण-

पाठ 13- वाक्य विचार

पाठ 14- विराम चिह्न

मुहावरे :-21-40

लेखन :-

अपठित गद्यांश एवं पद्यांश

औपचारिक एवं अनौपचारिक पत्र लेखन

जनवरी :-

समस्त पाठ्यक्रम की पुनरावृत्ति

MATHEMATICS
TEXTBOOK PRESCRIBED: NEW ENJOYING

MONTHS	CHAPTERS
April	Ch 1: Rational Numbers
May	Ch 2: Exponents
July	Ch 13: Understanding Quadrilaterals Ch 3: Squares and Square roots
August	Ch 18 :Tabulation of Data and its Representation Ch 9: Linear Equations in one variable
September	Ch 4: Cubes and Cube Roots
October	Ch 7: Algebraic Expressions and Identities
November	Ch 8: Factorisation Ch 10: Applications of Percentage
December	Ch 11: Simple and Compound Interest Ch 16: Area of Polygons
January	Ch 17: Surface area and Volume Ch 19: Introduction to Line graphs Ch 12: Direct and Inverse Variations

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Prescribed book - Revised edition - Landmark Integrated Social Sciences

Month	Chapter
April	Chapter 1 : (History) - What, How and When (Activity based chapter) Chapter 2 : (History) - The Expansion of British power in India Chapter 14 : (Geography) - Resources Chapter 24 : (Civics) - The Indian Constitution and the Need for Laws
May	Chapter 3 : (History) - Rural Life and Society (Activity based chapter) Chapter 15 : (Geography) - Natural Resources - Land, Soil and Water Chapter 16 : (Geography) - Natural Resources - Natural vegetation and wildlife Chapter 25 : (Civics) - Vision of the Indian Constitution
July	Chapter 4 : (History) - Colonialism and tribal societies Chapter 5 : (History) - Crafts and Industries Chapter 17: (Geography) - Natural Resources - Mineral and Power Resources Chapter 26: (Civics) - Government at the Centre
August	Chapter 6 : (History) - The Revolt of 1857 Chapter 27 : (Civics) - The Making of Laws Chapter 28 : (Civics) - The Judiciary
September	Revision
October	Chapter 7 : (History) - Education and British rule Chapter 8 : (History) - Women and Reform (Activity based chapter) Chapter 18 : (Geography) - Agriculture Chapter 20 : (Geography) - India and the World - Case Studies (Activity based chapter)

November	Chapter 9 : (History) - Challenging the Caste System Chapter 10 : (History) - Colonialism and Urban change (Activity based chapter) Chapter 11 : (History) - Changes in the Arts (Activity based chapter) Chapter 19 : (Geography) - Industries Chapter 29 : (Civics) - Role of the Police and the Courts
December	Chapter 12 : (History) - The Nationalist Movement Chapter 21 : (Geography) - Human Resources Chapter 22 : (Geography) - What is Disaster Management? (Activity based chapter) Chapter 30 : (Civics) - Social Justice and the Marginalized
January	Chapter 13 : (History) - India after Independence Chapter 31 : (Civics) - Forms of Untouchability (Activity based chapter) Chapter 32 : (Civics) - Economic presence of the government Chapter 23 : (Geography) - Natural and Man - made Disasters (Activity based chapter)
February	Revision

SCIENCE

SUBJECT: PHYSICS

Month	Chapter
<u>APRIL</u>	Ch-8 Force and Pressure
<u>MAY</u>	Ch-9 Friction
<u>JULY</u>	Ch-13 Reflection of Light
<u>AUGUST</u>	Ch-14 Refraction and Dispersion of Light

<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	Revision
<u>OCTOBER</u>	Ch-10 Sound
<u>NOVEMBER</u>	Ch-10 Sound (continued)
<u>DECEMBER</u>	Ch-11 Some Natural Phenomena (Introduction)
<u>JANUARY</u>	Ch-11 Some natural phenomena(continued)
<u>FEBRUARY</u>	Revision

CHEMISTRY

Month	Chapter
<u>APRIL</u>	Ch-12 Chemical effects of Electric current
<u>MAY</u>	Ch-12. Chemical effects of Electric current(continued)
<u>JULY</u>	Ch-12. Chemical effects of Electric current(continued)
<u>AUGUST</u>	Ch-12. Chemical effects of Electric current(continued)

<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	Revision
<u>OCTOBER</u>	Ch-3 Coal and Petroleum
Coal and Petroleum	Ch-3 Coal and Petroleum(continued)
<u>DECEMBER</u>	Ch-4. Combustion and Flame
<u>JANUARY</u>	Ch-4. Combustion and Flame (continued)
<u>FEBRUARY</u>	Revision

BIOLOGY

Month	Chapter
<u>APRIL</u>	Ch-5 Conservation of Plants and Animals
<u>MAY</u>	Ch-1 Crop production
<u>JULY</u>	Ch-1 Crop production (contd.)
<u>AUGUST</u>	Ch-2 Microorganisms

<u>SEPTEMBER</u>	Ch-2 Microorganisms (contd.)
<u>OCTOBER</u>	Ch-6 Reproduction
<u>NOVEMBER</u>	Ch-7 Reaching the age of adolescence(Intro)
<u>DECEMBER</u>	Ch-7 Reaching the age of adolescence (continued)
<u>JANUARY</u>	Revision

SANSKRIT

पाठ्य पुस्तकें

- 1) रुचिरा (तृतीयो भागः) **NCERT**
- 2) दिव्यम् संस्कृत व्याकरणम् (भाग-3)
- 3) रुचिरा कार्यपुस्तिकया

APRIL

रुचिरा :

- 1) सुभाषितानि,
 - 2) बिलस्य वाणी न कदापि मे श्रुता
- व्याकरणम् : अपठित अवबोधनम्, अनुच्छेदलेखन, वर्ण विचारः, कारक उपपद विभक्तयः च।

MAY

रुचिरा:

- 3) डिजीभारतम्
 - 4) सदैव पुरतो निधेहि चरणम् ।
- व्याकरणम् सन्धिः, संवादाः, चित्रवर्णनम्।

JULY

रुचिरा:

5) कण्टकेनैव कण्टकम्

6) गृहं शून्यं सुतां विना।

व्याकरणम् - लिंगनिर्धारणम्, संख्यावाचीशब्दाः, शब्दरूपाणि।

AUGUST

रुचिरा:

7) भारतजनताऽहम्

8) संसारसागरस्य नायकाः

9) सप्तभग्न्या

व्याकरणम् - धातुरूपाणि, समयलेखनम् ।

SEPTEMBER

रुचिरा:

10) नीति नवनीतम्

व्याकरणम् : पुनरावृत्ति

OCTOBER

रुचिरा:

11) सावित्री बाई फूले

12) कः रक्षति कः रक्षितः

व्याकरणम् - समास परिचय, अशुद्धि संशोधन, पत्रलेखनम् ।

NOVEMBER

रुचिरा:

13) क्षितौ राजते भारतस्वर्णभूमिः

14) आर्यभटः

व्याकरणम् - प्रत्ययाः, संवादाः, वाच्यपरिवर्तनम् ।

DECEMBER

रुचिरा:

15) प्रहेलिका: (केवल पढ़ने के लिए)

व्याकरणम् - अनुच्छेदलेखनम्, अपठित अवबोधनम् ।

JANUARY

पुनरावृत्ति

FRENCH

MONTH	CHAPTER
APRIL	Leçon 0. Connaissez-vous la France? Leçon 1. La lettre de Valérie
MAY	Leçon 2. Joyeux anniversaire Paul!
JULY	Leçon 3. C'est ma ville. Leçon 4. Une journée dans la vie de mes parents
AUGUST	Leçon 5. Mon argent de poche
SEPTEMBER	Revision
OCTOBER	Leçon 6. Les loisirs de Nathalie
NOVEMBER	Leçon 7. Range ta chambre! Leçon 8. Où allez -vous?
DECEMBER	Leçon 9. Hier, j'ai....
JANUARY	Leçon 10. Pendant les vacances.

SPORTS (PHYSICAL EDUCATION)

Warming Up - Slow Jogging (5 min.) in Sports Field, Stretching exercises Head to Toe for warming up their muscles.

March Past - All students will form a straight line according to their heights and will do on-the-spot marching and then they will start Forward March with a Drum beat.

Games/Sports

April-May-

Games: Handling and passing the ball (Basketball), Handball, Aerobics

March Past: Turns

July

Athletics: Running event

Games: Throwball

Yoga: Asanas

Mass PT

August

Games: Blocking and Serving (Volleyball)

Yoga: Asanas

March Past

September

Athletics: Jumping events

Aerobics

Yoga: Asanas

March Past

October

Games: Intercepting and Tackling (Football)

Yoga: Asanas

Mass PT

November/ December

Games: Handling and Serving (Volleyball)

Yoga: Asanas

Mass PT

January

Games: Basic skills of Kho-Kho

Yoga: Asanas

Mass PT

February

Revision

COMPUTER

PRESCRIBED BOOK: NEURO KODE BY YEP PUBLICATIONS

MONTH	UNIT
April	UNIT 1: COMPUTER NETWORK
May	CONT...UNIT 1: COMPUTER NETWORK
June	Summer Break
July	UNIT 2: MS ACCESS INSIGHTS
August	UNIT 3: ITERATIVE STATEMENTS IN PYTHON
September	UNIT 4: INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE
October	UNIT 5: APP DEVELOPMENT WITH THUNKABLE
November	UNIT 7:CLOUD COMPUTING
December	UNIT 8: VIDEO EDITING WITH SHOTCUT
January	UNIT 6: INTRODUCTION TO ROBOTICS

Music

Theory

- Terms: Music,Pitch,Tempo,Crescendo,Diminuendo,Octaves,Scales, Dynamics, Staccato & Legato.
- The Coordinated Vocal Onset & Release.
- Vowel Differentiations
- Music Notations
- Major Scale

Practicals

- The Supported Singing Voice: Breath Management In Singing.
- Agility In Singing: Flexible Application of Breath Power.
- Resonant Voice
- Vowel Differentiations
- Resonance balancing through Consonants.
- Introduction to instruments: Keyboard,Percussion & Ukulele.

Month	Particulars	Song
April	Vocal folds and onsets Breath pacing and support <i>Appoggio and</i> phonation Chromatic scales Major scale Music Notation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Introduction to lines and space- Introduction to clef Vocalises	School Song National Anthem
May	Vowel formation and differentiation Mouth position for various vowels <i>Appoggio and</i> phonation Music Notation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Notes and values- Bars in Treble clef- Moving till fifth in solfège Vocalises	Hymn 1 Song 1

July	Music Notation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - # & b notes in notation - Key signature - Solfège till octave Breath management & Agility Resonance balancing.	Hymn 2 Song 2
August	Solfège on scales Breath management & Agility Resonance balancing	Presentation & Assessment
September	<u>MID TERM ASSESSMENT</u>	
October	Structure of a song Agility in singing Revisiting Music notation Vocalises	Hymn 3 Song 3
November	Introduction to Instruments Basics and parts of Instruments. Major scales Exercises. Vocalises	Instrumental Revisiting singing techniques
December	Onsets and Breathing Scales on Instruments	Carols
January	Instrumental Session Revision and Assessment	Presentation & Assessment
February	<u>FINAL TERM ASSESSMENT</u>	

Art syllabus

April and May

1. Basic Element of Art - Unit 1
2. Principles of Art- Unit 2
3. Pencil shading technique - Unit 3
4. Still life study - Unit 5
5. Earth Day Activity

July

1. Colouring Techniques - Unit 4
2. Nature Study- Unit 6.
3. Craft Activity

August

1. Human Anatomy- Unit 7
2. Raksha Bandhan Activity
3. Independence Day Activity.

September

1. Portrait Study - Unit 8
2. Life study - Unit 9
3. Teachers Day Activity

October

1. Caricatures- Unit 10
2. Folk Art
3. Diwali Activity

November

1. Calligraphy
2. Theory of artists- Unit 11
3. Abstract Art
4. Contemporary Indian Artists- Unit 12

December

1. Contemporary Western Artists- Unit-13
2. Christmas Activity

January

1. Sustainable development goal-Unit 14
2. New Year Activity

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

APRIL

UNIT-I EARTHSCAPE

1. Barren lands....
2. Journey from bean to mug
3. National parks in the world.

UNIT-II SPLENDID SCIENCE

4. India's space voyage.
5. Basic unit of life.
6. Electricity.

MAY

UNIT-III OUR SURROUNDINGS

7. Space trivia (Board game)
8. The mighty of the past.
9. Insect guess.
10. Ferns, fungi and lichens.
11. Deadliest animals on earth

JULY

UNIT-IV HISTORICAL TALES

12. The war to freedom
13. Medieval India.
14. Guns and swords.
15. Heritage sites in India.

AUGUST

UNIT-V POLITY AND STATE

16. Our constitution.
17. Indian Armed Forces.
18. Urban local-self government.

OCTOBER

UNIT-VI LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

19. Fun with idioms.
20. Bharat Ratna
21. Lucid ladies
22. Poetry corner
23. Literary terms

UNIT-VII FINANCIAL AFFAIR

- 24. Digital payment apps
- 25. World Bank
- 26. Let's trade

NOVEMBER

UNIT-VIII CULTURAL SYMPHONY

- 27. Food mania
- 28. Let us celebrate
- 29. Crafty world

DECEMBER

UNIT-IX RECREATION ZONE

- 30. Lawn tennis
- 31. World of villains
- 32. Director diaries
- 33. Sporting legends.
- 34. Which game?
- 35. Biopics that inspire.
- 36. Let's get organised (DIY)

JANUARY

UNIT-X WEB WORLD

- 37. Artificial intelligence
- 38. Cyber security
- 39. The world of technology

LIFE SKILLS

- 40. National integration.

VALUE EDUCATION

APRIL

- Lesson 1-Controlling Emotions
- Lesson 2-Sportsmanship

MAY

- Lesson 3-Decision Making
- Lesson 4-Body Language

JULY

Lesson 5-Be Cautious with Computer

Lesson 6-The Rhyme of Life

Lesson 7-Being a good Conversationalist

AUGUST

Lesson 8-Travels and Tourism

Lesson 9-Save the Environment

OCTOBER

Lesson 10-Failure-A Stepping Stone

Lesson 11-Health, Wellness and Appearance

NOVEMBER

Lesson 12-Healthy Diet

Lesson 13-Conflict Resolution

DECEMBER

Lesson 14-Foul Language

Lesson 15-Peace

JANUARY

Lesson 16-The Gossip

Taekwondo

Introduction:- Exercise should start from the upper body part like the head and finish lower body part.

Warming up On the spot jogging, jumping, twisting in a jumping way, forward and backward running etc.

April

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up
2. Double leg slap kick.
3. Face level slap kick

May

1. Exercise, stretching and warming up
2. In to out Hammer Kick
3. Out to in Hammer Kick

July

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up.
2. Poomsae-1 (1 to 4 steps) but total 16 steps in poomsae-1
3. Fighting technique in open stance

August

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up.
2. Poomsae-1 (5 to 8 steps) but total 16 steps in poomsae-1

September

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up
2. Double slap kick from single leg

October

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up
2. Poomsae1 (9 to 12 steps) but total 16 steps in poomsae -1
3. Side Kick

November

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up
2. Poomsae-1 (13 to 16 steps) but total 16 steps in poomsae -1
3. Back Kick

December

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up.
2. Revision (Poomsae 1 all 1 to 16 number steps)
3. Fighting practice

January

1. Exercises, stretching and warming up
2. Revision (All kicks from month of April to November)

February

1. Exercise, stretching and warming up
2. Revision (All kicks from month of April to November)
3. Will conduct the Inter House Competition

DANCE

April

- 1.The basic elements in art form of dance
2. International dance day
3. Bhumi Paran
4. Performance of chakkra with ease and speed
5. Body fitness exercises

May

- 1.Basic knowledge of kathak
2. Labour Day
3. Various forms of Western dance

July

- 1.Discussion of laya in Kathak
2. Basic knowledge of teen taal in Kathak
3. Tatkaar foot movements in Kathak
4. Dance discipline
5. Various forms of classical dance
6. Hand mudras in Kathak
7. Preparation of Independence Day Dance Drama

August

- 1.Percussion of instruments in Kathak
2. Zumba session
3. Feet movement or pad sanchalan in Kathak
4. Introduction of Folk Dance

September

- 1.Preparation of teachers day dance
2. Preparation of folk dance
3. Preparation of Western Dance
4. Terminology pertaining to taal to be discussed
5. Preparation according to Gandhi Jayanti

October

- 1.Body Movement including hand movement, face expression, formation of figures
2. Teaching semi classical dance

November

- 1.Children's Day preparation
2. Importance and use of ghungroo in Kathak
3. Preparation of Folk dance related to Punjab, Haryana, Rajasthan, Maharashtra and Kashmir
4. Preparation of Christmas Dance

December

- 1.Navras in classical dance
- 2.Kavita in Kathak

January

- 1.Basic steps of various western Dance
- 2.Republic Day celebration
- 3.Teach how to adapt various costumes along with their respective makeup and props

February

- 1.Simple Tukda in Kathak
2. Chakkardaar tukda in Kathak
3. One folk dance
4. Different western Dance
5. Semi classical dance

March

Yearly Revision of all the above content