Computer Applications Subject Code - 165 CLASS IX (2025-26)

Learning Outcomes

After the completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Familiarise themselves with the fundamental components and functions of computer systems, memory, storage devices, and I/O devices.
- 2. Develop an understanding of various types of software, computer networks, and multimedia.
- 3. Understand the importance of Safe Internet Practices
- 4. Create and edit documents, spread sheets, and presentations.
- 5. Perform basic data manipulation using spread sheets.
- 6. Animate text and pictures using presentation tool

Distribution of Marks and Periods

Unit No.	Unit Name	Marks
1.	Basics of Information Technology	20
2.	Cyber safety	15
3.	Office Tools	15
4.	Lab Exercises	50
	Total	100

Unit 1: Basics of Information Technology

- Computer Systems: characteristics of a computer, components of a computer system – CPU, memory, storage devices and I/O devices
- Memory: primary (RAM and ROM) and secondary memory
- Storage devices: hard disk, CD ROM, DVD, pen/flash drive, memory stick
- I/O devices: keyboard, mouse, monitor, printer, scanner, web camera
- Types of software: system software (operating system, device drivers),
 application software including mobile applications
- Computer networking: Type of networks: PAN, LAN, MAN, WAN, wired/wireless communication, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, cloud computers (Private/public)
- Multimedia: images, audio, video, animation

Unit 2 : Cyber-safety

Safely browsing the web and using social networks: identity protection, proper usage of passwords, privacy, confidentiality of information, cyber stalking, reporting cybercrimes

Malware: Viruses, adware

Unit 3: Office tools

- Introduction to a word processor: create and save a document.
- Edit and format text: text style (B, I, U), font type, font size, text colour, alignment of text. Format paragraphs with line and/or paragraph spacing.
 Add headers and footers, numbering pages, grammar and spell check utilities, subscript and superscript, insert symbols, use print preview, and print a document.
- Insert pictures, change the page setting, add bullets and numbering, borders and shading, and insert tables – insert/delete rows and columns, merge and split cells.
- Use auto-format, track changes, review comments, use of drawing tools, shapes and mathematical symbols.
- Presentation tool: understand the concept of slide shows, basic elements
 of a slide, different types of slide layouts, create and save a presentation,
 and learn about the different views of a slide set normal view, slide sorter
 view and handouts.
- Edit and format a slide: add titles, subtitles, text, background, and watermark, headers and footers, and slide numbers.
- Insert pictures from files, create animations, add sound effects, and rehearse timings.
- Spreadsheets: concept of a worksheet and a workbook, create and save a worksheet.
- Working with a spreadsheet: enter numbers, text, date/time, series using auto fill; edit and format a worksheet including changing the colour, size, font, alignment of text; insert and delete cells, rows and columns. Enter a formula using the operators (+,-,*, /), refer to cells, and print a worksheet.
- Use simple statistical functions: SUM (), AVERAGE (), MAX (), MIN (), IF ()
 (without compound statements); embed charts of various types: line, pie, scatter, bar and area in a worksheet.

4. Lab Exercises

- Browser settings for a secure connection
- Working with the operating system: Navigation of the file system using a mouse and keyboard.
- Word processing: create a text document; create a letter, report, and greeting card.
- Create a text document with figures in it. It should describe a concept taught in another course.
- Discuss the following in a text document about the basic organisation of a computer: CPU, memory, input/output devices, hard disk.
- Create a text document in an Indian language other than English.
- Create a presentation.
- Create a presentation with animation.
- Include existing images/ pictures in a presentation.
- Animate pictures and text with sound effects in a presentation
- Create a simple spreadsheet and perform the following operations: min, max, sum, and average.
- Create different types of charts using a spreadsheet: line, bar, area and pie.

Breakup of marks for the Practicals:

S.No.	Unit Name	Marks	
1.	Lab Test (30 marks)		
	Word processing	10	
	Handling spreadsheets	10	
	Creating presentations	10	
2.	Report File + viva (10 marks)		
	Report file: 4 documents each with a word processor, spreadsheet, and presentation tool	8	
	Viva voce (based on the report file)	2	
3.	Project (that uses most of the concepts that have been learnt) (10 marks)		
	Total Marks	50	

Computer Applications Subject Code - 165 CLASS X (2025-26)

Learning Outcomes

After the completion of the course, like student will be able to:

- 1. Understand the components of Computer Networking including web servers and network protocols.
- 2. Explore the functionality and applications of the services available on the Internet.
- 3. Create simple web pages using various HTML elements
- 4. Implement links and forms to create user-friendly web pages that facilitate navigation and data collection.
- 5. Apply basic styling techniques using CSS to improve the visual appearance and layout of web content.
- 6. Understand the importance of netiquettes, intellectual property rights, and responsible online behaviour

Distribution of Marks and Periods

Unit No.	Unit Name	Marks
1.	Networking	15
2.	HTML	25
3.	Cyber ethics	10
4.	Practicals	50
	Total	100

Unit 1: Networking

- Internet: World Wide Web, web servers, web clients, web sites, web pages, web browsers, blogs, news groups, HTML, web address, e-mail address, downloading and uploading files from a remote site.
- Internet protocols: TCP/IP, SMTP, POP3, HTTP, HTTPS. Remote login and file transfer protocols: SSH, SFTP, FTP, SCP, TELNET, SMTP, TCP/IP.

- Services available on the internet: information retrieval, locating sites using search engines and finding people on the net;
- Web services: chat, email, video conferencing, e-Learning, e-Banking,
 eShopping, e-Reservation, e-Governance, e-Groups, social networking.
- Mobile technologies: SMS, MMS, 3G, 4G, 5G

Unit 2: HTML

- Introduction to web page designing using HTML: create and save an HTML document, access a web page using a web browser.
- HTML tags: html, head, title, body, (attributes: text, background, bgcolor, link, vlink, alink), br (break), hr(horizontal rule), inserting comments, h1..h6 (heading),
 - p (paragraph), b (bold), i (italics), u (underline), ul (unordered list), ol (ordered list), and li (list item). Description lists: dl, dt and dd. Attributes of ol (start, type), ul (type).
- Font tags (attributes: face, size, color).
- Insert images: img (attributes: src, width, height, alt), sup (super script), sub (subscript).
- HTML Forms: Textbox, radio buttons, checkbox, password, list, combobox.
- Embed audio and video in a HTML page.
- Create a table using the tags: table, tr, th, td, rowspan, colspan
- Links: significance of linking, anchor element (attributes: href, mailto), targets.
- Cascading style sheets: colour, background-colour, border-style, margin, height, width, outline, font (family, style, size), align, float.

Unit 3: Cyber ethics

- Netiquettes.
- Software licenses and the open source software movement.
- Intellectual property rights, plagiarism and digital property rights.
- Freedom of information and the digital divide.
- E-commerce: Privacy, fraud, secure data transmission.

4. Lab Exercises

Create static web pages.

- Use style sheets to enforce a format in an HTML page (CSS).
- Embed pictures, audio and videos in an HTML page.
- Add tables and frames in an HTML page.
- Decorate web pages using graphical elements.
- Create a website using several web pages. Students may use any open source or proprietary tool.
- Work with HTML forms: text box, radio buttons, checkbox, password, list, combo box.
- Write a blog using HTML pages discussing viruses, malware, spam and antiviruses
- Create a web page discussing plagiarism. List some reported cases of plagiarism and the consequent punishment meted out. Explain the nature of the punishment in different countries as per their IP laws.

Breakup of marks for the practicals:

S. No.	Unit Name	Marks		
1.	Lab Test (20 marks)			
	HTML (design one web page based on a diagram)	20		
2.	Report File + viva (20 marks)			
	Report file: At least 10 HTML pages	15		
	Viva voce (based on the report file)	5		
3.	Project (that uses most of the concepts that have been learnt) (10 marks)			
	Total (50 marks)			

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE CLASS-X (2025-26)

SECTION - WISE WEIGHTAGE

Sections		Weightage
Α	Reading Skills	20 Marks
В	Writing Skills with Grammar	20 Marks
С	Language through Literature	40 Marks

Section A Reading Skills

I. Reading Comprehension through Unseen Passage

20 Marks

1. Discursive passage of 400-450 words.

10 marks

Case-based factual passage (with visual input- statistical data, chart etc.) of 200-250 words.
 10 marks

(Total length of two passages to be 600-700 words)

Multiple Choice Questions / Objective Type Questions, and Short Answer Questions (to be answered in 30-40 words) will be asked to assess comprehension, interpretation, analysis, inference, evaluation and vocabulary.

Section B Writing Skills and Grammar

II Grammar 10 Marks

- Determiners
- Tenses
- Modals
- Subject verb concord
- Reported speech
 - Commands and requests
 - Statements
 - o Questions

3. The courses at the secondary level seek to cement high professional grasp of grammatical items and levels of accuracy. Accurate use of spelling, punctuation and grammar in context will be assessed through Gap Filling/ Editing/Transformation exercises. Ten out of 12 questions will have to be attempted.

III. Writing Skills 10 marks

- 4. Writing a Formal Letter based on a given situation, in 100-120 words. One out of two questions is to be answered.5 marks
- 5. Writing an Analytical Paragraph in 100-120 words on a given Map/ Chart/ Graph/Cue/s.One out of two questions is to be answered.5 marks

Section C 40 Marks Language through Literature

IV. Reference to the Context

5+5=10 Marks

- **6.** One extract out of two from Drama / Prose.
- **7.** One extract out of two from poetry.

Multiple Choice Questions / Objective Type Questions Very Short Answer Questions (one word/ One sentence), Short Answer Questions (to be answered in 30-40 words) will be asked to assess inference, analysis, interpretation, evaluation and vocabulary.

V. Short & Very Long Answer Questions

30 Marks

8. Four out of Five Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in 40-50 words from the bookFIRST FLIGHT to assess interpretation, analysis, inference and evaluation.

4x3=12 marks

- Two out of Three Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in 40-50 words each from FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET to assess interpretation, analysis, inference and evaluation.
 2x3=6 marks
- 10. One out of two Long Answer Type Questions from FIRST FLIGHT to be answered in about 100-120 words each to assess creativity, imagination and extrapolation beyond the text and across the text. This can be a passage-based question taken from a situation/plot from the text.
 6 marks
- 11. One out of two Long Answer Type Questions from FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET, on theme or plot involving interpretation, extrapolation beyond the text and inference or character sketch to be answered in about 100-120 words.6 marks

Prescribed Books: Published by NCERT, New Delhi

1. FIRST FLIGHT

A. Prose

- 1. A Letter to God
- 2. Nelson Mandela Long Walk to Freedom
- 3. Stories About Flying
- 4. From the Diary of Anne Frank
- 5. Glimpses of India
- 6. Mijbil the Otter
- 7. Madam Rides the Bus
- 8. The Sermon at Benares
- 9. The Proposal (Play)

B. Poems

- 1. Dust of Snow
- 2. Fire and Ice
- 3. A Tiger in the Zoo
- 4. How to Tell Wild Animals
- 5. The Ball Poem
- 6. Amanda!
- 7. The Trees
- 8. Fog
- 9. The Tale of Custard the Dragon
- 10. For Anne Gregory

2. FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET

- 1. A Triumph of Surgery
- 2. The Thief's Story
- 3. The Midnight Visitor
- 4. A Question of Trust
- 5. Footprints Without Feet
- 6. The Making of a Scientist
- 7. The Necklace
- 8. Bholi
- 9. The Book that Saved the Earth

3. WORDS AND EXPRESSIONS – II (WORKBOOK FOR CLASS X) – Units 1 to 4 and Units 7 to 11

Note: Teachers are suggested to:

- (i) encourage interaction among peers, students and teachers through activities such as role play, discussions, group work etc.
- (ii) reduce teacher-talking time and keep it to the minimum,
- (iii) take up questions for discussion to encourage pupils to participate and to marshal their ideas and express and defend their views, and
- (iv) follow the Speaking and Listening activities given in the NCERT books.

Besides measuring learning outcome, texts serve the dual purpose of diagnosing mistakes and areas of non-learning. To make evaluation a true index of learners' knowledge, each language skills to be assessed through a judicious mixture of differenttypes of questions.

INTERNAL ASSESSMENT

Listening and Speaking Competencies

Assessment of Listening and Speaking Skills will be for 05 marks.

It is recommended that listening and speaking skills should be regularly practiced. Art-integrated projects based on activities like Role Play, Skit, Dramatization etc. must be used. Please refer to the Circular no. Acad-33/2020 dated 14th May 2020 at the http://cbseacademic.nic.in/web_material/Circulars/2020/33 Circular 2020.pdf for details

Guidelines for the Assessment of Listening and Speaking Skills are given at Annexure I.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE CLASS – X (2025-26)

Marks 80

Sections	Competencies	Total marks
Reading Comprehension	Conceptual understanding, decoding, analyzing, inferring, interpreting and vocabulary	20
Writing Skills and Grammar	Creative expression of an opinion, reasoning, justifying, illustrating, appropriate style and tone, using appropriate format and fluency. Applying conventions, using integrated structures with accuracy and fluency	20
Language through Literature	Recalling, reasoning, appreciating, applying literary conventions illustrating and justifying etc. Extract relevant information, identifying the central theme and sub-theme, understanding the writers' message and writing fluently.	40
Total		80

For the details of Internal Assessment of 20 marks, please refer to the circular no. Acad-11/2019, dated March 06, 2019.

Guidelines for Assessment of Listening and Speaking Skills (ALS)

ALS is a component of the Subject Enrichment Activity under Internal Assessment. ALS must be seen as an integrated component of all four language skills rather than a compartment of two. Suggested activities, therefore, take into consideration an integration of the four language skills but during assessment, emphasis will be given to speaking and listening, since reading and writing are already being assessed in the written exam.

Assessment of Listening and Speaking Skills: (5 Marks)

i. Activities:

- Subject teachers must refer to books prescribed in the syllabus.
- In addition to the above, teachers may plan their own activities and create theirown material for assessing the listening and speaking skills.
- ii. **Parameters for Assessment:** The listening and speaking skills are to be assessed on the following parameters:
 - a. Interactive competence (Initiation & turn taking, relevance to the topic)
 - b. Fluency (cohesion, coherence and speed of delivery)
 - c. Pronunciation
 - d. Language (grammar and vocabulary)

SUGGESTIVE RUBRIC

Interactio	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
n	 Contributions are mainly unrelated to those of other speakers Shows hardly any initiative in the development of conversation Very limited interaction 	 Contributions are oftenunrelated to those of the other speaker Generally passive in the development of conversation 	 Develops interaction adequately, makes however minimal effortto initiate conversation Needs constant prompting to take turns 	 Interaction is adequately initiated and developed Takes turn but needs some prompting 	 Initiates & logically develops simple conversation on familiar topics Takes turns appropriately

Fluency & Coherence	Noticeably/ long pauses; rate or speech is slow Frequent repetition and/or self- correction this is all right in informal conversation Links only basic sentences; breakdown of coherence evident.	· -	 Is willing tospeak at length, however repetition is noticeable Hesitates and/or self corrects; occasionallyloses coherence Topics developed, but usually not logically concluded 	Speaks without noticeable effort, with a little repetition Demonstrates hesitation to find words or use correct grammatical structures and/or self- correction Topics not fully developed to merit.	Speaks fluently almost with no repetition & minimal hesitation Develops topic fully & coherently
Pronunciation	 Frequent inaccurate pronunciation Communication isseverely affected 	 Frequently unintelligible articulation Frequent phonological errors Major communication problems 	Largely correct pronunciation & clear articulation except occasional errors	 Mostly correct pronunciation& clear articulation Is clearly understood most of the time; very fewphonological errors 	 Pronounces correctly & articulates clearly Is always comprehensible uses appropriate intonation
Vocabulary & Grammar	 Demonstrates almost no flexibility, and mostly struggles for appropriate words Many Grammatical errors impacting communication 	Is able to communicate on some of the topics, with limited vocabulary. Frequent errors, but self-corrects	Is able to communicate on most of the topics, with limited vocabulary. A few grammatical errors	 Is able to communicate on most of the topics with appropriate vocabulary Minor errors that do not hamper communication 	 Is able to communicate on most of the topics using a wide range of appropriate vocabulary, using new words and expressions No grammatical errors

iii. Schedule:

- The practice of listening and speaking skills should be done throughout the academicyear.
- The final assessment of the skills is to be done as per the convenience and schedule of the school.

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परीक्षा हेतु पाठ्यक्रम विनिर्देशन

खंड		भारांक
क	अपठित बोध	14
ख	व्यावहारिक व्याकरण	16
ग	पाठ्यपुस्तक एवं पूरक पाठ्यपुस्तक	30
घ	रचनात्मक लेखन	20

भारांक-{80(वार्षिक बोर्ड परीक्षा)+20 (आंतरिक परीक्षा)

निर्धारित समय- 3 घंटे भारांक-80

	वार्षिक बोर्ड परीक्षा हेतु भार विभाजन					
	खंड – क (अपठित बोध)					
		विषयवस्तु	उप भार	कुल भार		
1	अपरि	ठेत गद्यांश व काव्यांश पर बोध, चिंतन, विश्लेषण, सराहना आदि पर बहुविकल्पीय,				
	अति	लघूत्तरात्मक एवं लघूत्तरात्मक प्रश्न				
	अ	एक अपठित गद्यांश लगभग 250 शब्दों का इसके आधार पर एक अंकीय तीन	7	14		
		बहुविकल्पी प्रश्न (1x3=3), अतिलघूत्तरात्मक एवं लघूत्तरात्मक प्रश्न (2×2=4) पूछे				
		जाएँगे				
	ৰ	एक अपठित काव्यांश लगभग 120 शब्दों का इसके आधार पर एक अंकीय तीन	7	-		
		बहुविकल्पी प्रश्न (1x3=3), अतिलघूत्तरात्मक एवं लघूत्तरात्मक प्रश्न (2×2=4) पूछे				
		जाएँगे				
2	व्याव	रण के लिए निर्धारित विषयों पर विषयवस्तु का बोध, भाषिक बिंदु/ संरचना आदि पर				
	अति	लघूत्तरात्मक/लघूत्तरात्मक प्रश्न। (1x16)				
	(कुल	20 प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे, जिनमें से केवल 16 प्रश्नों के उत्तर देने होंगे)				
		खंड – ख (व्यावहारिक व्याकरण)		16		
	1	रचना के आधार पर वाक्य भेद (1x4=4) (5 में से 4 प्रश्न करने होंगे)	4	1		
	2	वाच्य (1x4=4) (5 में से 4 प्रश्न करने होंगे)	4	1		
	3	पद परिचय (1x4=4) (5 में से 4 प्रश्न करने होंगे)	4			

	4	अलंकार- (अर्थालंकार : उपमा, रूपक, उत्प्रेक्षा, अतिशयोक्ति, मानवीकरण) (1x4=4)	4	
		(5 में से 4 प्रश्न करने होंगे)		
3				
	अ	गद्य खंड पाठ्यपुस्तक (क्षितिज भाग 2)	11	
		1 क्षितिज (भाग 2) से निर्धारित पाठों में से गद्यांश के आधार पर विषयवस्तु का ज्ञान,	5	
		बोध, अभिव्यक्ति आदि पर एक अंकीय पाँच बहुविकल्पी प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे। (1x5)		
		2 क्षितिज (भाग 2) से निर्धारित पाठों में से विषयवस्तु का ज्ञान, बोध, अभिव्यक्ति	6	
		आदि पर तीन प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे।(विकल्प सहित- 25-30 शब्द-सीमा वाले 4 में से 3		
		प्रश्न करने होंगे) (2x3)		
	ৰ	काव्य खंड (पाठ्यपुस्तक) (क्षितिज भाग २)	11	30
		1 क्षितिज(भाग 2) से निर्धारित कविताओं में से काव्यांश के आधार पर एक अंकीय	5	
		पाँच बहुविकल्पी प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे (1x5)		
		2 क्षितिज (भाग 2) से निर्धारित कविताओं के आधार पर विद्यार्थियों का काव्यबोध	6	
		परखने हेतु तीन प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे। (विकल्प सहित-25-30 शब्द-सीमा वाले 4 में से		
		3 प्रश्न करने होंगे) (2x3)		
	स	पूरक पाठ्यपुस्तक (कृतिका भाग – 2)	8	
		कृतिका (भाग 2) से निर्धारित पाठों पर आधारित दो प्रश्न पूछे जाएँगे। (4x2)	8	
		(विकल्प सहित-50-60 शब्द-सीमा वाले 3 में से 2 प्रश्न करने होंगे)		
4		खंड – घ (रचनात्मक लेखन)		
	i	विभिन्न विषयों और संदर्भो पर विद्यार्थियों के तर्कसंगत विचार प्रकट करने की क्षमता	6	
		को परखने के लिए संकेत-बिंदुओं पर आधारित समसामयिक एवं व्यावहारिक जीवन		
		से जुड़े हुए तीन विषयों में से किसी एक विषय पर लगभग 120 शब्दों में अनुच्छेद		
		लेखन (6 x1 = 6)		
	ii	अभिव्यक्ति की क्षमता पर केंद्रित औपचारिक अथवा अनौपचारिक विषयों में से किसी	5	20
		एक विषय पर लगभग 100 शब्दों में पत्र (5 x 1= 5)		
	iii	रोजगार से संबंधित रिक्तियों के लिए लगभग 80 शब्दों में स्ववृत्त लेखन (5 x 1= 5)	5	
		अथवा		
		विविध विषयों पर आधारित लगभग 80 शब्दों में ई-मेल लेखन (5 x 1= 5)		
	iv	विषय से संबंधित लगभग 40 शब्दों के अंतर्गत विज्ञापन लेखन (4 x 1 = 4)	4	

	अथवा		
	संदेश लेखन लगभग 40 शब्दों में (शुभकामना, पर्व-त्योहारों एवं विशेष अवसरों पर		
	दिए जाने वाले संदेश) (4 x 1 = 4)		
	कुल		80
	आंतरिक मूल्यांकन	अंक	20
अ	सामयिक आकलन	5	
ब	बहुविध आकलन	5	
स	पोर्टफ़ोलियो	5	
द	श्रवण एवं वाचन	5	
	कुल		100

निर्धारित पुस्तकें :

- 1. **क्षितिज, भाग–2,** एन.सी.ई.आर.टी., नई दिल्ली द्वारा प्रकाशित नवीनतम संस्करण
- 2. **कृतिका, भाग–2,** एन.सी.ई.आर.टी., नई दिल्ली द्वारा प्रकाशित नवीनतम संस्करण

नोट – निम्नलिखित पाठों से प्रश्न नहीं पूछे जाएँगे–

क्षितिज, भाग – 2	काव्य खंड	• देव- सवैया, कवित्त (पूरा पाठ)	
		 गिरिजाकुमार माथुर – छाया मत छूना (पूरा पाठ) 	
		• ऋतुराज – कन्यादान (पूरा पाठ)	
	गद्य खंड	• महावीरप्रसाद द्विवेदी – स्त्री-शिक्षा के विरोधी कुतर्कों का खंडन (पूरा	
		पाठ)	
		• सर्वेश्वर दयाल सक्सेना- मानवीय करुणा की दिव्य चमक (पूरा पाठ)	
कृतिका, भाग – 2	 एई 	वियाँ झुलनी हेरानी हो रामा! (पूरा पाठ)	
	 जा 	र्ज पंचम की नाक (पूरा पाठ)	

कक्षा दसवीं हेतु प्रश्न पत्र का विस्तृत प्रारूप जानने के लिए कृपया बोर्ड द्वारा जारी आदर्श प्रश्न पत्र देखें।

COURSE STRUCTURE CLASS -X

Units	Unit Name	Marks
I	NUMBER SYSTEMS	06
II	ALGEBRA	20
III	COORDINATE GEOMETRY	06
IV	GEOMETRY	15
V	TRIGONOMETRY	12
VI	MENSURATION	10
VII	STATISTICS AND PROBABILITY	11
	TOTAL	80

S. No.	Content	Competencies	Explanation			
	UNIT I: NUMBER SYSTEMS					
1.	 Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic - statements after reviewing work done earlier and after illustrating and motivating through examples Proofs of irrationality of √2,√3,√5 	understanding of powers (radical powers) and exponents.	 Describes Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic with examples Prove algebraically the Irrationality of numbers like √2,√3,√5,3+2√5 etc. 			
	UN	NIT II: ALGEBRA				
1.	POLYNOMIALS 1. Zeros of a polynomial 2. Relationship between zeros and coefficients of quadratic polynomials.	develops a relationship between algebraic and graphical methods of finding the zeroes of a polynomial.	Find the zeros of polynomial graphically and algebraically and verifying the relation between zeros and coefficients of quadratic polynomials.			

2. PAIR OF LINEAR EQUATIONS IN TWO VARIABLES

- Pair of linear equations in two variables and graphical method of their solution, consistency/inconsistency.
- 2. Algebraic conditions for number of solutions.
- Solution of a pair of linear equations in two variables algebraically by substitution, by elimination.
 Simple situational problems.

- Describes plotting a pair of linear equations and graphically finding the solution.
- Models and solves contextualised problems using equations (e.g., simultaneous linear equations in two variables).
- Find the solution of pair of linear equations in two variables graphically and algebraically (substitution and elimination method)

3. QUADRATIC EQUATIONS

- 1. Standard form of a quadratic equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$, $(a \ne 0)$.
- 2. Solutions of quadratic equations (only real roots) by factorization, and by using quadratic formula. Relationship between discriminant and nature of roots.
- Situational problems based on quadratic equations related to day-to-day activities to be incorporated

- demonstrates strategies
 of finding roots and
 determining the nature
 of roots of a quadratic
 equation.
- Solves quadratic equations using factorization and quadratic formula
- Determines the nature of roots using discriminant
- Formulates and solves problems based on real life context

4. ARITHMETIC PROGRESSIONS

- 1. Motivation for studying Arithmetic Progression
- Derivation of the nth term and sum of the first n terms of AP and their application in solving daily life problems.
- Develops strategies to apply the concept of A.P. to daily life situations.
- Applies concepts of AP to find the nth term and sum of n terms.
- Application of AP in real life problems

UNIT III: COORDINATE GEOMETRY

1. Coordinate Geometry

- Review: Concepts of coordinate geometry. Distance formula. Section formula (internal division).
- Derives formulae to establish relations for geometrical shapes in the context of а coordinate plane, such as, finding the distance between two given points, to determine the coordinates of a point between any two given points.
- Solves problems using distance formula and section formula

UNIT IV: GEOMETRY

1. TRIANGLES

Definitions, examples, counter examples of similar triangles.

- (Prove) If a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle to intersect the other two sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.
- 2. State (without proof) If a line divides two sides of a triangle in the same ratio, the line is parallel to the third side.
- 3. State (without proof) If in two triangles, the corresponding angles are equal, their corresponding sides are proportional and the triangles are similar.
- 4. State (without proof) If the corresponding sides of two triangles are proportional, their corresponding angles are equal and the two triangles are similar.
- 5. State (without proof) If one angle of a triangle is equal to one angle of another triangle and the sides including these angles are proportional, the two triangles are similar.

- works out ways to differentiate between congruent and similar figures.
- for similarity of two triangles logically using different geometric criteria established earlier such as, Basic Proportionality
 Theorem, etc.
- Prove Basic
 Proportionality
 theorem and applying
 the theorem and its
 converse in solving
 questions
- Prove similarity of triangles using different similarity criteria

2.	Tangent to a circle at point of contact. 1. (Prove) The tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact. 2. (Prove) The lengths of tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal.	theorems related to the tangents of circles.	f •	Prove the theorems based on the tangent to a circle. Applies the concept of tangents of circle to solve various problems.
	UNIT	V: TRIGONOMETRY		
1.	 INTRODUCTION TO TRIGONOMETRY Trigonometric ratios of an acute angle of a right-angled triangle. Proof of their existence (well defined) Motivate the ratios whichever are defined at 0° and 90°. Values of the trigonometric ratios of 30°, 45° and 60°. Relationships between the ratios. 	definitions of the basic trigonometric functions (including the introduction of the sine and cosine functions).		Evaluates trigonometric ratios Describes trigonometric ratios of standard angles and solving related expressions
2.	 TRIGONOMETRIC IDENTITIES Proof and applications of the identity sin²A + cos²A = 1. Only simple identities to be given. 	Uses Trigonometric identities to solve problems.	9	Proves trigonometric identities using $\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1$ and other identities
3.	 HEIGHTS AND DISTANCES: Angle of elevation, Angle of Depression. 1. Simple problems on heights and distances. Problems should not involve more than two right triangles. Angles of elevation / depression should be only 30°, 45°, and 60°. 	 Applies Trigonometric ratios in solving problems in daily life contexts like finding heights of different structures or distance from them. 	g e g t	Find heights and distances in real life word problems using trigonometric ratios

	UNIT VI: MENSURATION			
1.	AREAS RELATED TO CIRCLES 1. Area of sectors and segments of a circle. 2. Problems based on areas and perimeter /circumference of the above said plane figures. (In calculating area of segment of a circle, problems should be restricted to central angle of 60°, 90° and 120° only.	Derives and uses formulae to calculate areas of plane figures. Visualises and evaluates areas of sector and segment of a circle		
2.	SURFACE AREAS AND VOLUMES 1. Surface areas and volumes of combinations of any two of the following: cubes, cuboids, spheres, hemispheres and right circular cylinders/cones.	 Visualises and uses mathematical thinking to discover formulae to calculate surface areas and volumes of solid objects (cubes, cuboids, spheres, hemispheres, right circular cylinders/cones, and their combinations). Evaluates the surfact areas and volumes of solids by visualisations 		
	UNIT VII: STA	TISTICS AND PROBABILITY		
1.	1. Mean, median and mode of grouped data (bimodal situation to be avoided).	 calculates mean, median and mode for different sets of data related with real life contexts. Computes the mean of a groupe frequency distribution using direct assumed mean and step deviation method. Computes the mean of a groupe frequency distribution distribution is algebraic method. 		
2.	 PROBABILITY Classical definition of probability. Simple problems on finding the probability of an event. 	 Applies concepts from probability to solve problems on the likelihood of everyday events. Determines the probabilities in simple real-life problems 		

MATHEMATICS- STANDARD (Code - 041) QUESTION PAPER DESIGN

CLASS - X (2025-26)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

S. No.	Typology of Questions	Total Marks	% Weightage (approx.)
1	Remembering: Exhibit memory of previously learned material by recalling facts, terms, basic concepts, and answers. Understanding: Demonstrate understanding of facts and ideas by organizing, comparing, translating, interpreting, giving descriptions, and stating main ideas	43	54
2	Applying: Solve problems to new situations by applying acquired knowledge, facts, techniques and rules in a different way.	19	24
	Analysing: Examine and break information into parts by identifying motives or causes. Make inferences and find evidence to support generalizations		
3	Evaluating: Present and defend opinions by making judgments about information, validity of ideas, or quality of work based on a set of criteria.	18	22
	Creating: Compile information together in a different way by combining elements in a new pattern or proposing alternative solutions		
	Total	80	100

INTERNAL ASSESSMENT	20 MARKS
Pen Paper Test and Multiple Assessment (5+5)	10 Marks
Portfolio	05 Marks
Lab Practical (Lab activities to be done from the prescribed books)	05 Marks

MATHEMATICS-BASIC (Code - 241)

QUESTION PAPER DESIGN

CLASS - X (2025-26)

Time: 3Hours Max. Marks: 80

S. No.	Typology of Questions	Total Marks	% Weightage (approx.)
1	Remembering: Exhibit memory of previously learned material by recalling facts, terms, basic concepts, and answers. Understanding: Demonstrate understanding of facts and ideas by organizing, comparing, translating, interpreting, giving descriptions, and stating main ideas	60	75
2	Applying: Solve problems to new situations by applying acquired knowledge, facts, techniques and rules in a different way.	12	15
	Analysing: Examine and break information into parts by identifying		
3	motives or causes. Make inferences and find evidence to support generalizations	8	10
	Evaluating:		
	Present and defend opinions by making judgments about information, validity of ideas, or quality of work based on a set of criteria.		
	Creating:		
	Compile information together in a different way by combining elements in a new pattern or proposing alternative solutions		
	Total	80	100

INTERNAL ASSESSMENT	20 MARKS
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PRESCRIBED BOOKS:

- 1. Mathematics Textbook for class IX NCERT Publication
- 2. Mathematics Textbook for class X NCERT Publication
- 3. Guidelines for Mathematics Laboratory in Schools, class IX CBSE Publication
- 4. Guidelines for Mathematics Laboratory in Schools, class X CBSE Publication
- 5. Laboratory Manual Mathematics, secondary stage NCERT Publication
- 6. Mathematics exemplar problems for class IX, NCERT publication
- 7. Mathematics exemplar problems for class X, NCERT publication.

COURSE STRUCTURE CLASS X (2025-26)

(Annual Examination)

Time: 03 Hours Marks: 80

Unit No.	Unit	Marks
I	Chemical Substances-Nature and Behaviour	25
II	World of Living	25
III	Natural Phenomena	12
IV	Effects of Current	13
V	Natural Resources	05
	Total	80
	Internal assessment	20
	Grand Total	100

Theme: Materials

Unit I: Chemical Substances - Nature and Behaviour

Chemical Reactions and Equations: Chemical reactions, Chemical equation, Balanced chemical equation, types of chemical reactions: combination, decomposition, displacement, double displacement, precipitation, endothermic exothermic reactions, oxidation and reduction.

Acids, Bases and Salts: Acids and Bases – definitions in terms of furnishing of H+ and OH– ions, identification using indicators, chemical properties, examples and uses, neutralization, concept of pH scale (Definition relating to logarithm not required), importance of pH in everyday life; preparation and uses of Sodium Hydroxide, Bleaching powder, Baking soda, Washing soda and Plaster of Paris.

Metals and Non-metals: Properties of metals and non-metals; Reactivity series; Formation and properties of ionic compounds; Basic metallurgical processes; Corrosion and its prevention.

Carbon and its Compounds: Covalent bonds – formation and properties of covalent compounds, Versatile nature of carbon, Hydrocarbons – saturated and unsaturated Homologous series. Nomenclature of alkanes, alkenes, alkyne and carbon compounds containing functional groups (halogens, alcohol, ketones, aldehydes). Chemical properties of carbon compounds (combustion, oxidation, addition and substitution reaction). Ethanol and Ethanoic acid (only properties and uses), soaps and detergents.

Theme: The World of the Living

Unit II: World of Living

Life processes: 'Living Being'. Basic concept of nutrition, respiration, transport and

excretion in plants and animals.

Control and co-ordination in animals and plants: Tropic movements in plants;

Introduction of plant hormones; Control and co-ordination in animals: Nervous system;

Voluntary, involuntary and reflex action; Chemical co-ordination: animal hormones.

Reproduction: Reproduction in animals and plants (asexual and sexual) reproductive

health - need and methods of family planning. Safe sex vs HIV/AIDS. Child bearing and

women's health.

Heredity and Evolution: Heredity; Mendel's contribution- Laws for inheritance of traits:

Sex determination; brief introduction.

Theme: Natural Phenomena

Unit III: Natural Phenomena

Reflection of light by curved surfaces; Images formed by spherical mirrors, centre of

curvature, principal axis, principal focus, focal length, mirror formula (Derivation not

required), magnification.

Refraction; Laws of refraction, refractive index.

Refraction of light by spherical lens; Image formed by spherical lenses; Lens formula

(Derivationnot required); Magnification. Power of a lens.

Functioning of a lens in human eye, defects of vision and their corrections, applications

ofspherical mirrors and lenses.

Refraction of light through a prism, dispersion of light, scattering of light, applications in

daily life (excluding colour of the sun at sunrise and sunset).

Theme: How Things Work

Unit IV: Effects of Current

Electric current, potential difference and electric current. Ohm's law; Resistance,

Resistivity, Factors on which the resistance of a conductor depends. Series combination

of resistors, parallel combination of resistors and its applications in daily life. Heating

effect of electric current and its applications in daily life. Electric power, Interrelation

between P, V, I and R.

Magnetic effects of current: Magnetic field, field lines, field due to a current carrying

conductor, field due to current carrying coil or solenoid; Force on current carrying

conductor, Fleming's Left Hand Rule, Direct current. Alternating current: frequency of AC. Advantage of AC over DC. Domestic electric circuits.

Theme: Natural Resources

Unit V: Natural Resources

Our environment: Eco-system, Environmental problems, Ozone depletion, waste production and their solutions. Biodegradable and non-biodegradable substances.

Note for the Teachers:

The NCERT text books present information in boxes across the book. These help students to get conceptual clarity. However, the information in these boxes would not be assessed in the year-end examination.

PRACTICALS

Practical should be conducted alongside the concepts taught in theory classes. LIST OF EXPERIMENTS

- 1. A. Finding the pH of the following samples by using pH paper/universal indicator: Unit-I
 - a) Dilute Hydrochloric Acid
 - b) Dilute NaOH solution
 - c) Dilute Ethanoic Acid solution
 - d) Lemon juice
 - e) Water
 - f) Dilute Hydrogen Carbonate solution
 - B. Studying the properties of acids and bases (HCl & NaOH) on the basis of their reaction with:

 Unit-I
 - a) Litmus solution (Blue/Red)
 - b) Zinc metal
 - c) Solid sodium carbonate
- 2. Performing and observing the following reactions and classifying them into: Unit-I
 - a) Combination reaction
 - b) Decomposition reaction
 - c) Displacement reaction
 - d) Double displacement reaction
 - Action of water on quicklime
 - Action of heat on ferrous sulphate crystals
 - Iron nails kept in copper sulphate solution
 - Reaction between sodium sulphate and barium chloride solutions

3. Observing the action of Zn, Fe, Cu and Al metals on the following salt solutions:

Unit-I

- a) ZnSO₄ (aq)
- b) FeSO₄ (aq)
- c) CuSO₄ (aq)
- d) $Al_2 (SO_4)_3 (aq)$

Arranging Zn, Fe, Cu and Al (metals) in the decreasing order of reactivity based on the above result.

- 4. Studying the dependence of potential difference (V) across a resistor on the current (I) passing through it and determine its resistance. Also plotting a graph between V and I.
 Unit-IV
- Determination of the equivalent resistance of two resistors when connected in series and parallel.

 Unit-IV
- 6. Preparing a temporary mount of a leaf peel to show stomata. Unit- II
- 7. Experimentally show that carbon dioxide is given out during respiration. Unit-II
- 8. Study of the following properties of acetic acid (ethanoic acid): Unit- I
 - a) Odour
 - b) solubility in water
 - c) effect on litmus
 - d) reaction with Sodium Hydrogen Carbonate
- Study of the comparative cleaning capacity of a sample of soap in soft and hard water.

 Unit-1
- **10.** Determination of the focal length of:

Unit-III

- a) Concave mirror
- b) Convex lens by obtaining the image of a distant object.
- 11. Tracing the path of a ray of light passing through a rectangular glass slab for different angles of incidence. Measure the angle of incidence, angle of refraction, angle of emergence and interpret the result.
 Unit III
- Studying (a) binary fission in *Amoeba*, and (b) budding in yeast and Hydra with the help of prepared slides.

 Unit-II
- 13. Tracing the path of the rays of light through a glass prism. Unit-III
- Identification of the different parts of an embryo of a dicot seed (pea, gram or red kidney bean).

 Unit-II

PRESCRIBED BOOKS:

- Science-Textbook for class IX-NCERT Publication
- Science-Text book for class X- NCERT Publication
- Assessment of Practical Skills in Science-Class IX CBSE Publication
- Assessment of Practical Skills in Science- Class X- CBSE Publication
- Laboratory Manual-Science-Class IX, NCERT Publication
- Laboratory Manual-Science-Class X, NCERT Publication
- Exemplar Problems Class IX NCERT Publication
- Exemplar Problems Class X NCERT Publication
- Reading Material Science Class IX CBSE

Question Paper Design (Theory) Class X (2025-26) Science (086)

Theory (80 marks)

Competencies	Total
Demonstrate Knowledge and Understanding	50 %
Application of Knowledge/Concepts	30 %
Formulate, Analyze, Evaluate and Create	20 %

Note:

- Typology of Questions: VSA including objective type questions, Assertion Reasoning type questions; SA; LA; Source-based/ Case-based/ Passage-based/ Integrated assessment questions.
- An internal choice of approximately 33% would be provided.

Internal Assessment (20 Marks)

- Periodic Assessment 05 marks + 05 marks
- Subject Enrichment (Practical Work) 05 marks
- **Portfolio** 05 marks

Suggestive verbs for various competencies

Demonstrate Knowledge and Understanding

State, name, list, identify, define, suggest, describe, outline, summarize, etc.

Application of Knowledge/Concepts

Calculate, illustrate, show, adapt, explain, distinguish, etc.

Formulate, Analyze, Evaluate and Create

Interpret, analyze, compare, contrast, examine, evaluate, discuss, construct, etc.

SOCIAL SCIENCE Subject Code-087 Classes - IX & X (2025-26)

RATIONALE

The purpose of the education system is to develop good human beings capable of rational thought and action, possessing compassion and empathy, courage and resilience, scientific temper, and creative imagination, with sound ethical moorings and values. It aims at producing engaged, productive, and contributing citizens for building an equitable, inclusive, and plural society as envisaged by our Constitution. [NEP 2020, pages 4-5]

Social Science is a compulsory subject in secondary stage of school education. It is an integral component of general education. Social Science can play a unique role within the school curriculum to enable Knowledge, Capacities, and Values and Dispositions that underpin the purpose of education as committed to in NEP.

Social Science plays an important role in developing an integrated understanding of the human world and its functioning, including its deep interrelationships with nature and environment in the quest to continuously improve a society. In the study of this subject, students learn methods of observing and interpreting the human world, which help them lead their own lives and also contribute as members of society.

It also helps in developing some of the Values and Dispositions that are essential for democratic participation- building and sustaining cooperation among communities that strive for peace, harmony, equity, and justice for all. It encourages them to understand and appreciate the feeling of Indianness 'Bhartiyata' by valuing the rich cultural heritage and tradition of the country.

The role of the subject in developing a comprehensive sense of the human world and its functioning in an individual student is significant. This understanding is critical to help students see how things around them are changing and are interdependent in the world today what are the causes of the change, and how the change impacts human societies.

It also helps them realise the need for interdependence, collaboration, and an appreciation for the diversity of human culture and societies. The subject also teaches students the method of observing and interpreting the world wearing the hat of a social scientist. It does so by building core skills such as observing what is going on around them, analysing causes of various phenomena (historical, geographical, socio-political, or economic) using evidence, asking questions, making connections, forming viewpoints based on conceptual understanding and evidence, recognizing patterns and generalizations, and arriving at logical conclusions.

These skills prepare the students to contribute to the nation as responsible citizens of society.

AIMS & OBJECTIVE

As per NCF- 2023, the aims of teaching Social Science in school education can be summarised as follows:

a. Develop disciplinary knowledge and understanding of how society functions through an interplay of historical, geographical, social, economic, and political factors.

This can be enabled through:

- i. an understanding of continuity and change in human civilisation, its causation and effect, and its impact on modern life,
- ii. an understanding of the interaction between nature and human beings, the spatial patterns arising out of this interaction, and its effect on human life,
- iii. an awareness and understanding of the diversity of people and their practices in different societies, regions, and cultures within societies,
- iv. an awareness of various social, political, and economic institutions, their origin, functioning and transformations over time.
- b. Develop an understanding and appreciation for the methods of enquiry relevant to Social Science and deepen students' skills to engage with the key questions and issues confronting society.

These could be specifically seen as:

- Skills in sourcing evidence, interpreting them, confirming through multiple sources and evidence, and constructing a coherent narrative,
- ii. Skills in recognizing spatial patterns, map-reading, interpretation and analysis of various interconnected concepts and processes,
- iii. Skills of creative and analytical thinking to form informed opinions, demonstrate logical decision-making, and incline towards a problem- solving attitude,
- iv. Skills to collect, organize, analyse, represent, and present data and information on various historical, geographical, and socio-political issues,
- v. Skills to question unsubstantiated ideas, biases, stereotypes, and assumptions to foster scientific temper and propose meaningful responses to contemporary concerns of society.
- c. Foster ethical, human, and Constitutional values:

As the NEP 2020 emphasises, to foster a "democratic outlook and commitment to liberty and freedom; equality, justice, and fairness; embracing diversity, plurality, and inclusion; humaneness and fraternal spirit; social responsibility and the spirit of service; ethics of integrity and honesty; scientific temper and commitment to rational and public dialogue; peace; social action through Constitutional means; unity and integrity of the nation, and a true rootedness and pride in India with a forward-looking spirit to continuously improve as a nation.

NOTE-Refer to NCF-2023-Page no-320-323

CURRICULAR GOALS-CG

As per NCF 2023 - At the Secondary Stage, students will go into details to understand India's past and appreciate its complexity, diversity, and unity brought about by cultural integration and the sharing of knowledge traditions across geographical and linguistic boundaries. P-154

- CG -2 Analyse the important phases in world history and draw insight to understand the present-day world
- CG-3 Understand the idea of a nation and the emergence of the modern Indian Nation
- CG -4 Develops an understanding of the inter-relationship between human beings and their physical environment and how that influences the livelihoods, cultural diversity, and biodiversity of the region
- CG -5 Understand the Indian Constitution and explores the essence of Indian democracy and the characteristics of a democratic government.
- CG -6 Understand and analyse social, cultural, and political life in India over time as well as the underlying historical Indian ethos and philosophy of unity in diversity – and recognises challenges faced in these areas in the past and present and the efforts (being) made to address them
- CG -7 Develop an understanding of the inter-relationship between human beings and their physical environment and how that influences the livelihoods, cultural diversity, and biodiversity of the region
- CG -8 Evaluate the economic development of a country in terms of its impact on the lives of its people and nature
- CG-9 Understand and appreciate the contribution of India through history and present times, to the overall field of Social Science, and the disciplines that constitute it

COMPETENCIES

Competencies are specific learning achievements that are observable and can be assessed systematically. In NCF, Competencies are directly derived from a Curricular Goal and are expected to be attained by the end of a Stage. The following competencies need to be developed in students to achieve the curricular goals at secondary stage.

- C-2.1 Explain historical events and processes with different types of sources with specific examples from India and world history.
- C-2.3 Trace aspects of continuity and change in different phases of world history (including cultural trends, social and religious reforms, and economic and political transformations)
- C-2.4 Explain the growth of new ideas and practices across the world and how they
 affected the course of world history.
- C-2.5 Recognise the various practices that arose, such as those in C- 2.4, and came to be condemned later on (such as racism, slavery, colonial invasions, conquests, and plunder, genocides, exclusion of women from democratic and other institutions), all of which have also impacted the course of world history and have left unhealed wounds.
- C3.2 Identify and analyse important phases of the Indian national freedom struggle against British colonial rule, with special reference to the movement led by Mahatma Gandhi and other important figures as well as those that led to independence, and

understands the specific Indian concepts, values, and methods (such as Swaraj, Swadeshi, passive resistance, fight for dharma self- sacrifice, ahimsa) that played a part in achieving Independence.

- C-4.1 Locate physiographic regions of India and the climatic zones of the world on a globe/map.
- C-4.2 Explain important geographical concepts, characteristics of key landforms, their origin, and other physical factors of a region
- C-4.3 Draw inter- linkages between various components of the physical environment, such as climate and relief, climate and vegetation, vegetation, and wildlife.
- C-4.4 Analyse and evaluate the inter- relationship between the natural environment and human beings and their cultures across regions and, in the case of India, the special environmental ethos that resulted in practices of nature conservation
- C-4.5 Critically evaluate the impact of human interventions on the environment, including climate change, pollution, shortages of natural resources (particularly water), and loss of biodiversity; identifies practices that have led to these environmental crises and the measures that must be taken to reverse them
- C-4.6 Develop sensitivity towards the judicious use of natural resources (by individuals, societies, and nations) and suggests measures for their conservation
- C-5.1 Understand that the Indian Constitution draws from the great cultural heritage and common aspirations of the Indian nation, and recalls India's early experiments with democracy (assemblies in *Mahajanapadas*, kingdoms and empires at several levels of the society, guilds sanghas and ganas, village councils and committees, *Uthiramerur* inscriptions)
- C-5.2 Appreciate fundamental Constitutional values and identify their significance for the prosperity of the Indian nation.
- C-5.3 Explain that fundamental rights are the most basic human rights, and they flourish when people also perform their fundamental duties
- C-5.4 Analyse the basic features of a democracy and democratic government and its history in India and across the world – and compares this form of government with other forms of government.
- C-5.5- Analyse the critical role of non-state and non-market participants in the functioning of a democratic government and society, such as the media, civil society, socio-religious institutions, and community institutions
- C-6.1 Understands how the Indian ethos and the cultural integration across India did not
 attempt uniformity, but respected and promoted a rich diversity in Indian society, and
 how this harmonisation and unity in diversity, with a historical respect for all cultures,
 women have counted among India's great strengths by promoting peaceful coexistence
- C-6.2 Understand that despite C-6.1, forms of inequality, injustice, and discrimination have occurred in different sections of society at different times (due to internal as well as outside forces such as colonisation), leading to political, social, and cultural efforts, struggles, movements, and mechanisms at various levels towards equity, inclusion, justice, and harmony, with varying outcomes and degrees of success.
- C-7.1 Defines key features of the economy, such as, production, distribution, demand, supply, trade, and commerce, and factors that influence these aspects (including technology)

- C-7.2 Evaluates the importance of the three sectors of production (primary, secondary, and tertiary) in any country's economy, especially India
- C-7.3 Distinguishes between 'unorganised' and 'organised' sectors of the economy and their role in production for the local market in small, medium, and large-scale production centres (industries), and recognises the special importance of the so-called 'unorganised' sector in Indian economy and its connections with the self-organising features of Indian society
- C-7.4 Trace the beginning and importance of large- scale trade and commerce (including e- commerce) between one country and another the key items of trade in the beginning, and the changes from time to time.
- C-8.1 Gather, comprehend, and analyse data related to income, capital, poverty, and employment in one's locality, region and at the national level. Markets.
- C-8.3 Understand these features in the context of ancient India, with its thriving trade, both internal and external, and its well- established trade practices and networks, business conventions, and diverse industries, all of which made India one of the world's leading economies up to the colonial period
- C-8.4 Describes India's recent path towards again becoming one of the three largest economies of the world, and how individuals can contribute to this economic progress.
- C-8.5 Appreciates the connections between economic development and the environment, and the broader indicators of societal wellbeing beyond GDP growth and income.

In Grades 9 and 10 of the Secondary Stage, the study of Social Science is organised within the disciplines of History, Geography, Political Science, and Economics. The concepts and content are chosen to develop an in-depth understanding in each discipline.

CLASS IX (2025-26) COURSE STRUCTURE

		d the Contemporary World - I	Marks-20 inclusive of Map pointing
Section	Chapter No	Chapter Name	Marks
I	I	The French Revolution	
Events and	II	Socialism in Europe and the Russian	
Process		Revolution	18+2 map
	III	Nazism and the Rise of Hitler	pointing
II Livelihood, Economies and	IV	Forest, Society and Colonialism Interdisciplinary project as part of multiple assessments (Internally assessed for 5 marks)	
Societies	V	Pastoralists in the Modern World (assessed as part of Periodic Assessment only)	

	Geography-Contemporary India - I	Marks-20 inclusive of Map pointing
Chapter No.	Chapter Name	Marks
1	India – Size and Location	
2	Physical Features of India	1
3	Drainage	17+3 map
4	Climate	pointing*
	Natural Vegetation and Wildlife (Only map pointing to be evaluated in the annua examination.	
5	Population	* Marks as mentioned
6	Interdisciplinary project as part of multiple assessme (Internally assessed for 5 marks)	ents
	Political Science- Democratic Politics - I	20 Marks
Chapter No	. Chapter name	Marks
1	What is Democracy?	
	Why Democracy?	
2	Constitutional Design	20
3	Electoral Politics	
4	Working of Institutions	
5	Democratic Rights	
	Economics	20 Marks
Chapter No		Marks
1	The Story of Village Palampur (To be assessed as part of Periodic Assessment only)	20
2	People as Resource	
3	Poverty as a Challenge]
4	Food Security in India	1

CLASS IX History-India and the Contemporary World - I

Section I: Events and Processes

Chapter-1 The French Revolution

Learning Outcomes-The students will be able to

Infer how the French Revolution had an impact on the European countries in the making of nation states in Europe and elsewhere.

- Illustrate that, the quest for imperialism triggered the First World War.
- Examine various sources to address imbalances that may lead to revolutions

Chapter 2- Socialism in Europe and the Russian Revolution

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- Compare the situations that led to the rise of Russian and French Revolutions.
- Examine the situations that led to the establishment of Lenin's communism and Stalin's collectivization.
- Analyse the role played by the varied philosophers and leaders that shaped the revolution.

Chapter 3-Nazism and the Rise of Hitler.

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- Analyse the role of "Treaty of Versailles" in the rise of Hitler to power.
- Analyse the genocidal war waged against the "undesirables" by Hitler.
- Compare and contrast the characteristics of Hitler and Gandhi

Section II: Livelihoods, Economies and Societies

Chapter 4- Forest Society and Colonialism

Interdisciplinary Project with Chapter 5 of Geography "Natural Vegetation and Wildlife"

Learning Outcomes- Refer Annexure II

Chapter 5- Pastoralists in the Modern World

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Examine the situations that have created nomadic societies highlighting the key factors played by the climatic conditions and topography.
- > Analyse varying patterns of developments within pastoral societies in different places in India.
- Comprehend the impact of colonialism on Pastoralists in India and Africa.

Geography- Contemporary India - I

Chapter 1- India - Size and Location

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Examine how the location of an area impacts its climate and time with reference to longitude and latitude.
- > Explore and analyses the trading and cultural relationships of India with its neighbouring countries.
- Evaluate the situation & reasons that made 82.5E* longitude as Time meridian of India.
- Examine how location of India enables its position as a strategic partner in the subcontinent.
- > Justify the reasons for the differences in climatic conditions, local and standard time.

Chapter 2- Physical Features of India

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Justify how the Physical Features of India influences the livelihoods, culture, and the biodiversity of the region.
- > Examine the geological process that played a crucial role in the formation of diverse physical features in India.
- Analyse the conditions and relationships of the people living in different physiographic areas.

Chapter 3- Drainage

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Examine the information about different lakes and infer on their contribution to Indian ecology.
- > Present creative solutions to overcome the water pollution and also to increase the contribution of water bodies to the Indian economy.
- > Identify the river systems of the country and explain the role of rivers in human society

Chapter 4- Climate

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- Analyse and infer the effect of monsoon winds on rainfall of the Indian subcontinent.
- Analyse the temperatures between plateau region, Himalayan region, desert region and coastal region.
- Enumerate and summarise the reasons for the wide difference between temperatures at different geographical locations of India

Chapter 5- Natural Vegetation and Wildlife

Interdisciplinary project with chapter no IV of History "Forest, Society and Colonialism

Learning Outcomes- -Refer annexure II

Chapter-6. Population

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- Analyse and infer the reasons behind the uneven distribution of population in India with specific reference to UP & Rajasthan and Mizoram and Karnataka
- Enlist the factors that affect the population density

Political Science-Democratic Politics - I

Chapter 1- What is Democracy? Why Democracy?

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

Examine the concept of structural components of Democracy and its forms/ features.

- Compare and Contrast working of democracies of India and some other countries and discuss differences and similarities in each country.
- Analyse and infer on the different historical processes and forces that have contributed for the promotion of democracy

Chapter 2- Constitutional Design

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Discuss and describe the situation that led to creation of Indian Constitution
- > Enumerate the essential features that need to be kept in mind while drafting a constitution.
- > Examine the guiding values that created the Indian constitution
- Comprehend the roles and responsibilities as citizens of India.

Chapter 3- Electoral Politics

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Analyse the implications of power of vote and power of recall.
- Summarise the essential features of the Indian Electoral system.
- Examine the rationale for adopting the present Indian Electoral System.

Chapter 4- Working of Institutions

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Examine the roles, responsibilities, and interdependency of all the 3 organs of the Government.
- > Appreciate the parliamentary system of executive's accountability to the legislature.
- Summarise and evaluate the rule of law in India.

Chapter 5- Democratic Rights

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- Summarise the importance of fundamental rights and duties in the light of the nation's glory.
- Analyse and recognise the role of a responsible citizen while performing their prescribed duties versus claiming rights.

ECONOMICS

Chapter 1- The Story of Village Palampur

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- ➤ Enlist the requirements of production and comprehend the interdependence of these requirements.
- Correlate farming and non-farming activities to economic growth.
- Comprehend how the significance of conditions of farming and the factors of production impact economic development.
- Find solutions to foster an equitable society.

Chapter 2- People as Resource

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Evaluate the reasons that contribute to the quality of population.
- > Observe different government schemes and see their effect on the people there.

Chapter 3- Poverty as a Challenge

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Comprehend the reasons for poverty in the rural and urban areas.
- Evaluate the efficacy of the government to eradicate poverty.
- Correlate the link between education and poverty.

Chapter 4- Food Security in India

Learning Outcomes- The students will be able to

- > Comprehend various aspects of food security that will ensure continuity of supply
- > Enumerate the different features of PDS that directly address FSI.
- Analyse and infer the impact of the Green Revolution.
- Analyse causes and effect of famines in food security during pre and post independent India.

CLASS IX (2025-26) MAP WORK

Subject	Chapter	List of Areas to be located /labeled/identified on the map
History	French Revolution Socialism in Europe and the Russian Revolution	Outline political map of France. Locate/label/ identify. • Bordeaux, Nantes, Paris and Marseille Outline political map of the World. Locate/label/identify Major countries of First World War: Central Powers: Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey (Ottoman Empire). Allied Powers - France, England, Russia and USA
	Nazism and the Rise of Hitler	Outline Political Map of World. Locate/label/ identify Major countries of Second World War Axis: Powers – Germany, Italy, Japan Allied Powers – UK, France, Former USSR, USA
Geography	India : size and location	 India - States and Capitals Tropic of Cancer, Standard Meridian (Location and Labeling) Neighbouring Countries
	India physical features	 Mountain Ranges: The Karakoram, The Zanskar, The Shivalik, The Aravali, The Vindhya, The Satpura, Western and Eastern Ghats Mountain Peaks-K2, Kanchan Junga, Anai Mudi

	Plateau - Deccan Plateau, Chota Nagpur Plateau, Malwa Plateau
	 Coastal Plains – Konkan, Malabar, Coromandel & Northen Circar (Location and Labelling)
Drainage system	Rivers (Identification only)
	 The Himalayan River Systems - Indus, Ganges & Sutlej
	 The Peninsular Rivers – The Narmada, The Tapti, The Kaveri, The Krishna, The Godavari, The Mahanadi
	 Lakes - Wular, Pulicat, Sambar, Chilika
Climate	Annual rainfall in India, Monsoon wind direction
Population	Population density of all states
	The state having highest and lowest density of population

Note- The Maps available in the website of Govt. of India may be used.

CLASS IX (2025-26) INTERNAL ASSESSMENT: 20 MARKS

Type of Assessment	Description	
Periodic Assessment	Pen Paper Test	5
Multiple Assessment	Quiz, debate, role play, viva-voce, group discussion, visual expression, interactive bulletin boards, gallery walks, exit cards, concept maps, peer assessment, self- assessment etc. through interdisciplinary project	5
Subject Enrichment Activity	Project work (Interdisciplinary)-Disaster Management	5
Portfolio	Classroom, work done (activities/assignments) reflections, narrations, journals etc. Achievements of the student in the subject throughout the year. Participation of the student in different activities like Heritage India quiz etc.	5

CLASS IX PRESCRIBED TEXT BOOKS

S. No.	Subject	Name of the Book	Publisher
1	History	India and the Contemporary World-I	NCERT
2	Political Science	Democratic Politics-I	NCERT
3	Geography	Contemporary India-I	NCERT
4	Economics	Economics	NCERT
5	Disaster Management	Together, towards a safer India- Part II	CBSE

CLASS X -2025-26 COURSE STRUCTURE

His	20 Marks inclusive of map pointing			
Section	Chapter Chapter name No.		Marks	
I Events and	I	The Rise of Nationalism in Europe		
processes	II	Nationalism in India	18+2 map pointing	
II Livelihoods, Economies and Societies	III	The Making of a Global World (To be evaluated in the Board Examination Subtopics: 1 to 1.3 Pre Modern World to Conquest, disease and trade)		
		Interdisciplinary project as part of multiple assessments (Internally assessed for 5 marks) Subtopics 2 to 4.4 –The nineteenth century (1815-1914) to end of Bretton Woods & the beginning of "Globalisation"		
	IV	The Age of Industrialisation (To be assessed as part of Periodic Assessment only)		
III. Everyday Life, Culture and politics	V	Print Culture and the Modern world		
	Geograp	hy (Contemporary India-II)	Marks-20 inclusive map pointing	
Chapter No.		Chapter Name	Marks	
1	Resource	s and Development		
2	Forest an	d Wildlife Resources		
3	Water res	ources	17+3 map	
4	Agricultur	e	pointing	
5	Minerals a	and energy Resources		
6	Manufacti			
7		f National Economy pointing to be evaluated in the Board Examination)		

	Inter	disciplinary project as part of multiple assessmen (Internally assessed for 5 marks)	ts
	Political Scien	ce (Democratic Politics-II)	20
Unit No.	Chapter No.	Chapter name	Marks
I	1	Power-sharing	
	2	Federalism	- 00
II	3	Gender, Religion and Caste	20
III	4	Political Parties	
IV	5	Outcomes of Democracy	
Eco	nomics (Under	standing Economic Development)	20
Chapter No.		Chapter name	Marks
1	Development		
2	Sectors of the Indian Economy		
3	Money and Credit		20
4	 Globalisation and the Indian Economy to be evaluated in the Board Examination What is Globalisation? Factors that have enabled Globalisation 		
	(Internally aProductionChinese toWorld Trad	inary project as part of multiple assessment assessed for 5 marks) across the countries ys in India le Organisation le for a Fair Globalisation	
5	Consumer Rig	ghts (Project Work)	

CLASS X (2025-26) COURSE CONTENT

HISTORY: India and the Contemporary World - II

Chapter I - The Rise of Nationalism in Europe

Learning outcome- The students will be able to

- ➤ Infer how French Revolution had an impact on the European countries in the making of a nation state.
- > Comprehend the nature of the diverse social movements of the time.
- > Analyse and infer the evolution of the idea of nationalism which led to the formation of nation states in Europe and elsewhere.
- > Evaluate the reasons which led to the First World War.

Chapter 2 Nationalism in India

Learning outcome- The students will be able to

- ➤ Illustrate various facets of Nationalistic movements that ushered in the sense of Collective Belonging.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies applied by Gandhiji and other leaders in the movements organised by him.
- > Summarise the effects of the First World War that triggered the two defining movements (Khilafat &Non- Cooperation Movement) in India

Chapter 3-. The Making of a Global World

Subtopic 1. The pre-modern world

Subtopic 2. 19th century 1815-1914

Subtopic 3. The inter- war economy

Subtopic 4. Rebuilding of world economy: the post war era.

Inter disciplinary Project with chapter 7 of Geography: Lifelines of National Economy and chapter 4 of Economics: Globalisation and the Indian Economy

Refer Annexure III B

Learning outcome- The students will be able to

- > Summarise the changes that transformed the world in different areas.
- Depict the global interconnectedness from the Pre-modern to the present day.
- > Enumerate the destructive impact of colonialism on the livelihoods of colonised people.

Chapter 4-The Age of Industrialisation

Learning outcome- The students will be able to

- Enumerate economic, political, social features of Pre and Post Industrialization.
- Analyse and infer how the industrialization impacted colonies with specific focus on India

Chapter 5. Print culture and the Modern World

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Enumerate the development of Print from its beginnings in East Asia to its expansion in Europe and India.
- Compare and contrast the old tradition of handwritten manuscripts versus print technology.
- Summarise the role of Print revolution and its impact

Geography: Contemporary India - II

Chapter 1- Resources and Development

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- ➤ Enumerates how the resources are interdependent, justify how planning is essential in judicious utilisation of resources and the need to develop them in India.
- > Infer the rationale for development of resources.
- > Analyse and evaluate data and information related to non-optimal land, utilization in India
- > Suggest remedial measures for optimal utilization of underutilized resources

Chapter 2- Forest and Wildlife Resources

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Examine the importance of conserving forests and wildlife and their interdependency in maintaining the ecology for the sustainable development of India.
- > Analyse the role of grazing and wood cutting in the development and degradation
- > Summarise the reasons for conservation of biodiversity under sustainable development.
- Discuss how developmental works, grazing wood cutting have impacted the forests
- > Use art integration to summarise and present the reasons for conservation of biodiversity in India under sustainable development.

Chapter 3-Water Resources

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Examine the reasons for conservation of water resource in India.
- Analyse and infer how the multipurpose projects are supporting the requirement of water.

Chapter 4- Agriculture

Learning Outcome

- > Examine the crucial role played by agriculture in our economy and society.
- Analyse the challenges faced by the farming community in India.
- > Identifies various aspects of agriculture, including crop production, types of farming etc.

Chapter 5- Minerals and Energy Resources

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Enumerate the impact of manufacturing industries on the environment and develop strategies for sustainable development of the manufacturing sector.
- > Differentiate between various types of manufacturing industries based on their input materials, processes, and end products, and analyse their significance in the Indian economy.
- > Analyse the relation between the availability of raw material and location of the industry

Chapter 7- Life Lines of National Economy

Interdisciplinary project with chapter 3 of History: The making of a Global world and chapter 4 of Economics: Globalisation and the Indian Economy

Learning Outcome-Refer Annexure III-B

Political Science: Democratic Politics - II

Chapter 1- Power - sharing

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- Enumerate the need for power sharing in democracy.
- Analyse the challenges faced by countries like Belgium and Sri Lanka ensuring effective power sharing.
- Compare and contrast the power sharing of India with Sri Lanka and Belgium.
- Summarise the purpose of power sharing in preserving the unity and stability of a country

Chapter 2-Federalism

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Infer how federalism is being practised in India.
- > Analyse the policies and politics that has strengthened federalism in practice.

Chapter 3- Gender, Religion and Caste

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- Examine the role and differences of Gender, religion and Caste in practicing Democracy.
- Analyse that different expressions based on the differences, are healthy or otherwise in a democracy

Chapter 4- Political Parties

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- Understand the process of parties getting elected.
- > Know the significance of the right to vote and exercise the duties as citizens of a nation.
- Examine the role, purpose and no. of Political Parties in Democracy.

Chapter 5- Outcomes of Democracy

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

➤ Enumerates how the success of democracy depends on quality of government, economic well- being, inequality, social differences, conflict, freedom and dignity.

Economics: Understanding Economic Development

Chapter- 1. Development

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Enumerate and examine the different processes involved in setting developmental Goals.
- > Analyse and infer how the per capita income depicts the economic condition of the nation.

- ➤ Evaluate the development goals with reference to their efficacy, implemental strategies, relevance to current requirements of the nation.
- > Compare the per capita income of some countries and infer reasons for the variance.
- > Analyse the multiple perspectives on the need of development.

Chapter 2- Sectors of the Indian Economy

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- ➤ Analyse and infer how the economic activities in different sectors contribute to the overall growth and development of the Indian economy.
- > Propose solutions to identified problems in different sectors based on their understanding.
- Summarise how the organised and unorganised sectors are providing employment
- ➤ Enumerate the role of the unorganised sector in impacting Per Capita Income currently and propose suggestive steps to reduce the unorganised sector for more productive contributions to GDP.
- > Enumerate and infer the essential role of the Public and Private sectors

Chapter 3- Money and Credit

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- > Enumerate how money plays as a medium exchange in all transactions of goods and services from ancient times to the present times.
- Analyse and infer various sources of Credit.
- > Summarise the significance and role of self-help groups in the betterment of the economic condition of rural people/ women.

Chapter- 4. Globalisation and the Indian Economy

Subtopics: What is Globalisation?

Factors that have enabled Globalisation.

Interdisciplinary Project with chapter 3 of History: "The making of a Global World". And chapter 7 of Geography: "Lifelines of National Economy"

Subtopics:

- i. Production across the countries
- ii. World Trade Organisation
- iii. The Struggle for a Fair Globalisation

Refer Annexure III-B

Learning Outcome- The students will be able to

- ➤ Enumerate the concept of globalisation and its definition, evolution, and impact on the global economy.
- ➤ Evaluate the key role of the key major drivers of globalisation and their role in shaping the global economic landscape in various countries.
- > Comprehend the significance of role of G20 and its significance in the light of India's role.

5. Project work - Consumer Rights OR Social Issues OR Sustainable Development

Learning Outcome- Refer Annexure III

CLASS X (2025-26) MAP WORK

Subject	Name of the Chapter	List of areas to be located/ labeled/ identified on		
		the map		
History	Nationalism in India	 I. Congress sessions: 1920 Calcutta 1920 Nagpur 1927 Madras session II. 3 Satyagraha movements: Kheda Champaran Ahmedabad mill workers III. Jallianwala Bagh IV. Dandi March 		
Geography	Resources and Development	Identify Major Soil Types		
	Water Resources	Locating and Labeling:		
		 Salal Bhakra Nangal Tehri Rana Pratap Sagar Sardar Sarovar Hirakund Nagarjun Sagar Tungabhadra 		
	Agriculture	 Identify: Major areas of Rice and Wheat Largest/Major producer states of Sugarcane, Tea, Coffee, Rubber, Cotton and Jute 		
	Minerals and Energy	Identify:		
	Resources	Iron Ore Mines Mayurbhanj Durg Bailadila Bellary Kudremukh Coal Mines Raniganj Bokaro Talcher Neyveli Mumbai High Bassien Kalol Ankaleshwar		
		Locate and label: Power Plants		
		Thermal Nuclear Narora Singrauli Ramagundam Tarapur Kalpakkam		

Manufacturing Industries	 Manufacturing Industries only) Cotton textile Industries: a c. Surat, d. Kanpur, e. Co Iron and Steel Plants: a. I Jamshedpur, d. Bhilai, e. Software technology Park nagar, c. Mumbai, d. Pun f. Bengaluru, g. Chennai, 	oimbatore Durgapur, b. Bokaro, c. Vijayanagar, f. Salem ks: a. Noida, b. Gandhi- e, e. Hyderabad,
Lifelines of National Economy	a. Major Sea Ports • Kandla • Mumbai • Marmagao • New Mangalore • Kochi b. International Airports • Amritsar (Raja Sansi- • Delhi (Indira Gandhi) • Mumbai (Chhatrapati • Chennai (Meenamba • Kolkata (Netaji Subha • Hyderabad (Rajiv Ga	Shivaji) kkam) ash Chandra Bose)

Note

- 1. Items of Locating and Labelling may also be given for Identification.
- 2. The Maps available in the website of Govt. of India may be used.

CLASS X QUESTION PAPER DESIGN

Subject Wise Weightage

Subject	Syllabus	Marks (80)	Percentage
History	 The Rise of Nationalism in Europe. Nationalism in India: The Making of a Global World Sub topics 1 to 1.3 Print Culture and the Modern World Map pointing 	18+2	25%
Political Science	 Power – sharing Federalism Gender, Religion and Caste Political Parties Outcomes of Democracy 	20	25%
Geography	 Resources and Development Forest and Wildlife Resources Water Resources Agriculture Mineral& Energy resources Manufacturing industries. Lifelines of National Economy (map pointing) Map pointing 	17+3	25%
Economics	 Development Sectors of the Indian Economy Money and Credit Globalisation and The Indian Economy Sub topics: What is Globalisation? Factors that have enabled Globalisation 	20	25%

Weightage to Type of Questions

Type of Questions	Marks (80)	Percent age
1 Mark- MCQs (20x1) (Inclusive Of Assertion, Reason, Differentiation & Stem)	20	25%
2 Marks- Long Answer Questions (4x2) (Knowledge, Understanding, Application, Analysis, Evaluation, Synthesis & Create)	8	10%
3 Marks- Long Answer Questions (5x3) (Knowledge, Understanding, Application, Analysis, Evaluation, Synthesis & Create)	15	18.75%
4 Marks- Case Study Questions (3x4) (Knowledge, Understanding, Application, Analysis, Evaluation, Synthesis & Create)	12	15%
5 Mark- Long Answer Questions (4x5) (Knowledge, Understanding, Application, Analysis, Evaluation, Synthesis & Create)	20	25%
Map Pointing	5	6.25%

Weightage to Competency Levels

Sr. No.	Competencies	Marks (80)	Percent- age
1	Remembering and Understanding: Exhibiting memory of previously learned material by recalling facts, terms, basic concepts, and answers; Demonstrating understanding of facts and ideas by organizing, translating, interpreting, giving descriptions and stating main ideas.	24	30%
2	Applying : Solving problems to new situations by applying acquired knowledge, facts, techniques and rules in a different way.	11	13.25%
3	Analysing, Evaluating and Creating: Examining and breaking information into parts by identifying motives or causes; Making inferences and finding evidence to support generalizations; Presenting and defending opinions by making judgments about information, validity of ideas, or quality of work based on a set of criteria. Compiling information together in a different way by	40	50%
	combining elements in a new pattern or proposing alternative solutions.		
4	Map Skill	5	6.25%
	Total	80	100%

CLASS X (2025-26) GUIDELINES FOR INTERNAL ASSESSMENT: 20 MARKS

Type of Assessment	Description	
Periodic Assessment	Pen Paper Test.	5
Multiple Assessment	Quiz, debate, role play, viva, group discussion, visual expression, interactive bulletin boards, gallery walks, exit cards, concept maps, peer assessment, Self-assessment etc. through Interdisciplinary project	5
Subject Enrichment Activity	Project Work on Consumer Rights OR Social Issues OR Sustainable Development (Interdisciplinary)	5
Portfolio	Classwork, Work done (activities/ assignments) reflections, narrations, journals, etc. Achievements of the student in the subject throughout the year Participation of the student in different activities like heritage India quiz	5

CLASS X PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOKS

S.No.	Subject	Name of the Book	Publisher
1	History	India and the Contemporary World-II	NCERT
2	Political Science	Democratic Politics-II	NCERT
3	Geography	Contemporary India-II	NCERT
4	Economics	Understanding Economic Development	NCERT
5	Disaster Management	Together, towards a safer India- Part III	CBSE

Project Work: Class IX

Project work	Competencies
Every student must undertake one project on Disaster Management	The students will develop the following competencies:
Objectives: The main objectives of giving project work on Disaster Management to the students are to:	
To create awareness in them about different disasters, their consequences and management	 Evaluate the situations
To prepare them in advance to face such situations	during disasters.Synthesize the information.
 To ensure their participation in disaster risk reduction plans To enable them to create awareness and preparedness 	Find creative solutions
among the community.	Strategies the order of
 The project work helps in enhancing the Life Skills of the students. 	solutions.Use the right
Various forms of art must be integrated in the project work.	communication skills.

Guidelines:

To realise the expected objectives, it would be required of the principals / teachers to muster support from various local authorities and organisations like the Disaster Management Authorities, Relief, Rehabilitation and the Disaster Management Departments of the States, Office of the District Magistrate/ Deputy Commissioners, Fire Service, Police, Civil Defence etc. in the area where the schools are located.

The project carried out by the students should subsequently be shared among themselves through interactive sessions such as exhibitions, panel discussions, etc.

The distribution of marks over different rubrics relating to Project Work is as follows:

S.no	Aspects	Mar ks
а	Content accuracy and originality	2
b	Competencies exhibited and Presentation	2
С	Viva-Voce	1

- All documents pertaining to assessment under this activity should be meticulously maintained by the schools.
- A Summary Report should be prepared highlighting:
 - objectives realized through individual work and group interactions.
 - calendar of activities.
 - innovative ideas generated in the process.
 - list of questions asked in viva voce.

- ➤ It is to be noted here by all the teachers and students that the projects and models prepared should be made from eco-friendly products without incurring too much expenditure.
- > The Project Report can be handwritten or digital.
- The Project Work needs to enhance cognitive, affective and psychomotor skills of the learners. It will include self-assessment and peer assessment, and progress of the child in project-based and inquiry-based learning, art integrated activities, experiments, models, quizzes, role plays, group work, portfolios, etc., along with teacher assessment. (NEP-2020)
- The **Project** work culminate the form of **PowerPoint** \triangleright can in Presentation/Exhibition/Skit/albums/files/song culture and dance or show /story telling/debate/panel discussion, paper presentation and whichever is suitable to Visually Impaired Candidates.)
- > The record of the project work (internal assessment) should be kept for a period of three months for verification, if any.

Class-IX Interdisciplinary Project

Subject and Chapter No	Name of the Chapter	Suggested Teaching Learning Process	Learning Outcomes with Specific Competencies	Time Schedule For Completion
History Chapter IV	Forest Society and Colonialism	Interdisciplinary project Teachers can make use of the pedagogies in facilitating the students in completion of Interdisciplinary Project Constructivism Inquiry based learning Cooperative Learning Research based learning. Experiential learning. Art integration Multiple Assessment: Ex. Surveys / Interviews / Research work/ Observation/ Story based Presentation/ Art integration/ Quiz/ Debate/ role play/ viva, /group discussion, /visual expression/ interactive bulletin boards/ gallery walks/ exit cards/ concept maps/ peer assessment/ art integration /Self- assessment/ integration of technology etc.	Compare the forest situations prevailed in the pre- colonial, colonial and post-colonial era. Evaluate the growth & role of commercial forestry in different types of Vegetation. Analyse the reasons for rebellions in forest areas of south East-Asia with specification to JAVA. To defend the role of government and the local communities in protecting the forest cover.	The schools to do IDP between the months of April and September at the School under the guidance of a teacher. (Carryover of project to home must be strictly avoided)
Geography Chapter 5	Natural Vegetation and Wildlife		To devise ways to protect the forest vegetation and wildlife in India.	

Guidelines for Interdisciplinary Project:

It involves combining 2 or more disciplines into one activity-more coherent and integrated. The generally recognized disciplines are economics, History, Geography, Political Science. A sample plan has been enclosed. Kindly access the link given below-https://docs.google.com/document/d/1668TKkRt80r4-kbjJ_Y7zg4mF3Vq1Y9k/edit

Plan of the project:

A suggestive 10 days' plan given below which you may follow, or you can create on your own, based on the templates provided below.

Process:

Initial collaboration among students to arrange their roles, areas of integration, area of investigation and analysis, roles of students.

Team leader: Main collaborator

Team members:

Note: Teacher to allocate the roles as per the abilities of the students.

- Final submission based on course deliverables as given in the template below the 10-day plan.
- Assessment Plan: to be done by the teacher clearly mentioning the Rubrics.
- Report, poster and video acknowledgements: reflections & expression of gratitude as given in the template given below

Class IX Interdisciplinary project

10 days suggestive plan

10 periods

Day 1-2: Colonialism and Forest Society

Discuss the impact of colonialism on forest societies and explore the concept of forest as a resource in colonialism. Group project: Research and present a PPT on the colonial forest policy and its impact on forest societies.

Day 3-4: "Rebellion in the Forest"

Analyse the causes and effects of forest-based rebellions in history. Watch the following film Group discuss about forest tribes of your state and the exploitations they face. Refer Annexure V for Rubrics. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N6SR0REa_YA

Day 5-6: Forest Transformations in Java, Tropical Evergreen Forests

- Examine the impact of human activity on forests in Java.
- Explore how changes in land use, agriculture, and industry have impacted the forests.
 Students can research the history of forest transformations in Java and their impact on the environment.
- Study the transformation of forests in Java, from pre-colonial to post-colonial times.
 Compare and contrast the conversion of forest into agricultural land and the need.
 Through group discussions find solutions. Present an art integrated project.
- Discuss the characteristics of tropical evergreen forests, including their climate, soil, and flora/fauna.
- Students can research specific examples of tropical evergreen forests and the challenges they face, such as deforestation and climate change.

Group project: watch the video through the link https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ml0xvHsBigI

- Analyse and present the impact of forest transformations on society, economy and environment in Java. Compare and contrast it with India.
- Present a PPT of your learnings. Refer Annexure V for rubrics

Day 7-8: Discuss how colonialism has affected the forest's biodiversity and the survival of indigenous communities living in and around the forest

Group activity: Divide the group into smaller teams and assign them tasks related to identifying the impact of colonialism on different types of forests. For example, one team can research the impact of colonialism on forest fires, while another team can research the impact of colonialism on the survival of indigenous plants and animals. Make the students use cartoon strips to present their findings. Day 9-10: Make the students compile all the findings of 8 days' work and present them in PPT and through the template given in Annexure IV.

Class X - Project				
10 periods	5 marks			
Every student must undertake one project on Consumer Awareness OR Social Issues OR Sustainable	The students will develop the following competencies:			
Development Objectives:	Collaboration			
 The objective of the project work is to help students gain an insight and pragmatic understanding of the theme and see all the Social Science disciplines from an interdisciplinary perspective. 	 Use analytical skills. Evaluate the situations during disasters. Synthesize the information. Find creative solutions. 			
 It should also help in enhancing the Life Skills of the students. Students are expected to apply the Social Science concepts that they have learnt over the years to prepare the project report 				
If required, students may go out for collecting data and use different primary and secondary resources to prepare the project.	 Strategies the order of solutions Use right communication skills 			
If possible, various forms of art may be integrated in the project work. Guidelines:				

Guidelines:

The distribution of marks over different rubrics relating to Project Work is as follows:

S.no	Rubrics	Marks
а	Content accuracy and originality	2
b	Competencies exhibited and Presentation	2
С	Viva-Voce	1

The project carried out by the students should subsequently be shared among themselves through interactive sessions such as exhibitions, panel discussions, etc.

- 1. All documents pertaining to assessment under this activity should be meticulously maintained by the schools.
- A Summary Report should be prepared highlighting:
 - objectives realized through individual work and group interactions.
 - calendar of activities.
 - innovative ideas generated in the process
 - list of questions asked in viva voce.
- It is to be noted here by all the teachers and students that the projects and models prepared should be made from eco-friendly products without incurring too much expenditure.
- The Project Report can be handwritten or digital. 4.
- 5. The Project Work needs to enhance cognitive, affective and psychomotor skills of the learners. It will include self-assessment and peer assessment, and progress of the child in project-based and inquiry-based learning, art integrated activities, experiments, models, quizzes, role plays, group work, portfolios, etc., along with teacher assessment. (NEP- 2020)

- 6. Must be done at school only as specific periods are allocated for project work.
- 7. The Project work can culminate in the form of Power Point Presentation/ Exhibition/ Skit/ albums/files/song and dance or culture show/story telling/debate/panel discussion, paper presentation and whichever is suitable to Visually Impaired Candidates.
- 8. Records pertaining to projects (internal assessment) of the students will be maintained for a period of three months from the date of declaration of result for verification at the discretion of the Board. Subjudice cases, if any or those involving RTI / Grievances may however be retained beyond three months.

B Interdisciplinary Project: Class X

Subject and Chapter No.	Name of the Chapter	Suggested Teaching Learning Process	Learning Outcomes with Specific Competencies	Time Schedule For Completion
History Chapter III Geography Chapter 7	Making of a Global World Lifelines of National Economy	The teachers may use the following pedagogies in facilitating the students in completion of Interdisciplinary Project. 1) Constructivism 2) Inquiry based learning 3) Cooperative learning 4) Learning station 5) Collaborative learning 6) Videos/ Visuals/ documentaries/ movie clippings 7) Carousel technique 8) Art integrated learning Group Discussions Multiple Assessment:Ex. Surveys/ Interviews/ Research work/ Observation/ Story based	 Analyse the implication of globalisation for local economies. Discuss how globalisation is experienced differently by different social groups. Enumerates how transportation works as a lifeline of the economy. Analyse and infer the impact of roadways and railways on the national economy. Analyses and infers the challenges faced by the roadways and railway sector in India 	The schools do IDP between the months of April and September at the School under the guidance of a teacher. (Carryover of project to home must be strictly avoided)
Economics	Globalisation	Presentation/ Art	> Integrate various	
Chapter 4	on and the Indian Economy	integration/ Quiz/ Debate/ role play/ viva, /group discussion, /visual expression/ interactive bulletin	dimensions of globalisation in terms of cultural / political/ social /economical aspects)	

boards/ gallery walks/ exit cards/ concept maps/ peer assessment/ art integration /Self - assessment/integrati on of technology etc.	 Appraise the evolution of Globalisation and the global trends Investigate the factors that facilitated the growth on MNC 's
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Guidelines:

- It involves combining 2 or more disciplines into one activity-more coherent and integrated. The generally recognized disciplines are economics, History, Geography, Political Science, a sample plan has been enclosed) Kindly access the link given below
- Methodology (A sample interdisciplinary project plan Link has been provided to get an insight about IDP.
- Topic: The Making of a Global World, Globalisation and Lifelines of Economy
 https://docs.google.com/document/d/1dlwwFeaSrExJHMtkzcEuog3ehh-7FtHM/edit

Plan of the project:

A suggestive 10 days' plan given below which you may follow, or you can create on your own, based on the templates provided below

Process:

Initial collaboration among students to arrange their roles, areas of integration, area of investigation and analysis, roles of students

Class X: 10-day Suggestive plan for Interdisciplinary Project

Day 1: Introduction to the Interdisciplinary Project and Setting the Context:

Brief overview of the project and its objectives to be given by the teachers.

History teacher to Introduce the historical context of World War II and its aftermath through inquiry methods.

Make the students to Group discuss the impact of World War II on the global economy. Teacher to refer annexure III for rubrics)

Day 2: The Great Depression:

Students to watch a video from the link, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gqx2E5qIV9s and discuss the causes and consequences of the Great Depression and the role of mass production and consumption in the Great Depression. Present a group PPT /report on consequences of the Great Depression on the global economy.

Day 3: India and the Great Depression:

Students to collect material related to India's economic condition during the Great Depression and relate it to the present economic condition of India and US. Students may collect information through a visit to the library.

As a group activity they need to present a collage of their findings. (Refer Annexure V for

Day 4: Rebuilding the World Economy and Interlinking Production across countries

- Teachers to use Jigsaw method to make the students to sit in groups and to give each group a
 part of the handout with information about process taken to rebuild economy and how the
 production across countries got interlinked. Make the groups to compile the information by
 moving from group to group.
- Make them discuss the post-war recovery efforts and their impact on the global economy
- Study the role of the Bretton Woods Institutions in rebuilding the world economy and present their learnings through Art Integrated Project. Refer Annexure V for rubrics.

Day 5: The Early Post-War Years: The role of roadways, railways, waterways and airways in building the national economy

- The teacher distributes the Handout 1 given below to the groups and asks them to find answers to the questions posed at the end of Hand out and present it in groups using Café conversations mode. Refer Annexure III for rubrics.
- Study the challenges faced by the world in the early post-war years

Day 6: Post war settlement and Bretton Woods institutions

• Make the students read the material available online/in library and debate the impact of Bretton Woods institutions in the post war economy. Refer Annexure V for Rubrics.

Day 7: Decolonization and Independence - The Role of World Trade Organization:

- The students will read the handout 2 given below and present a role play of the support rendered by the World Trade Organisation in building new nations. Refer Annexure V for rubrics
- Introduction to the World Trade Organization
- Study the role of the WTO in promoting fair trade practices
- Discuss the efforts made towards decolonization and independence of nations

Day 8: End of Bretton Woods and the Beginning of Globalisation:

- The students will read material given in the link
 https://www.imf.org/external/about/histend.htm#:~:text=End%20of%20Bretton% 20Woods
 https://www.imf.org/external/about/histend.htm#:~:text=End%20of%20Bretton% 20Woods
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- Organise an interview with a financial expert/economist/ lecturer/professor. Based on the information they gathered, the students can submit a report on the findings.
- Discuss the reasons for the end of the Bretton Woods system

Day 9: Impact of Globalization in India and role of waterways and airways https://www.jagranjosh.com/general-knowledge/new-economic-policy-of-1991-objectives-features-and-impacts-1448348633-1

- The students will read the material given in the above link and design a report on what would have happened to India if this stand wasn't taken and present it as a radio talk show. They will link the role of waterways and airways in the achievement of India in globalisation.
- Study the impact of globalisation on the Indian economy
- Discuss the challenges faced by India in the process of globalisation

Day 10. Final presentation

Conclude the interdisciplinary project and summarize the key takeaways.

Handout 1 for Day 4 of Inter Disciplinary Project of Class X

Title: The Role of Waterways and Airways in Post-World War II- World and India

Introduction: After the end of World War II, the world faced significant economic, social, and political changes. The role of waterways and airways in shaping the post-war world and India is crucial to understand. In this handout, we will discuss the impact of waterways and airways on the global economy and how it helped India in its development.

Waterways: In the post-World War II era, waterways played a crucial role in the movement of goods and people. The improvement of ports and waterways allowed for more efficient transportation of goods and helped to spur economic growth.

The increased demand for goods and services, combined with the development of shipping technologies, allowed for the expansion of international trade. This helped to boost the world economy and allowed for the growth of industries in many countries, including India.

In India, the development of waterways and ports helped to improve the country's economy. The country's long coastline and several rivers made it an ideal location for the transportation of goods. The growth of ports and waterways in India allowed for the movement of goods from one part of the country to another, helping to spur economic growth and development.

Airways: After World War II, the development of air transportation revolutionized the world's economy. The expansion of air travel allowed for faster and more efficient transportation of goods and people, which helped to boost the world economy.

In India, the growth of airways helped to connect different parts of the country and made it easier for people and goods to move from one place to another. This helped to spur economic growth and development in India.

The growth of air transportation in India also allowed for the expansion of international trade. Indian businesses could now easily access foreign markets, which helped to boost the country's economy.

Conclusion:

The role of waterways and airways in the post-World War II world and India was crucial in shaping the economic and social landscape of these countries. The development of these transportation modes helped to spur economic growth and allowed for the expansion of international trade. Understanding the impact of waterways and airways on the world and India is crucial in understanding the economic and social changes that took place after World War II.

Questions:

- 1. Mention the role of major ports in imports and exports.
- 2. Emergence of Deccan airways changed the entire functionalities of domestic airways. Substantiate the statement
- The waterways and airways contribute to the economic growth of India. Substantiate your answer.

Handout 2 for day 7 of Inter Disciplinary Project of Class X

Title The Role of the World Trade Organization (WTO) in Building New Nations Post-Colonialization

Introduction: After the end of colonialism, many countries faced significant economic and political challenges as they worked to establish themselves as independent nations. The World Trade Organization (WTO) played a crucial role in helping these countries to rebuild their economies and participate in the global economy. In this handout, we will discuss the role of the WTO in building new nations post- colonialization.

What is the WTO?

The WTO is an international organization that was established in 1995 to promote international trade and help countries participate in the global economy.

The WTO provides a forum for countries to negotiate and enforce international trade agreements and helps to ensure that trade is conducted in a fair and predictable manner. The organization also provides technical assistance and advice to help countries improve their trade policies and participate in the global economy.

How has the WTO helped new nations post-colonialization?

After colonial rule ended, many countries faced significant economic challenges as they worked to establish themselves as independent nations. The WTO helped these countries to participate in the global economy by providing a forum for trade negotiations and by helping to enforce international trade agreements.

The WTO also provided technical assistance and advice to help these countries improve their trade policies and participate in the global economy. This helped to spur economic growth and development in these countries and allowed them to become more integrated into the global economy.

By participating in the global economy, new nations post-colonialisation was able to expand their markets, attract foreign investment, and improve their economic performance. The WTO played a crucial role in helping these countries to build their economies and establish themselves as stable, independent nations.

Conclusion:

The WTO played a crucial role in building new nations post-colonialization by helping these countries to participate in the global economy. The organization's trade negotiations, enforcement of international trade agreements, and technical assistance helped to spur economic growth and development in these countries. Understanding the role of the WTO in building new nations post-colonialization is important in understanding the economic and political changes that took place after the end of colonial rule.

Suggested Template for Presentation by the Students - Class IX & X

Name of the Students (Team):			
Class:	Section:		
Topics of Interdisciplinary			
Project:			
Title of the Project:			
Objectives:			
Multiple Assessment:			
Ex. Surveys / Interviews / Research work/ Observation/ Story based Presentation/ Art integration/ Quiz/ Debate/ role play/ viva, /Group discussion /visual expression/ interactive bulletin boards/ gallery walks/ exit cards/ concept maps/ peer assessment/ art integration /Self-assessment/ integration of technology etc.			
Evidences: Photos, Excerpts from Interv	iews, observations, Videos, Research References, etc.		
Overall presentation: Link of PPT, shared documents, can be digital/handwritten, as per the convenience of the school.			
Acknowledgement:			
References			
(websites, books, newspaper			
etc.)			
Reflections:			

ANNEXURE V

Rubrics for Interdisciplinary Project

Rubrics	Marks allocated
Research Work	1
Collaboration & Communication	1
Presentation & Content relevance	1
Competencies- Creativity, Analytical skills, Evaluation, Synthesizing,	2
Total	5