**ENGLISH SYLLABUS**

**CLASS VIII**

**Session 2018 – 2019**

**Literature Chapters:**

1. The shoemaker of Paris
2. The shocking arrival
3. I wandered lonely as a cloud
4. When wishes come true
5. For a drop of water
6. Faraway places
7. Just like a man
8. Lovely heart
9. The five orange pips
10. The sword in the stone
11. An Elegy on the death of a mad dog
12. The sacrifice of vessantara
13. The Bennets
14. The Ballad of semmerwater
15. Odysseus
16. Packing for the journey
17. I know why the caged bird sings
18. Portia’s suitors
19. Arithmetic
20. Essay Competition

**GRAMMAR CHAPTERS:**

1. The phrase and the clause
2. The order of word in an sentence
3. The Nouns
4. Nouns as well as verbs
5. The adjective
6. Degree of comparison of adjective
7. The determiners
8. The pronoun
9. Verbs and tenses
10. Verbs: transitive/Intransitive
11. Verbs: Finite/ Infinite
12. The participle
13. The Gerund
14. The adverb
15. Adverb – too, enough
16. The preposition
17. Active and passive voice
18. Narration: direct to indirect
19. Narration: Indirect to direct
20. Phrases and clauses
21. Kinds of adverbs clauses
22. Synthesis of sentences
23. Figures of speech
24. Idiomatic expressions
25. Antonyms
26. Homophones
27. Homonyms
28. Abbreviation
29. Interactive English

**COMMON CHAPTERS FOR TERM I & TERM II**

1. Comprehension
2. Diary writing
3. Writing an essay
4. Sending Telegram
5. The paragraph
6. Writing a letter
7. Writing a Notice
8. Writing a message

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|  | **TERM I SYLLABUS** | **TERM II SYLLABUS** |
| **PERIODIC TEST I** | Literature Chapters: 1 to 6.  Grammar Chapters: 1 to 7. |  |
| **MID TERM EXAM** | Literature Chapters: 1 to 10.  Grammar Chapters: 1 to 13  Common chapters: 1 to 8 (ALL) |  |
| **PERIODIC TEST II** |  | Literature Chapters: 11 to 15.  Grammar Chapters: 14 to 18. |
| **PERIODIC TEST III** |  | Literature Chapters: 16 to 20  Grammar Chapters: 19 to 23 |
| **TERM END EXAM** |  | Literature Chapters: 11 to 20  **Literatures TERM I syllabus Chapters: 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10.**  Grammar Chapters: 11 to 23.  Common Chapters: 1 to 8 (ALL). |