

**English**  
**Class - X**  
**Syllabus - First Semester**

- 1. Reading Skills**  
Comprehension of Unseen Passages  
(Prose/Poetry)
- 2 English Main Course Book**
  - L-1** The Happy Prince
  - L-2** Where is Science Taking Us?
  - L-3** Secret of Happiness.
  - L-4** A Gift for Christmas
  - L-5** The War of Troy.
- 3 Supplementary Reader**
  - L-1** A Vine on a House
  - L-2** Bed Number -29
  - L-3** Half A Rupee Worth
  - L-4** One Thousand Dollars
- 4 Poems**
  - P-1** Sweet are the Uses of Adversity
  - P-2** Character of a Happy Man
  - P-3** Death the Leveller
- 5 Vocabulary**
  - 1** Pairs of words generally confused
  - 2** Idioms
- 6 Grammar**
  - 1** Use of determiners, prepositions, modals
  - 2** Use and kinds of non-finites
  - 3** Voice
  - 4** Use of Tenses
- 7 Writing Skills**
  - 1.** Personal Letters, Business, official
  - 2.** Notice and Note making

**CLASS X  
STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER  
Semester-I**

**Time: 2 ½hrs.**

**Marks: 55  
CCE/I.A.: 25**

<b>1</b>		<b>Unseen Paragraph(Comprehension)</b>	4 ×2=8
<b>2</b>		<b>Main Course Book</b>	
	(a)	Short Answer Type (Do any two with internal choice)	2×2=4
	(b)	Long Answer Type (Do any one question with internal choice)	1×4=4
<b>3</b>		<b>Supplementary Reader</b>	
		2 questions with internal choice	2×3=6
<b>4</b>		<b>Poetry</b>	
	(a)	Stanza (2 questions out of 3)	2×2=4
	(b)	Central idea/long answer type with internal choice	1×4=4
<b>5</b>		<b>Vocabulary</b>	4
<b>6</b>		<b>Objective type (Grammar)</b>	12
<b>7</b>	(a)	<b>Letter Writing with internal choice</b>	5
	(b)	<b>Note making and Notice</b>	4

**Class-X**

## **SECOND SEMESTER SYALLABUS**

**English**

**1 Reading Skills**

Comprehension of Unseen Passages (Prose/Poetry)

**2 English Main Course Book**

**L-6** Some Glimpses of Ancient Indian Thought and

Practices

- L-7 Home Coming
- L-8 The Making of the Earth
- L-9 The Rule of the Road
- L-10 The Merchant of Venice
- L-11 The Grief
- L-12 Fathers and Sons

**3 Supplementary Reader**

- L-5 The Dying Detective
- L-6 The Stolen Bacillus
- L-7 How Much Land Does a Man Need
- L-8 Return to Air
- L-9 Terry's Tree
- L-10 The Unexpected

**4 Poems**

- P-4 The Tables Turned
- P-5 A Ballad of Sir Pertab Singh
- P-6 Razia the Tigress
- P-7 Where the Mind is Without Fear

**5 Vocabulary**

- 1 One word for many
- 2 Common errors

**6 Grammar**

- 1 Sentence Connectors
- 2 Simple, Complex and Compound Sentences
- 3 Reported Speech
- 4 Punctuation

**7 Writing skills**

- 1 Paragraphs
- 2 Message or Advertisement

**CLASS X**  
**STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER**  
**Semester-II**

**Time: 3hrs.**

**Marks 85**  
**CCE/I.A.: 35**

<b>1</b>		<b>Unseen Paragraph (Comprehension)</b>	5 ×2=10
<b>2</b>		<b>Main Course Book</b>	
	(a)	Short answer type (Do any four with internal choice)	4×2=8
	(b)	Long answer type (two questions with internal choice)	2×5=10
<b>3</b>		<b>Supplementary Reader</b>	
		4 questions with internal choice	4×3=12
<b>4</b>		<b>Poetry</b>	
	(a)	Stanza (3 questions out of 4)	3×3=9
	(b)	Central idea/long answer type with internal choice	1×4=4
<b>5</b>		<b>Vocabulary</b>	5
<b>6</b>		<b>Objective type (Grammar)</b>	15
<b>7</b>	(a)	<b>Paragraph with internal choice</b>	7
	(b)	<b>Messages/Advertisements (with internal choice)</b>	5