

THE STUDY

SYLLABUS FOR GRADE8

SCHOOL YEAR 2026/27

HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION (April – September)

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

Literature Book: Gulmohar Reader 8

Grammar Book: Learners' English Grammar and Composition 8

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
April - May	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 1: The Night the Ghost Got In Poem: The Lake Isle of Innisfree
	New Enjoying Grammar	1. The Simple Present and the Present Continuous Tenses 2. The Present Perfect and the Present Perfect Continuous Tenses 3. The Simple Past and the Past Continuous Tenses
July	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 2: The Narayanpur Incident Lesson 3: Melting Ice in Alaska (only for multiple assessment) Poem: The Rock and the Sea (only for multiple assessment)
	New Enjoying Grammar	4. The Past Perfect and the Past Perfect Continuous Tenses 5. Expressing Future Time 6. Modal Auxiliaries Composition: 1. Letter writing
July	Revision and Periodic Assessment 1 (Term 1)	
August	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 4: PatolBabu, Film Star Lesson 5: My Greatest Olympic Prize Poem: Failure
	New Enjoying Grammar	7. Positions of Adverbs 8. Finite and Non-finite Verbs 9. Infinitives 10. Gerunds 11. Participles Composition: 1. Article writing 2. Notice writing
September	Revision and Term 1 Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)	

विषय: हिन्दी
पुस्तक: मल्हार + व्याकरण वाटिका

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
अप्रैल-मई	मल्हार	पाठ 1: स्वदेश (कविता) पाठ 2: दो गौरैया पाठ 3: एक आशीर्वाद
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 1: हमारी भाषा पाठ 2: वर्ण व्यवस्था पाठ 6: शब्द भण्डार <ul style="list-style-type: none"> पर्यायवाची शब्द विलोमार्थी शब्द अनेकार्थी शब्द
जुलाई	मल्हार	पाठ 4: हरिद्वार
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 3: वर्तनी व्यवस्था पाठ 5: शब्द और पद पाठ 7: शब्द रचना <ul style="list-style-type: none"> उपसर्ग प्रत्यय समास पाठ 19: विज्ञापन लेखन
जुलाई	पुनरावृत्ति एवं आवधिक मूल्यांकन-1 (टर्म 1)	
अगस्त	मल्हार	पाठ 5: कबीर के दोहे
	व्याकरणवाटिका	पाठ 8: संज्ञा पाठ 10: सर्वनाम पाठ 11: विशेषण पाठ 18: अपठित बोध पाठ 19: मौखिक रचना एवं भाषा-प्रयुक्ति <ul style="list-style-type: none"> कविता लेखन प्रतिवेदन/रिपोर्ट लेखन पाठ 20: रचनात्मक लेखन <ul style="list-style-type: none"> अनुच्छेद लेखन
सितम्बर	पुनरावृत्ति एवं अर्द्ध वार्षिक परीक्षा (टर्म 1)	

SUBJECT: MATHEMATICS**Books: Ganita Prakash (NCERT)**

Month	Lesson/Topic
April - May	Chapter 1: A Square and A Cube Chapter 2: Power Play
July	Chapter 3: A Story of Numbers Chapter 4: Quadrilaterals
July	Revision and Periodic Assessment 1 (Term 1)
August	Chapter 5: Number Play Chapter 6: We Distribute, Yet Things Multiply Chapter 7: Proportional Reasoning
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: GENERAL SCIENCE**Book: Science Textbook for Grade 8 (NCERT)**

Month	Lesson/Topic
April-May	Chapter 1: Exploring the Investigate World of Science Chapter 2: The Invisible Living World: Beyond Our Naked Eye Chapter 10: Light, Mirrors and Lenses
July	Chapter 7: Particulate Nature of Matter
July	Revision and Periodic Assessment 1 (Term 1)
August	Chapter 11: Keeping Time with the Skies Chapter 5: Exploring Forces Chapter 4: Electricity – Magnetic and Heating Effects
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE**Book: Exploring Society: India and Beyond
Social Science Textbook for Grade 8 – Part 1 (NCERT)**

Month	Lesson/Topic
April-May	Chapter 1: Natural Resources and Their Use Chapter 2: Reshaping India's Political Map Chapter 3: The Rise of the Marathas
July	Chapter 4: The Colonial Era in India Chapter 5: Universal Franchise and India's Electoral System
July	Revision and Periodic Assessment 1 (Term 1)
August	Chapter 6: The Parliamentary System: Legislature and Executive Chapter 7: Factors of Production
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

विषय: संस्कृत
पुस्तकम्: दीपकम्, मणिकासंस्कृतव्याकरण 3

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
अप्रैल-मई	दीपकम्	पाठ 1: संगच्छध्वं संवदध्वम् पाठ 2: अल्पानामपि वस्तूनां संहतिः कार्यसाधिका
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 1: कारक-उपपदविभक्तयः च पाठ 2: शब्दरूपप्रकरणम् पाठ 3: धातुरूपप्रकरणम्
जुलाई	दीपकम्	पाठ 3: सुभाषितरसं पीत्वा जीवनं सफलं कुरु पाठ 4: प्रणम्यो देशभक्तोऽयं गोपबन्धुर्महामनाः पाठ 5: गीता सुगीता कर्तव्या
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 4: संधिः-दीर्घ , गुण, अयादि पाठ 6: पर्यायाः एवम् विपर्ययाः पाठ 13: पत्रलेखनम्
जुलाई	पुनरावृत्ति एवं आवधिक मूल्यांकन-1	
अगस्त	दीपकम्	पाठ 6: डिजिभारतम् – युगपरिवर्तनम् पाठ 7: मञ्जुलमञ्जूषा सुन्दरसुरभाषा
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 7: अव्ययानि पाठ 15: चित्र वर्णनम् पाठ 16: अपठित गद्यांशः संस्कृत में अनुवाद
सितम्बर	पुनरावृत्ति एवं अर्द्धवार्षिक परीक्षा	

Subject: ICT
Books: Next It Skills 8

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
April - May	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 1: User Management, Data Backup and Troubleshooting
July	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 2: Computer Networks
July - August	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 3: Advanced Python
August	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 4: Introduction to Microsoft Access
September	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 5: Advanced Feature of MS Access
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)	

Subject: Art and Craft
Book: Art of Drawing and Colouring

Month	Topic	
	Art	Craft
April-May	Fonts	Pop up card
	Thematic Lettering	
July	Stippling Texture and Scribbling Texture	Paper Mache
	Brush Texture and Glue and Paint Texture	
	Still Life-1	
	Still Life-2	
August	Decorative Motifs	Wall Hanging
	Varied Shapes of Objects	
	Design on a Vase	
	Design on a Table Lamp	
September	Reflect Tracing	

SUBJECT: Financial Literacy
Books: Be Money Wise, Financial Literacy (8)

Month	Lesson/Topic
April- May	Unit 1: Introduction to Money and Financial Literacy
July	Unit 2: Saving and Budgeting
August	Unit 3: Advanced Banking System and Services
September	Unit 4: Smart Digital Payment Management
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: Value Education
Books: Safety Troop

Month	Lesson/Topic
April	Unit-1 — MY BODY RIGHTS
	1. What are Child Rights?
	Activity-1 (Asking for Consent)
	2. Recognising and Preventing Sexual Abuse
	Activity-2 (Safety and Boundaries Discussion)
	3. Physical and Emotional Changes during Adolescence
May	4. Mental Health during Adolescence
	Activity-3 (Emotion Expression)
	Assessment
	Unit-2 — HEALTHY BODY IMAGE AND SELF-ESTEEM

	1. Changes during Adolescence 2. What is Body Image? Activity-1 (Understand Your Body Image Better)
July	3. Rohan's Struggle with his Body Image 4. Understanding Self-Esteem Activity-2 (My Self-Esteem Journal) 5. Developing a Healthy Body Image and Self-Esteem Activity-3 (You-Nique!) Assessment Unit-3 — MANAGING TEST ANXIETY 1. What is Anxiety? 2. Understanding Test Anxiety
August	3. Symptoms of Test Anxiety Activity-1 (Test Anxiety Self-Assessment) 4. What Causes Test Anxiety? 5. How can I Overcome Test Anxiety? Activity-2 (Do's and Don'ts of Test Anxiety) 6. Realistic Thinking for Test Anxiety Activity-3 (Realistic Thinking Worksheet) Activity-4 (Deep Breathing Exercise) Assessment
September	Unit-4 — DEALING WITH PEER PRESSURE 1. Who are Peers? Activity-1 (Negative Peer Influence) 2. Negative Peer Pressure Activity-2 (My Worry Tree) 3. Positive Peer Influence
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: SAFAL
Books: Become a Safal Genius

Month	Lesson/Topic
April	Data Interpretation and Problems Related to Graphs
May–July	Mathematical Reasoning Series Completion
August–September	Analytical Thinking: Odd One Out Mental Ability
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: Kaushal Bodh

Month	Lesson/Topic
April– May	<p>Work in Human Services</p> <p>Our neighbourhood stray animals and birds – struggle to find clean drinking water during harsh weather.</p> <p>For the next two weeks, you will step into the shoes of a community animal. Caretaker setup a clean earthen bowl of fresh water outside your house or on your balcony for 14 days. Clean and refill it daily. Observe the visitors and complete the tasks below in your portfolio:</p> <p>Observation</p> <p>Safety rules</p> <p>Evidences</p>
July– August– September	<p>Work with life forms</p> <p>Field trip to Urban Farms</p>
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

SUBJECT: Khel Yatra (Sports)**Books: Khel Yatra**

Month	Lesson/Topic (Theory/ Practical)
April– May	Unit 1: Foundation of physical education and wellbeing
July	Unit 2: Physical and motor fitness
August– September	<p>Unit 3: Fundamental skills of Sports (Athletics)</p> <p>Unit 4: Fundamental skills of Sports (Table Tennis)</p>
September	Revision and Half-yearly Assessment (Term 1)

ANNUAL EXAMINATION (October – March)

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

Literature Book: Gulmohar Reader 8

Grammar Book: Learners' English Grammar and Composition 8

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
September	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 6: The Boy Who Broke the Bank
October	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 7: The Visitor Poem: Helen Keller
	New Enjoying Grammar	12. Subject-Verb Agreement 13. Active and Passive Voice 14. Using Nouns and Prepositions 15. Using Adjectives and Prepositions
November	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 8: The Stolen Bacillus Lesson 9: Saving the Gharial (Only for multiple assessment)
	New Enjoying Grammar	16. Prepositional Verbs and Phrasal Verbs 17. Noun Clauses
December	Gulmohar Reader 8	Poem: The Elephant and the Tragopan
	New Enjoying Grammar	18. Relative Clauses 19. Reduced Relative Clauses Composition: 1. Report writing
December	Revision and Periodic Assessment 2 (Term 2)	
January	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 10: That Little Square Box Poem: Marshlands (Only for multiple assessment)
	New Enjoying Grammar	20. Adverbial Clauses 21. Conditionals 22. Direct and Indirect Speech
February	Gulmohar Reader 8	Lesson 11: The Three Caskets
	New Enjoying Grammar	23. Sentence Linkers 24. Punctuation 1 25. Punctuation 2 Composition: 1. Essay writing 2. Story writing
March	Revision and Term 2 Annual Assessment	

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Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
अक्टूबर	मल्हार	पाठ 6: एक टोकरी भर मिट्टी पाठ 7: मतबाँधो (कविता)
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 9: संज्ञा के विकार <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • लिंग • वचन • कारक पाठ 19: मौखिक रचना एवंभाषा-प्रयुक्ति <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • संवाद लेखन • श्रुतभाव ग्रहण
नवम्बर	मल्हार	पाठ 8: नए मेहमान
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 12: क्रिया (काल, वाच्य) पाठ 13: अव्यय
दिसम्बर	मल्हार	पाठ 9: आदमी का अनुपात
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 6: शब्द भण्डार <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • वाक्यांश के लिए एक शब्द • श्रुतिसमभिन्नार्थक शब्द पाठ 14: वाक्य पाठ 15: विराम चिह्न पाठ 16: अलंकार
दिसम्बर	पुनरावृत्ति एवं आवधिक मूल्यांकन-2 (टर्म 2)	
जनवरी	मल्हार	पाठ 10: तरुण के स्वप्न
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 17: मुहावरे और लोकोक्तियाँ पाठ 20: रचनात्मक लेखन <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • पत्र लेखन
फरवरी	मल्हार	पाठ 2: गौरैया (पुनरावृत्ति)
	व्याकरण वाटिका	पाठ 4: संधि पाठ 1: हमारी भाषा (पुनरावृत्ति) पाठ 6: विलोमार्थी शब्द (पुनरावृत्ति) पाठ 8: संज्ञा (पुनरावृत्ति)
फरवरी	दोहरान कार्य	
मार्च	पुनरावृत्ति एवं वार्षिक परीक्षा (टर्म 2)	

SUBJECT: MATHEMATICS
Book: Ganita Prakash (NCERT)

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	Chapter 1. Fractions in Disguise
November	Chapter 2. The Baudhayan Pythagoras Theorem Chapter 3. Proportional Reasoning-2 Chapter 4. Exploring Some Geometric Themes
December	Chapter 4. Exploring Some Geometric Themes (continue)
December	Revision and Periodic Assessment 2 (Term 2)
January	Chapter 5. Tales By Dots and Lines Chapter 6. Algebra Play Chapter 7. Area
February	Revision
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)

SUBJECT: GENERAL SCIENCE
Book: Science Textbook for Grade 8 (NCERT)

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	Chapter 3: Health: The Ultimate Treasure Chapter 6: Winds, Storms and Cyclones
November	Chapter 8: Nature of Matter: Elements, Compounds and Mixtures Chapter 9: The Amazing World of Solutes, Solvents and Solutions
December	Chapter 12: How Nature Works in Harmony
December	Revision and Term 2 Periodic Assessment
January	Chapter 13: Our Home: Earth, A Unique Life Sustaining Planet
February	Revision
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE
Book: Exploring Society: India and Beyond
Social Science Textbook for Grade 8 – Part 2 (NCERT)

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	Chapter 1: World Geography: Some Glimpses Chapter 2: India's Long Road to Independence
November	Chapter 3: A Journey Through Indian Architecture Chapter 4: The Role of the Judiciary in Our Society
December	Chapter 5: Citizenship: Rights and Duties
December	Chapter 6: Dynamics of Population Revision and Term 2 Periodic Assessment
January	Chapter 7: India's Urban Landscape Chapter 8: Cultural Currents: 13th to 17th Centuries
February	Chapter 1: Natural Resources and Their Use (Revision of term 1) Chapter 7: Factors of Production (Revision of term 1)
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)

विषय: संस्कृत
पुस्तकम्: दीपकम्, मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण 3

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
अक्टूबर	दीपकम्	पाठ 8: पश्यत कोणमैशान्यं भारतस्य मनोहरम् पाठ 9: कोऽरुक्? कोऽरुक्? कोऽरुक्?
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 8: प्रत्ययाः –क्त्वा, तुमुन अनीयर
नवम्बर	दीपकम्	पाठ 10: सन्निमित्ते वरं त्यागः (क-भागः) पाठ 11: सन्निमित्ते वरं त्यागः (ख-भागः)
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 9: वाच्य-परिवर्तनम् पाठ 10: समयः
दिसम्बर	पुनरावृत्ति एवं आवधिक मूल्यांकन-2	
दिसम्बर	दीपकम्	पाठ 12: सम्यग्वर्णप्रयोगेण ब्रह्मलोके महीयते पाठ 13: वर्णोच्चारण-शिक्षा 1
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 11: संख्या पाठ 12: अशुद्धिशोधनम् पाठ 13: पत्रलेखनम्
जनवरी	दीपकम्	दोहरान कार्य
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	पाठ 15: चित्रवर्णनम् पाठ 16: अपठितगद्यांशः संस्कृत में अनुवाद
फरवरी	दीपकम्	दोहरान कार्य
	मणिका संस्कृत व्याकरण भाग 3	धातु रूप प्रकरणम् शब्दरूप प्रकरणम् (दोहरान कार्य)
मार्च	पुनरावृत्ति एवं वार्षिक परीक्षा	

Subject: ICT
Books: Next It Skills 8

Month	Book	Lesson/Topic
October	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 6: Advanced Image Editing Using GIMP
November	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 7: Advanced HTML5
December	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 8: Cyber Security
January - February	Next It Skills 8	Lesson 9: Machine Learning Revision
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)	

Subject: Art and Craft
Book: Art of Drawing and Colouring

Month	Topic	
	Art	Craft
October	Repeat Tracing	Pot Painting
	Reflect and Repeat Tracing	
	Design-1	
	Design-2	
November	Decorative forms	Matchstick design
	Aster	
	Decorating the Classroom	
	A Flower Trolley	
December	Women Carrying Water	Model making
	On the Beach	
	Prize Distribution	
January	Eyes and Nose	Lippan art
	Lips	
February	Face and Ears	Glass Bottle Designing

Subject: Financial Literacy
Books: Be Money Wise, Financial Literacy (8)

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	Unit 5: Smart Borrowing and Credit Awareness
November	Unit 6: Investing, Growing Your Wealth
December	Unit 7: Insurance and Risk
	Unit 8: Financial Goals and Planning
January	Unit 9: Basics of Taxes
February	Unit 10: Introduction to Entrepreneurship
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)

Subject: Value Education
Books: Safety Troop

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	<p>4. Social Media and Peer Pressure Activity-3 (Let us Reflect)</p> <p>5. Peer Pressure and Mental Health</p> <p>6. Responding to Peer Pressure</p> <p>7. Setting Boundaries Activity-4 (How to Set Boundaries?) Assessment</p> <p>Unit-5 — POWER OF POSITIVE EMOTIONS</p> <p>1. What are Emotions? Activity-1 (Positive Emotions Worksheet)</p> <p>2. How do Positive Emotions Help us? Activity-2 (Let us Make a Gratitude Dice)</p>
November	<p>3. How can we use Positive Emotions to our Advantage?</p> <p>4. Ways to Increase Positive Emotions Activity-3 (My Strengths Leaflet) Assessment</p> <p>Unit-6 — BEING SAFE ONLINE</p> <p>1. Netizens and Netiquettes Activity-1 (Online Etiquettes = Netiquettes)</p> <p>2. Online Threats</p>
December	<p>3. How to Detect Scammers? Activity-2 (Quiz)</p> <p>4. What does Catfishing Look Like?</p> <p>5. What to do if I get Catfished? Assessment</p> <p>Unit-7 — INTRODUCTION TO BULLYING</p> <p>1. What is Bullying?</p>
January	<p>2. Types of Bullying</p> <p>3. What do we do When we Get Bullied? Assessment</p> <p>Unit-8 — SAFEGUARDING AGAINST CYBERBULLYING</p> <p>1. What is Cyberbullying?</p>
February	<p>2. How is Bullying Different from Cyberbullying?</p> <p>3. Cyberbullying and its Types</p>

	Activity-1 (Identify Cyberbullying/Cyberbullies) 4. How to Deal with Cyberbullies? 5. Preventing Cyberbullying through Safe Online Habits Activity-2 (Pick the Cyber-Safe Options to Host the Safest Profile)
February	Revision
March	6. Effects of Cyberbullying 7. Read and Reflect: Signs to Look out for Activity-3 (Detect the Symptoms) Assessment
March	Revision and Annual Assessment (Term 2)

Subject: Safal
Books: Become a Safal Genius

Month	Lesson/Topic
October	Analogy Series and Pattern Completion
November	Reasoning Wizard: Mental Ability Odd One Out
December	Coding – Decoding
January	Problems Based on Directions Mirror and Water Images Logical Sequence of Words
February	Venn Diagrams Passages (Including Case Studies)
March	Annual Assessment (Term 2)

SUBJECT: Kaushal Bodh

Month	Lesson/Topic
October- November- December	Work with machine and materials. Visit robotics lab in school Prepare advertisement on feeding stray animals and bird. OR Protect the nature
March	Revision and Term 2 Annual Assessment

SUBJECT: Khel Yatra (Sports)
Books: Khel Yatra

Month	Lesson/Topic (Theory/ Practical)
October	Unit 5: Fundamental skills of Sports (Volleyball)
November–December	Unit 6: Yoga
March	Annual Assessment (Term 2)

