

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, JAMMU

SESSION (2025-26)

SYLLABUS BIFURCATION

CLASS : X

SUBJECT: ENGLISH

The English class should not be seen as a place merely to read poems and stories in, but an area of activities to develop the learner's imagination as a major aim of language study, and to equip the learner with communicative skills to perform various language functions through speech and writing.

OBJECTIVES OF THE THEORY:

To enable learners to:

- build greater confidence and proficiency in oral and written communication
- develop the ability and knowledge required in order to engage in independent reflection and inquiry
- use appropriate English to communicate in various social settings
- equip learners with essential language skills to question and to articulate their point of view
- build competence in the different aspects of English
- develop sensitivity to, and appreciation of, other varieties of English, like Indian English,
- enable the learner to access knowledge and information through reference skills (consulting a dictionary / thesaurus, library, internet, etc.)
- develop curiosity and creativity through extensive reading
- facilitate self-learning to enable them to become independent learners

S.NO	MONTH	TOPIC
1	APRIL	First Flight- A Letter To God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom Footprints – A Triumph of Surgery Writing: Letter to Editor Grammar: Determiners *Foundation Worksheet to test the previous knowledge*
2	MAY	First Flight- Two Stories About Flying, From the Diary of Anne Frank, Dust of Snow, Fire And Ice, A Tiger In The Zoo Footprints: A Question of Trust, Grammar: Modals, Tenses Writing: Letter Of Enquiry *Revision Sheet to revise the chapters done ACTIVITY: POSTER MAKING- ‘Save Wildlife’, based on the poem ‘A TIGER IN THE ZOO’

3	JULY	First Flight- How To Tell Wild Animals Footprints – The Midnight Visitor Writing : Analytical Paragraph Writing (Based on the given map, chart, report, line graph) Formative Assessment-1 * Activity Based on writing formats* * Assignment 1
4	AUGUST	First Flight- , The Ball Poem, Glimpses of India Footprints – The Thief’s Story, Footprints Without Feet Grammar: Reported Speech, Subject-Verb Concord

5	SEPTEMBER	<u>SEPTEMBER</u> First Flight- Amanda, The Sermon at Benaras Footprints – The Making of a Scientist Writing: Letter For Placing Order *Activity based on Poetic Devices*
6	OCTOBER	Half yearly Exams First Flight: The Trees, Fog, The Proposal, Bholi Footprints : The Necklace *Role-Play based on ‘The Proposal’
7	NOVEMBER	First Flight: Mijbil-The Otter, The Tale Of Custard The Dragon, For Anne Gregory, Madam Rides The Bus Footprints : The Book That Saved The Earth * Haiku Writing (Play with syllables) * Assignment
8	DECEMBER	Revision For Pre-board-I *Sample paper & Question Bank*
9	JANUARY	*Revision for Preboard-II *Practice of sample paper
10	FEBRUARY	QUICK REVISION OF ALL THE TOPICS

SYLLABUS FOR CYCLE TEST-I

First Flight : A Letter To God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom

Writing : Letter to the Editor

Grammar: Modals

SYLLABUS FOR HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION

First Flight: A Letter to God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom, Two Stories About Flying, The Diary Of Anne Frank, Glimpses Of India, Dust of Snow, Fire and Ice, A Tiger In The Zoo, How To Tell Wild Animals, The Ball Poem, Amanda.

Footprints: A Triumph Of Surgery, The Thief's Story, The Midnight Visitor, A Question of Trust, Footprints Without Feet

Writing: Formal Letter (based on the given situation), Analytical paragraph writing

Grammar: Tenses, Reported speech, Determiners, Modals, Subject-Verb Concord, Prepositions.

SYLLABUS FOR PREBOARD-I

First Flight : A Letter To God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom, Two Stories About Flying, The Diary Of Anne Frank, Glimpses Of India, Mijbil- The Otter, Madam Rides The Bus, The Sermon At Benaras, Dust of Snow, Fire and Ice, A Tiger In The Zoo, How To Tell Wild Animals .The Ball Poem, Amanda, The Trees, Fog, The Tale Of Custard the Dragon.

Footprints : A Triumph Of Surgery, The Thief's Story, The Midnight Visitor, A Question Of Trust, Footprints Without Feet, The Making Of A Scientist, The Necklace.

Writing : Formal Letter(based on the given situation), Analytical paragraph writing

Grammar: Tenses, Reported speech, Determiners, Modals, Subject-Verb Concord

SYLLABUS FOR PREBOARD- II

First Flight : A Letter To God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom, Two Stories About Flying, The Diary Of Anne Frank, Glimpses Of India, Mijbil- The Otter, Madam Rides The Bus, The Sermon At Benaras, The Proposal, Dust of Snow, Fire and Ice, A Tiger In The Zoo, How To Tell Wild Animals, The Ball Poem, Amanda, The Trees, Fog, The Tale Of Custard the Dragon, For Anne Gregory.

Footprints : A Triumph Of Surgery, The Thief's Story, The Midnight Visitor, A Question Of Trust, Footprints Without Feet, The Making Of A Scientist, The Necklace, Bholi, The Book That Saved The Earth.

Writing: Formal Letter (based on the given situation), Analytical paragraph writing

Grammar: Tenses, Reported speech, Determiners, Modals, Subject-Verb Concord

SYLLABUS FOR PREBOARD- III

First Flight : A Letter To God, Nelson Mandela- A Long Walk To Freedom, Two Stories About Flying, The Diary Of Anne Frank, Glimpses Of India, Mijbil- The Otter, Madam Rides The Bus, The Sermon At Benaras, The Proposal, Dust of Snow, Fire and Ice, A Tiger In The Zoo, How To Tell Wild Animals, The Ball Poem, Amanda, The Trees, Fog, The Tale Of Custard the Dragon, For Anne Gregory.

Footprints : A Triumph Of Surgery, The Thief's Story, The Midnight Visitor, A Question Of Trust, Footprints Without Feet, The Making Of A Scientist, The Necklace, Bholi, The Book That Saved The Earth.

Writing: Formal Letter (based on the given situation), Analytical paragraph writing

Grammar: Tenses, Reported speech, Determiners, Modals, Subject-Verb Concord