

# ENGLISH

## CLASS 11

As the regular teaching-learning in schools, during the session 2020-21, has widely been affected due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the subject experts committee, after due consideration, has recommended to reduce the syllabus by 30% in the following manner:-

Text book

Prose-

6. The Browning Version

7. The Adventure

8. Silk Road

Poetry-

5. Father to Son

Supplementary Reader

6. The Ghat of the only World

7. Birth

8. The Tale of Melon City

In accordance with the above, the remaining 70 percent of the total syllabus is as follows:

Class - XI

Syllabus – English

There will be a single question paper of 100 marks.

Section A – Reading- 12 Marks

1. One long passage followed by three short-answer questions and two vocabulary questions

$3 \times 3 = 9$  (Short Questions)

$1.5 + 1.5 = 3$  (vocabulary)

Section B – Writing- 20 Marks

2. Report writing/Note making and summary 05

3. Essay/Article. 10

4. Letter to the Editor/Business letter/complaint letters 05

Section C – Grammar- 28 Marks

5. Ten very short answer type questions on Narration, Synthesis, Transformation, Syntax, Idioms and Phrases/Phrasal verbs, synonyms, Antonyms, one word substitution, Homophones.

$2 \times 10 = 20$

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6. Translation from Hindi to English. 08

Section D – Literature - 40 Marks

Hornbill – Text Book 25 marks

Prose-

7. One long answer type question. 07

8. Two short answer type questions. 4+4=8

Poetry-

9. Three short answer type questions based on a given poetry extract.

2x3=6

10. Central idea. 04

Snapshots – Supplementary Reader - 15 marks

11. One long answer type question. 07

12. Two short answer type questions. 4+4=8

PRESCRIBED CONTENT

HORNBILL (Text Book)

Prose-

1. The Portrait of a Lady

2. We're Not Afraid to Die.....if We Can All Be Together

3. Discovering Tut: The Saga Continues

4. Landscape of the Soul

5. The Ailing Planet: The Green Movements's Role

Poetry-

1. A Photograph

2. The Laburnum Top

3. The Voice of the Rain

4. Childhood

SNAPSHOTS (Supplementary Reader)

1. The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse

2. The Address

3. Ranga's Marriage

4. Albert Einstein at school

5. Mother's Day

NOTE – No specific book has been recommended for grammar. Students can select any good book suggested by the subject teacher. Questions related to 'Figures of Speech' will be asked in the poetry section. Prescribed figures of speech are simile, metaphor, personification, oxymoron, hyperbole, apostrophe and onomatopoeia.