

ST. THOMAS SCHOOL, LONI
SESSION: 2025- 2026
HALF YEARLY SYLLABUS
CLASS: VIII

ENGLISH

Textbook- 1. Honeydew

2. It So Happened: Supplementary Reader

Publisher- NCERT

Grammar- Tsonga n Pansy Series

Honeydew	Prose Chapter 2 - The Tsunami Chapter 4- Bepin Choudhary's Lapse of memory Chapter 5- The Summit Within Chapter 7 - A Visit to Cambridge (Activity) Poem- Geography lesson The Last Bargain
It so happened	Chapter 2- Children at Work (Article writing activity) Chapter 3 -The Selfish Giant
Tsonga n Pansy	• Degrees of Comparison • Tenses • Homophones and Homonyms • Antonyms-Synonyms • Determiners • Figures of Speech (Oxymoron, Hyperbole, Imagery, Irony)
Writing	• Article Writing • Diary Writing • Report writing • Story Writing(activity)
Reading	• Comprehension

हिन्दी

पाठ्यपुस्तक – 1. वसंत भाग 3 (NCERT)

2. आधारशिला

वसंत भाग -3	
पाठ -1	लाख की चूड़ियाँ
पाठ -2	बस की यात्रा
पाठ -4	भगवान के डाकिए (कविता वाचन गतिविधि)
पाठ -5	क्या निराश हुआ जाए
पाठ -7	कबीर की साखियाँ
आधारशिला	
	शब्दविचार, पर्यायवाची (21-40) ,अनेकार्थक (1-20), समास
	संज्ञा, कारक, विशेषण, मुहावरे, क्रिया, वाच्य
रचनात्मक अभिव्यक्ति	अनुच्छेद, औपचारिक पत्र , पठित - अपठित गद्यांश व पद्यांश

MATHEMATICS

Main course book: N.C.E.R.T

Reference Book: Perfect Composite Mathematics (Arya Publications)

Chapter-1	Rational Numbers
Chapter-2	Linear Equations in One Variable
Chapter-3	Understanding Quadrilaterals
Chapter-4	Data Handling
Chapter-5	Squares and Square Roots
Chapter-6	Cubes and Cube Roots
Chapter-7	Comparing Quantities

SCIENCE

Textbook- NCERT Science

Publisher- NCERT

Chapter 1	Crop production and improvement
Chapter 2	Microorganisms – Friends and Foe
Chapter 3	Coal and Petroleum
Chapter 4	Combustion and Flame
Chapter 8	Force and Pressure
Chapter 13	Light

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Textbooks: Geography: Resource And Development (NCERT)

Civics: Social & Political Life- III (NCERT)

History: Our Pasts- III (NCERT)

GEOGRAPHY

Chapter-2	Land, Soil, Water, Natural Vegetation & Wildlife Resources
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CIVICS

Chapter -3	Parliament and the Making of Laws
Chapter -4	Judiciary

HISTORY

Chapter-3	Ruling the Countryside
Chapter -4	Tribals, Dikus and the Vision of a Golden Age (Activity Based)

SANSKRIT

पाठ्यपुस्तक : रुचिरा: तृतीयो भागः

दिव्यम् संस्कृत व्याकरणम् भाग -3

रुचिरा: तृतीयो भागः

पाठ -3	डिजीभारतम्
पाठ -5	कण्टकेनैव कण्टकम् (रचनात्मक गतिविधि)
पाठ -6	गृहं शून्यं सुतां विना
पाठ -7	भारतजनताऽहम्
पाठ -9	सप्तभगिन्यः

दिव्यम् संस्कृत व्याकरणम् भाग -2

पाठ -2	सन्धि- प्रकरणम्
पाठ -3	कारकाः - उपपद - विभक्तयः च
पाठ -4	लिङ्ग निर्धारणम्
पाठ -5	शब्दरूपाणि (लता ,बाल)
पाठ -6	संख्यावाचि – शब्दाः
पाठ -7	धातुरूपाणि लट्लकारे , लृट्लकारे लङ्लकारे च (पठ,गम्,नम्,भू कृ)
पाठ -14	पत्रलेखनम्
पाठ -16	चित्र-वर्णनम्
पाठ -17	अपठित अनुच्छेदाः

FRENCH

Book Name – Mon Passeport - 2

Publisher Name – Preeti Bhutani

Littérature, grammaire, culture et civilisation (Literature, grammar, culture and civilization)	• Leçon 1 – Connaissons la France • Leçon 2 – Louis a mal • Leçon – C’est lundi • Leçon 4 – Les trois souhaites • Leçon 5 – Les saisons
Production écrite (Writing)	• Seasons • Presentez-vous (Introduction)

COMPUTER

Textbook – Trackpad

Publisher- Orange Publication

Theory

Chapter Number	Chapter Name
Chapter 2	Animation in krita
Chapter 3	Dynamic web pages in HTML5
Chapter 5	Cloud computing
Chapter 6	Algorithmic Intelligence

Practical- Creating Dynamic web page using Java script and creating animation in krita.

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S. No.	Chapter Name	Chapter No.
1	Sobriquets	4
2	Athletics at the Olympics	7
3	Quiz 1	9
4	Word Fun	11
5	Languages	12
6	Brands and Logos	15
7	Railways	17

8	Currency	18
9	Awards and Honours	19
10	Around India	20
11	The Northern States	21
12	The Western States	22
13	Quiz 2	23
14	Current Affairs	

VALUE EDUCATION

Book: Sculpting Souls (The Moral Trailblazers)

Publisher– Jonce Publications

Ch. No.	Chapter	Value
1	Defying the Odds	Resilience
2	The Pursuit of Love	Emotional Stress& Management
3	The Prudent Son	Financial Literacy
4	Decode the Digital Deluge	Media Literacy
5	Be Carrer Savvy	Career Literacy
6	Potential to Power	Women Empowerment