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• **English**

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTERS	GRAMMAR	ACTIVITY	WRITING
APRIL	Honey Dew – Unit 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The best Christmas present in the World. The Ant and the Cricket Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How the camel got its Hump 	1. Determiners 2. Preposition 3. Sentence Analysis 4. Auxiliary verbs		Notice Writing
JUNE	Honey Dew – Unit 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Tsunami Geography Lesson Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children at work 	5. Modals	Share an anecdote with the class	
JULY	Honey Dew – Unit 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Macavity – The mystery cat . Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Selfish giant The treasure within 	6. Linking verbs 7. The Complement 8. Adverbs & Adverbials	Role Play	Letter Writing
AUGUST	Honey Dew – Unit 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bepin’s Lapse of Memory The last bargain Honey Dew – Unit 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Summit within The School boy 	9. Conjunctions 10. Clauses 11. Infinitives 12. Participles	Role Play	Preparing Posters
SEPTEMBER	Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Princess September 	13. Gerunds	Collect information on William Blake.	
OCTOBER	Honey Dew – Unit 6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is Jody’s fawn The duck and the kangaroo Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The fight The open window 	14. Present Tense 15. Past Tense 16. Future Tense 19. Active and Passive Voice	Role Play	Diary Entry
NOVEMBER	Honey Dew – Unit 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A visit to Cambridge 	17. Relative Clauses	Share your views,” Is fighting the only way of resolving differences of opinion?”	
DECEMBER	Honey Dew – Unit 7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A visit to Cambridge 	18. Conditionals 20. Direct and	Collect information	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When I set out for Lyonesse Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jalebis 	Indirect Speech	on Stephen Hawkins	
JANUARY	Honey Dew – Unit 8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A short monsoon diary On the grasshopper and cricket Honey Dew – Unit 9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Great Stone face – I 	23. Affixation 24. Homophones	Information on Thomas Hardy	Advertisements
FEBRUARY	Honey Dew – Unit 10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Great Stone face – II Reader <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Comet – I The Comet – II 	25. Idioms , 26. Punctuation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Role Play Discuss how science has been misused. 	Story Writing

• Science

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTERS	ACTIVITY
APRIL	L-1 Crop Production and Management L-2 Microorganisms Friend and Foe.	1. Demonstrate differences between healthy and unhealthy seeds. 2. Show slides of micro organisms under microscope.
JUNE	L-3 Synthetic Fibres and Plastics.	1. Demonstrate synthetic fibre is stronger than natural fibre.
JULY	L-4 Materials: Metals and non metals. L-5 Coal and Petroleum. L-6 Combustion and Flame.	1. Demonstrate metallic sound is different and sonorous. 2. Mark the coal mines on the outline map of India. 3. Demonstrate the structure of flame.
AUGUST	L-7 Conservation of Plants and Animals. L-8 Cell – Structure and Functions. L-9 Reproduction in Animals.	1. Solve word puzzle. 2. Show structure of cell under microscope.
SEPTEMBER	L-10 Reaching the age of Adolescence.	1. Show chart of male and female reproductive organs in humans.
OCTOBER	L-11 Force and Pressure. L-12 Friction. L-13 Sound.	1. Demonstrate force is due to Interaction. 2. Observe the soles of new shoes and find the effect of friction. 3. Prepare a list of famous Indian musicians and the instruments they play.
NOVEMBER	L-14 Chemical effects of Electric Current.	1. Show vehicles battery in which electric energy is converted into chemical energy.
DECEMBER	L-15 Some natural phenomena.	1. Show seismic zone on world map.
JANUARY	L-16 Light. L-17 Stars and Solar System.	1. Draw the structure of human eyes. 2. Observe great bear (Saptarshi) in the sky at dark night.
FEBRUARY	L-18 Pollution of Air and Water.	---

• Mathematics

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTERS	ACTIVITY
APRIL	Ch – 1 Rational Numbers Ch – 2 Linear equations in One Variable.	Solve the given Crossword Puzzle.
JUNE	Ch – 3 Understanding Quadrilaterals	Verify interior angles of a quadrilateral is 360°.
JULY	Ch – 4 Practical Geometry Ch – 5 Data Handling Ch – 6 Squares and Square Roots	Verify that the diagonals of a rectangle are equal.
AUGUST	Ch-7 Cubes and Cube Roots Ch-8 Comparing Quantities.	Compare the marks by drawing a bar graph using paper cutting.
SEPTEMBER	Ch-9 Algebraic Expressions & Identities	Verify the Algebraic Identify.
OCTOBER	Ch-11 Mensuration Ch-12 Exponents and Powers	
NOVEMBER	Ch- 13 Direct and Inverse Proportions.	Observe given pattern and generate it.
DECEMBER	Ch-15 Introduction to Graphs.	Represent the given information using Pie Graph.
JANUARY	Ch-14 Factorisation Ch-10 Visualising Solid Shapes.	-
FEBRUARY	Ch-16 Playing with Numbers.	Draw three dimensional shapes made by Combining Unit Cubes.

• Social Science

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTERS	ACTIVITY
APRIL	History Ch 1 : How, When, & Where Civics Ch 1: The Indian Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collect / draw pictures related to sources of history • Explain different topics (in groups) to the whole class.
JUNE	History Ch 2 : From trade to territory Geo Ch 1 : Resources Ch 2: Land, Soil , Water Natural Vegetation & Wildlife Resources. Civics Ch 2 : Understanding secularism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map activity • Prepare a flow chart showing the types of resources. • Discuss the factors affecting soil formation with your friends & teacher. • Prepare a list of present secular and non – secular countries.
JULY	History Ch 3 : Ruling the countryside Ch 4 : Tribals , Dikus & the vision of a golden age. Geo Ch 3 : Minerals & power resources. Ch 4 : Agriculture.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe different stages of indigo production with the help of pictures. • Explain the process of Jhum cultivation with pictures. • Project on distribution of various minerals of India • Flow chart on types of farming.
AUGUST	Civics Ch 3 : Why do we need a parliament ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debate – need / necessity of Indian

	Ch 4 : Understanding laws. Ch 5 : Judiciary History Ch 5: When people rebel 1857 & after.	constitution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group freedom fighter Skit on. • Bring information on unpopular & controversial laws. • Discuss list few civil / criminal Indian laws.
SEPTEMBER	Geo Ch 5 : Industries Civics Ch 6 : Understanding our criminal justice system Ch 7 : Understanding marginalisation History Ch 7 : Colonialism & the city	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make a list of different industries of Gujarat & describe them. • Discuss roles of police, public prosecutor, judge & defence lawyer. • Find out the meanings of different terms related to the chapter • Discuss the chapter context with your elders / family.
OCTOBER	Civics Ch 8 : Confronting marginalisation History Ch 7 : Weavers , Iron smelters & factory owners. Ch 8 : Civilising the native education the nation Ch 9 : Women , caste & reform.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather information / pictures on manual scavenging. • Map activity • Debate – English education. • Explain – Child marriage in your own way.
NOVEMBER	Civics Ch 9 : Public facilities. History Ch 10 : Changing world of visual arts.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss – public facilities provided well / needs improvement. • Collect image of different types of paintings & describe them.
DECEMBER	History Ch 11 : The making of national movement. Ch 12 : India After Independence Geo Ch 6 : Human resources. Civics Ch 10 : Law & social justice.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain given topics in your own way. • Make a presentation showing factors affecting population distribution • Collect articles / pictures of Bhopal gas tragedy & explain.

• Hindi

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTERS	ACTIVITY
APRIL	वसंत भाग – ३ पाठ – १ ध्वनि पाठ – २ लाख की चूड़ियाँ व्याकरण पाठ – १ भाषा एक सामान्य परिचय	पाँच किला का चित्र चिपकाकर उस पर राज्य करने वाले राजाओं के नाम लिखिए।
JUNE	भारत की खोज पाठ – १ अहमद नगर का किला पाठ – २ तलाश पाठ – ३ सिंधु घाटी की सभ्यता व्याकरण पाठ – ३ संधि और संयोग पाठ – ४ समास	हमारे खानपान, रहन – सहन, और कपड़ों में बदलाव आ रहा है। बदलाव के पक्ष – विपक्ष में लेख तैयार कीजिए।
JULY	वसंत भाग – ३ पाठ – ३ बस की यात्रा	स्वतंत्रता आन्दोलन में भाग लिए किन्ही ५ स्वतंत्रता

	<p>पाठ - ४ दीवानों की हस्ती</p> <p>भारत की खोज पाठ - ४ युगों का दौर</p> <p>व्याकरण पाठ - ५ शब्द रचना</p> <p>पाठ - ६ संज्ञाओं की रूप रचना</p>	<p>सेनानियों का चित्र बनाकर या चिपकाकर उनके बारे में पाँच - पाँच वाक्य लिखिए।</p>
AUGUST	<p>वसंत भाग - ३</p> <p>पाठ - ५ चिट्ठियों की अनूठी दुनिया</p> <p>पाठ - ६ भगवान के डाकिए</p> <p>भारत की खोज</p> <p>पाठ - ५ नई समस्याएँ।</p> <p>व्याकरण</p> <p>पाठ - ७ सर्वनामों की रूप रचना</p> <p>पाठ - १४ पत्र-लेखन</p>	<p>पत्र-प्रेषण के प्राचीन व आधुनिक तरीकों के बारे में लिखिए।</p>
SEPTEMBER	<p>वसंत भाग - ३</p> <p>पाठ - ७ क्या निराश हुआ जाए</p> <p>पाठ - ८ यह सबसे कठिन समय नहीं</p> <p>भारत की खोज</p> <p>पाठ - ६ अंतिम दौर - एक</p> <p>व्याकरण</p> <p>पाठ - ८ विशेषण की रूप रचना</p> <p>पाठ - ९ क्रियाओं की रूप रचना</p>	<p>किसी ऐसी कहानी का सचित्र वर्णन करो जिसके आखिरी हिस्से में कठिन परिस्थितियों से जीतने का संदेश हो।</p>
OCTOBER	<p>वसंत भाग - ३</p> <p>पाठ - ९ कबीर की साखियाँ</p> <p>व्याकरण</p> <p>पाठ - १० कारक सम्बन्धी विशेष बातें</p>	<p>कबीर दास का चित्र बनाकर पाठ्य पुस्तक के अतिरिक्त कोई १० दोहे लिखिए।</p>
NOVEMBER	<p>वसंत भाग - ३</p> <p>पाठ - १० कामचोर</p> <p>पाठ - ११ जब सिनेमा बोलना सीखा</p> <p>भारत की खोज</p> <p>पाठ - ७ अंतिम दौर - दो</p> <p>व्याकरण</p> <p>पाठ - ११ अव्यय और उसके प्रकार</p>	<p>भारतीय सिनेमा के विकास पर लेख तैयार कीजिए।</p>
DECEMBER	<p>वसंत भाग - ३</p> <p>पाठ - १२ सुदामा चरित</p> <p>पाठ - १३ जहाँ पहिया है।</p> <p>भारत की खोज</p> <p>पाठ - ८ तनाव</p> <p>व्याकरण पाठ - १२ वाक्य - विचार</p>	<p>२० अशुद्ध वाक्यों को लिखकर उन्हें शुद्ध लिखिए।</p>

JANUARY	<u>वसंत भाग - ३</u> पाठ - १४ अकबरी लोटा पाठ - १५ सूर के पद <u>व्याकरण</u> पाठ - १३ मुहावरे एवं लोकोक्तियों का प्रयोग	सम्राट अकबर का चित्र चिपकाकर उनके सामाजिक कार्य लिखिए।
FEBRUARY	<u>वसंत भाग - ३</u> पाठ - १६ पानी की कहानी पाठ - १७ बाज और साँप पाठ - १८ टोपी <u>भारत की खोज</u> पाठ - ९ दो पृष्ठभूमियाँ <u>व्याकरण</u> पाठ - १५ निबंध -लेखन	

• Drawing

MONTH	TOPICS
APRIL	1. Texture at a glance - Pg. No. 7 2. Street scene - Pg. No. 10 3. Still life with charcoal - Pg. No. 12 4. Object study - Pg. No. 14 5. Animal (Pen and Ink) Pg. No. 16
JUNE	1. Facial expression - Pg. No. 17 2. Human figure - Pg. No. 18 3. Portrait (pencil shading) - Pg. No. 20 4. Tattoo Design - Pg. No. 21 5. Bird - Pg. No. 22
JULY	1. Animal - Pg. No. 24 2. Flower - Pg. No. 26 3. Bird study (poster colour) - Pg. No. 28 4. Animal study (pencil colour) - Pg. No. 30 5. Nature study (water colour) - Pg. No. 32
AUGUST	1. Still life (pencil shading) - Pg. No. 34 2. Still life (pencil colour) - Pg. No. 36 3. Still life (pencil colour) - Pg. No. 38 4. Still life (water colour) - Pg. No. 40 5. Still life (water colour) - Pg. No. 42
SEPTEMBER	1. Still life (mix media) - Pg. No. 44 2. Landscape (oil pastel) - Pg. No. 46 3. Portrait (pencil shading) - Pg. No. 48 4. Portrait (water colour) - Pg. No. 50 5. Blow painting - Pg. No. 52
OCTOBER	1. Memory drawing - Pg. No. 54 2. Landscape - Wash Technique - Pg. No. 56 3. Knife Painting - Pg. No. 58 4. Thread painting - Pg. No. 60 5. Mehendi Design - Pg. No. 61

NOVEMBER	1. Festival composition - Pg. No. 62 2. Use of black pastel sheet - Pg. No. 63 3. Use of Wax crayons - Pg. No. 64 4. Caricatures - Pg. No. 65 5. Comic strip - Pg. No. 66
DECEMBER	1. Poster designing - Pg. No. 67 2. Rangoli design - Pg. No. 69 3. Decorative patterns - Pg. No. 70 4. Rajsthani paintings - Pg. No. 71 5. Miniature - Pg. No. 72
JANUARY	1. Folk art - Pg. No. 73 2. Modern Art - Pg. No. 74 3. Mosaic Art - Pg. No. 75 4. Picture composition on story - Pg. No. 76
FEBRUARY	1. Commercial Art - Pg. No. 78 2. Paper collage - Pg. No. 79 3. Photo collage - Pg. No. 80

• Gujarati

મહિનો	પાઠનું નામ
એપ્રિલ	૧) ચબૂતરો ૨) પર્વત તારા
જૂન	૩) મહેનતનો રોટલો ૪) સુંદર સુંદર
જુલાઈ	૫) શરદીનાં પ્રતાપે ૬) નર્મદા મૈયા
ઓગસ્ટ	૭) અલ્લક દલ્લક ૮) ચરણોમાં
સપ્ટેમ્બર	૯) કદર ૧૦) ભૂલની સજા
ઓક્ટોબર	૧૧) હિંડોળો ૧૨) અપંગના ઓજસ
નવેમ્બર	૧૩) ભારત રત્ન ડૉ આંબેડકર
ડીસેમ્બર	૧૪) ઊડેરે ગુલાલ
જાન્યુઆરી	૧૫) સુભાષિતો
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• Computer

MONTH	NAME OF THE CHAPTER	ACTIVITY
APRIL	1. Networking Concept	Get information of the hardware and software required for network.
JUNE	2. Log On To Access 3. Working with Tables	Creating a database of school to store information about students and teachers.
JULY	4. Working with Tables 5. Adobe Photoshop CS3	Learning to beautify images in Photoshop.
AUGUST	6. More on Photoshop CS3	Creating own creative effects for images
SEPTEMBER	7. Visual Basic 2008	Making a chart to demonstrate the components of Visual Basic 2008 IDE.

OCTOBER	8. More on Visual Basic 2008	Creating programs to solve simple maths problems.
NOVEMBER	9. Understanding HTML	Creating simple HTML document decode it by using any web browser.
DECEMBER	10. Using List and Creating a Table	Creating a HTML program to display tables and bullets.
JANUARY	11. Surfing Internet	Find information based on the given topic.
FEBRUARY	Project Work and Revision	Project Work

• **Activity**

MONTHS	TOPIC	METHODS/ TECHNIQUE	ASSESSMENT/ PRACTICAL
APRIL	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Cricket – A.V.R - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
JUNE	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Cricket - A.V.R - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
JULY	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Carrom – Chess - A.V.R - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
AUGUST	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Carrom – Chess - A.V.R - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
SEPTEMBER	Kho-Kho – Volleyball –Cricket- Athletics - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
OCTOBER	Kho-Kho – Volleyball –Cricket- Athletics - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
NOVEMBER	Kho-Kho – Volleyball –Cricket- Athletics -Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
DECEMBER	Kho-Kho – Volleyball –Cricket- Athletics -Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
JANUARY	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Cricket – Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
FEBRUARY	Kho-Kho – Volleyball– Cricket - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	

MARCH	Kho-Kho – Volleyball- Cricket - Hand Ball – Recreational Games	Demonstration	
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MONTH	TOPIC / CHAPTER No's
APRIL	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,
JUNE	7, 8, 9, 10, 11
JULY	12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17
AUGUST	18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24
SEPTEMBER	25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30
OCTOBER	31, 32, 33, 34
NOVEMBER	35, 36
DECEMBER	37, 38
JANUARY	39, 40, 41, Test Paper 1, 2
FEBRUARY	REVISION