ENGLISH (CORE)
Code No. 301
(2022-23)

Background

Students are expected to have acquired a reasonable degree of language proficiency in English Language by the time they come to class XI, and the course aims, essentially, at promoting the higher-order language skills.

For a large number of students, the higher secondary stage will be a preparation for the university, where a fairly high degree of proficiency in English may be required. But for another large group, the higher secondary stage may be a preparation for entry into the professional domain. The Core Course should cater to both groups by promoting the language skills required for academic study as well as the language skills required for the workplace.

Competencies to be focused on:

The general objectives at this stage are to:

- listen and comprehend live as well as record in writing oral presentations on a variety of topics
- develop greater confidence and proficiency in the use of language skills necessary for social and academic purpose to participate in group discussions, interviews by making short oral presentation on given topics
- perceive the overall meaning and organisation of the text (i.e., correlation of the vital portions of the text)
- identify the central/main point and supporting details, etc., to build communicative competence in various lexicons of English
- promote advanced language skills with an aim to develop the skills of reasoning, drawing inferences, etc. through meaningful activities
- translate texts from mother tongue(s) into English and vice versa
- develop ability and acquire knowledge required in order to engage in independent reflection and enquiry
- read and comprehend extended texts (prescribed and non-prescribed) in the following genres: science fiction, drama, poetry, biography, autobiography, travel and sports literature, etc.
- text-based writing (i.e., writing in response to questions or tasks based on prescribed or unseen texts) understand and respond to lectures, speeches, etc.
- write expository / argumentative essays, explaining or developing a topic, arguing a case, etc. write formal/informal letters and applications for different purposes
● make use of contextual clues to infer meanings of unfamiliar vocabulary
● select, compile and collate information for an oral presentation
● produce unified paragraphs with adequate details and support
● use grammatical structures accurately and appropriately
● write items related to the workplace (minutes, memoranda, notices, summaries, reports etc.
● filling up of forms, preparing CV, e-mail messages, making notes from reference materials, recorded talks etc.

The core course should draw upon the language items suggested for class IX-X and delve deeper into their usage and functions. Particular attention may, however, be given to the following areas of grammar:

- The use of passive forms in scientific and innovative writings.
- Convert one kind of sentence/clause into a different kind of structure as well as other items to exemplify stylistic variations in different discourses modal auxiliaries- uses based on semantic considerations.

A. Specific Objectives of Reading

Students are expected to develop the following study skills:

- skim for main ideas and scan for details
- refer to dictionaries, encyclopedia, thesaurus and academic reference material in any format
- select and extract relevant information, using reading skills of skimming and scanning
- understand the writer’s purpose and tone
- comprehend the difference between the literal and the figurative
- differentiate between claims and realities, facts and opinions, form business opinions on the basis of latest trends available
- comprehend technical language as required in computer related fields, arrive at personal conclusion and logically comment on a given text.
- Specifically develop the ability to be original and creative in interpreting opinion, develop the ability to be logically persuasive in defending one’s opinion and making notes based on a text.

Develop literary skills as enumerated below:

- respond to literary texts
- appreciate and analyse special features of languages that differentiate literary texts from non-literary ones, explore and evaluate features of character, plot, setting, etc.
- understand and appreciate the oral, mobile and visual elements of drama. Identify the elements of style such as humour, pathos, satire and irony, etc.
- make notes from various resources for the purpose of developing the extracted ideas into sustained pieces of writing
B. Listening and Speaking

Speaking needs a very strong emphasis and is an important objective leading to professional competence. Hence, testing of oral skills must be made an important component of the overall testing pattern. To this end, speaking and listening skills are overtly built into the material to guide the teachers in actualization of the skills.

Specific Objectives of Listening & Speaking

Students are expected to develop the ability to:

- take organized notes on lectures, talks and listening passages
- listen to news bulletins and to develop the ability to discuss informally a wideranging issues like current national and international affairs, sports, business, etc.
- respond in interviews and to participate in formal group discussions.
- make enquiries meaningfully and adequately and to respond to enquiries for the purpose of travelling within the country and abroad.
- listen to business news and to be able to extract relevant important information.
- to develop public speaking skills.

C. Specific Objectives of Writing

The students will be able to:

- write letters to friends, relatives, etc. to write business and official letters.
- open accounts in post offices and banks. To fill in railway/airline reservation forms.
- draft notices, advertisements and design posters effectively and appropriately
- write on various issues to institutions seeking relevant information, lodge complaints, express gratitude or render apology.
- write applications, fill in application forms, prepare a personal bio-data for admission into colleges, universities, entrance tests and jobs.
- write informal reports as part of personal letters on functions, programmes and activities held in school (morning assembly, annual day, sports day, etc.)
- write formal reports for school magazines/events/processes/ or in local newspapers about events or occasions.
- express opinions, facts, arguments in the form of speech or debates, using a variety of accurate sentence structures
- draft papers to be presented in symposia.
- take down notes from talks and lectures.
- write examination answers according to the requirement of various subjects.
- summarise a text.
D. More About Reading

Inculcating good reading habits in children has always been a concern for all stakeholders in education. The purpose is to create independent thinking individuals with the ability to not only create their own knowledge but also critically interpret, analyse and evaluate it with objectivity and fairness. This will also help students in learning and acquiring better language skills.

Creating learners for the 21st century involves making them independent learners who can learn, unlearn and relearn. If our children are in the habit of reading, they will learn to reinvent themselves and deal with the many challenges that lie ahead of them.

Reading is not merely decoding information or pronouncing words correctly. It is an interactive dialogue between the author and the reader in which the reader and the author share their experiences and knowledge with each other. Good readers are critical readers with an ability to arrive at a deeper understanding of not only the world presented in the book but also of the real world around them.

Consequently, they become independent thinkers capable of taking their own decisions in life rationally. Hence, a few activities are suggested below which teachers may use as a part of the reading project.

- Short review / dramatization of the story
- Commentary on the characters
- Critical evaluation of the plot, storyline and characters
- Comparing and contrasting the characters within the story, with other characters in stories by the same author or by different authors
- Extrapolating about the story read or life of characters after the story ends defending characters actions in the story
- Making an audio story out of the novel/text to be read aloud.
- Interacting with the author
- Holding a literature fest where students role-play as various characters to interact with each other
- Role playing as authors/poets/dramatists, to defend their works and characters
- Symposiums and seminars for introducing a book, an author, or a theme
- Creating graphic novels out of novel or short stories they read
- Dramatizing incidents from a novel or a story
- Creating their own stories
- Books of one genre to be read by the whole class.

Teachers may select books and e-books suitable to the age and level of the learners. Care ought to be taken to choose books that are appropriate in terms of language, theme and content and which do not hurt the sensibilities of a child.
Teachers may later suggest books from other languages by dealing with the same themes as an extended activity. The Project should lead to independent learning/reading skills and hence the chosen book should not be taught in class, but may be introduced through activities and be left for the students to read at their own pace. Teachers may, however, choose to assess a student’s progress or success in reading the book by asking for verbal or written progress reports, looking at their diary entries, engaging in a discussion about the book, giving a short quiz or a work sheet about the book/short story. A befitting mode of assessment may be chosen by the teacher.

**Methods and Techniques**

The techniques used for teaching should promote habits of self-learning and reduce dependence on the teacher. In general, we recommend a multi-skill, learner-centred, activity based approach, of which there can be many variations. The core classroom activity is likely to be that of silent reading of prescribed/selected texts for comprehension, which can lead to other forms of language learning activities such as role-play, dramatization, group discussion, writing, etc., although many such activities could be carried out without the preliminary use of textual material. It is important that students be trained to read independently and intelligently, interacting actively with texts, with the use of reference materials (dictionary, thesaurus, etc.) where necessary. Some pre-reading activity will generally be required, and the course books should suggest suitable activities, leaving teachers free to devise other activities when desired. So also, the reading of texts should be followed by post reading activities. It is important to remember that students should be encouraged to interpret texts in different ways.

Group and pair activities can be resorted to when desired, although many useful language activities can be carried out individually. In general, teachers should encourage students to interact actively with texts and with each other. Oral activity (group discussion, etc.) should be encouraged.
Section A
Reading Skills

Reading Comprehension through Unseen Passage 18 Marks

I. One unseen passage to assess comprehension, interpretation inference and vocabulary. The passage may be factual, descriptive or literary.

II. One unseen case-based passage with verbal/visual inputs like statistical data, charts etc.

*Note: The combined word limit for both the passages will be 600-750.*

Multiple Choice Questions / Objective Type Questions will be asked. (10+8 = 18 Marks)

III. Note Making and Summarization based on a passage of approximately 200-250 words.

i. Note Making: 5 Marks
   - Title: 1
   - Numbering and indenting: 1
   - Key/glossary: 1
   - Notes: 2

ii. Summary (up to 50 words): 3 Marks
   - Content: 2
   - Expression: 1

Section B

IV. Grammar 7 Marks

i. Questions on Gap filling (Tenses, Clauses)

ii. Questions on re-ordering/transformation of sentences

*(Total seven questions to be done out of the eight given).*

V. Creative Writing Skills 16 Marks

i. Short writing task – Classified Advertisements up to 50 words. One out of the two given questions to be answered *(3 Marks: Format : 1 / Content : 1 / Expression : 1)*
ii. Short writing task – **Poster** up to 50 words. One out of the two given questions to be answered. (**3 marks**: Format: 1 / Content: 1 / Expression: 1)

iii. Writing a Speech in 120-150 words based on verbal / visual cues related to some contemporary / age-appropriate topic.

iv. Writing a Debate based on visual/verbal inputs in 120-150 words. The theme should be contemporary topical issues. One out of the two given questions to be answered. (**5 Marks**: Format: 1 / Content: 2 / Expression: 2)

**Section C**

This section will have variety of assessment items including Multiple Choice Questions, Objective Type Questions, Short Answer Type Questions and Long Answer Type Questions to assess comprehension, analysis, interpretation and extrapolation beyond the text.

**VI. Reference to the Context**

i. One Poetry extract out of two from the book **Hornbill** to assess comprehension, interpretation, analysis and appreciation. (**3x1=3 Marks**)

ii. One Prose extract out of two from the book **Hornbill** to assess comprehension, interpretation, analysis and appreciation. (**3x1=3 Marks**)

iii. One prose extract out of two from the book **Snapshots** to assess comprehension, interpretation and analysis. (**4x1=4 Marks**)

**VII.** Two Short answer type question (one from Prose and one from Poetry from the book **Hornbill**), out of four, to be answered in 40-50 words. Questions should elicit inferential responses through critical thinking. (**3x2=6 Marks**)

**VIII.** One Short answer type question, from the book **Snapshots**, to be answered in 40-50 words. Questions should elicit inferential responses through critical thinking. Any 1 out of 2 questions to be done. (**3x1=3 Marks**)

**IX.** One Long answer type question, from **Prose/Poetry Hornbill**, to be answered in 120-150 words. Questions can be based on incident / theme / passage / extract / event as reference points to assess extrapolation beyond and across the text. The question will elicit analytical and evaluative response from student. Any 1 out of 2 questions to be done. (**1x6=6 Marks**)

**X.** One Long answer type question, based on the chapters from the book **Snapshots** to be answered in 120-150 words to assess global comprehension and extrapolation beyond the text. Questions to provide evaluative and analytical responses using incidents, events, themes as reference points. Any 1 out of 2 questions to be done. (**1x6=6 Marks**)
Prescribed Books

1. **Hornbill**: English Reader published by National Council of Education Research and Training, New Delhi
   - The Portrait of a Lady (Prose)
   - A Photograph (Poem)
   - “We’re Not Afraid to Die... if we can be together
   - Discovering Tut: the Saga Continues
   - The Laburnum Top (Poem)
   - The Voice of the Rain (Poem)
   - Childhood (Poem)
   - The Adventure
   - Silk Road (Prose)
   - Father to Son

2. **Snapshots**: Supplementary Reader published by National Council of Education Research and Training, New Delhi
   - The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse (Prose)
   - The Address (Prose)
   - Mother’s Day (Play)
   - Birth (Prose)
   - The Tale of Melon City

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**INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

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| Internal Assessment                          | • Listening  
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| GRAND TOTAL                                  |                                                                                                 | 100         |
Section A
Reading Skills

Reading Comprehension through Unseen Passage 20 Marks

I. One unseen passage to assess comprehension, interpretation and inference. Vocabulary and inference of meaning will also be assessed. The passage may be factual, descriptive or literary. (10x1=10 Marks)

II. One unseen case-based passage with verbal/visual inputs like statistical data, charts etc. (10x1=10 Marks)

Note: The combined word limit for both the passages will be 700-750 words.

Multiple Choice Questions / Objective Type Questions will be asked.

Section B

III. Creative Writing Skills 20 Marks

The section has Short and Long writing tasks.

i. Notice up to 50 words. One out of the two given questions to be answered. (5 Marks: Format : 1 / Organisation of Ideas: 1/Content : 2 / Accuracy of Spelling and Grammar : 1 ).

ii. Formal/Informal Invitation and Reply up to 50 words. One out of the two given questions to be answered. (5 Marks: Format : 1 / Organisation of Ideas: 1/Content : 2 / Accuracy of Spelling and Grammar :1 ).

iii. Letters based on verbal/visual input, to be answered in approximately 120-150 words. Letter types include application for a job with bio data or resume. Letters to the editor (giving suggestions or opinion on issues of public interest) . One out of the two given questions to be answered. (5 Marks: Format : 1 / Organisation of Ideas: 1/Content : 2 / Accuracy of Spelling and Grammar :1 ).

iv. Article/ Report Writing, descriptive and analytical in nature, based on verbal inputs, to be answered in 120-150 words. One out of the two given questions to be . (5 Marks: Format : 1 / Organisation of Ideas: 1/Content : 2 / Accuracy of Spelling and Grammar :1 ).
Section C
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IV. Reference to the Context 40 Marks
i. One Poetry extract out of two from the book Flamingo to assess comprehension, interpretation, analysis and appreciation. (6x1=6 Marks)

ii. One Prose extract out of two from the book Vistas to assess comprehension, interpretation, analysis and appreciation. (4x1=4 Marks)

iii. One prose extract out of two from the book Flamingo to assess comprehension, interpretation and analysis. (6x1=6 Marks)

V. Short answer type question (from Prose and Poetry from the book Flamingo), to be answered in 40-50 words. Questions should elicit inferential responses through critical thinking. Five questions out of the six given are to be answered. (5x2=10 Marks)

VI. Short answer type question, from Prose (Vistas), to be answered in 40-50 words. Questions should elicit inferential responses through critical thinking. Any 2 out of 3 questions to be done. (2x2=4 Marks)

VII. One Long answer type question, from Prose/Poetry (Flamingo), to be answered in 120-150 words. Questions can be based on incident / theme / passage / extract / event as reference points to assess extrapolation beyond and across the text. The question will elicit analytical and evaluative response from student. Any 1 out of 2 questions to be done. (1x5=5 Marks)

VIII. One Long answer type question, based on the chapters from the book Vistas, to be answered in 120-150 words to assess global comprehension and extrapolation beyond the text. Questions to provide evaluative and analytical responses using incidents, events, themes as reference points. Any 1 out of 2 questions to be done. (1x5=5 Marks)
Prescribed Books

1. **Flamingo**: English Reader published by National Council of Education Research and Training, New Delhi

   **(Prose)**
   - The Last Lesson
   - Lost Spring
   - Deep Water
   - The Rattrap
   - Indigo
   - Poets and Pancakes
   - The Interview
   - Going Places

   **(Poetry)**
   - My Mother at Sixty-Six
   - Keeping Quiet
   - A Thing of Beauty
   - A Roadside Stand
   - Aunt Jennifer’s Tigers

2. **Vistas**: Supplementary Reader published by National Council of Education Research and Training, New Delhi

   - The Third Level
   - The Tiger King
   - Journey to the end of the Earth
   - The Enemy
   - On the Face of It
   - Memories of Childhood
     - The Cutting of My Long Hair
     - We Too are Human Beings

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|                                      | **GRAND TOTAL**                                                                                                                                                                                              | **100**     |
Annexure I

Guidelines for Internal Assessment

Classes XI-XII

ALS must be seen as an integrated component of all four language skills rather than a compartment of two. Suggested activities, therefore, take into consideration an integration of the four language skills but during assessment, emphasis will be given to speaking and listening, since reading and writing are already being assessed in the written exam.

Classes XI-XII Total Marks: 20

Assessment of Listening and Speaking Skills: (5+5=10 Marks)

i. Activities:
   - Subject teachers must refer to books prescribed in the syllabus.
   - In addition to the above, teachers may plan their own activities and create their own material for assessing the listening and speaking skills.

ii. Parameters for Assessment: The listening and speaking skills are to be assessed on the following parameters:
   a. Interactive competence (Initiation & turn taking, relevance to the topic)
   b. Fluency (cohesion, coherence and speed of delivery)
   c. Pronunciation
   d. Language (grammar and vocabulary)

A suggestive rubric is given below:

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<th>1. Contributions are mainly unrelated to those of other speakers</th>
<th>2. Contributions are often unrelated to those of the other speaker</th>
<th>3. Develops interaction adequately, makes however minimal effort to initiate conversation</th>
<th>4. Interaction is adequately initiated and develop</th>
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<td>Shows hardly any initiative in the development of conversation</td>
<td>Generally passive in the development of conversation</td>
<td>Needs constant prompting to take turns</td>
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<td>Pronunciation</td>
<td>Insufficient accuracy in pronunciation; many grammatical errors</td>
<td>Frequently unintelligible articulation</td>
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<td>Mostly correct pronunciation &amp; clear articulation</td>
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<td>Communication is severely affected</td>
<td>Frequent phonological errors</td>
<td>Some expressions cause stress without compromising with understanding of spoken discourse.</td>
<td>Can be clearly understood most of the time; very few phonological errors</td>
<td>Is always comprehensible; uses appropriate intonation</td>
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### Fluency & Coherence

1. Noticeably/long pauses; rate of speech is slow
   - Frequent repetition and/or self-correction
   - Links only basic sentences; breakdown of coherence evident

2. Usually fluent; produces simple speech fluently, but loses coherence in complex communication
   - Often hesitates and/or resorts to slow speech
   - Topics partly developed; not always concluded logically

3. Is willing to speak at length, however repetition is noticeable
   - Hesitates and/or self-corrects; occasionally loses coherence
   - Topics mainly developed, but usually not logically concluded

4. Speaks without noticeable effort, with a little repetition
   - Demonstrates hesitation to find words or use correct grammatical structures and/or self-correction
   - Topics not fully developed to merit

5. Speaks fluently almost with no repetition & minimal hesitation
   - Develops topic fully & coherently

### Vocabulary & Grammar

- Demonstrates almost no flexibility, and mostly struggles for appropriate words
- Uses very basic vocabulary to express viewpoints.

- Communicates with limited flexibility and appropriacy on some of the topics
- Complex forms and sentence structures are rare; exhibits limited vocabulary to express new ideas

- Communicates with limited flexibility and appropriacy on most of the topics
- Sometimes uses complex forms and sentence structures; has limited vocabulary to describe/express new points

- Can express with some flexibility and appropriacy on most of the topics
- Demonstrates ability to use complex forms and sentence structures most of the time; expresses with adequate vocabulary

- Can express with some flexibility and appropriacy on a variety of topics such as family, hobbies, work, travel and current events
- Frequently uses complex forms and sentence structures; has enough vocabulary to express himself/herself

### iii. Schedule:

- The practice of listening and speaking skills should be done throughout the academic year.
- The final assessment of the skills is to be done as per the convenience and schedule of the school.

### Project Work + Viva: 10 Marks

Out of ten marks, 5 marks will be allotted for the project report/script/essay etc. and 5 marks for the viva.

#### I. Schedule:

- Schools may refer to the suggestive timeline given in these guidelines for the planning, preparation and viva-voce of ALS based projects.
- The final assessment of the skills may be done on the basis of parameters suggested by the Board. Language teachers, however, have the option to adopt/modify these parameters according to their school specific requirements.

#### II. Suggestions for Project Work:

- The Project can be inter-disciplinary in theme. The ideas/issues highlighted in the chapters/poems/drama given the prescribed books can also be developed in the form of a project. Students can also take up any relevant and age-appropriate theme.
- Such topics may be taken up that provide students with opportunities for listening and speaking.

Some suggestions are as follows:

a. Interview-Based research:

**Example:**
• Students can choose a topic on which to do their research/ interview, e.g. a student can choose the topic: “Evolving food tastes in my neighbourhood” or “Corona pandemic and the fallout on families.” Read the available literature.
• The student then conducts interviews with a few neighbours on the topic. For an interview, with the help of the teacher, student will frame questions based on the preliminary research/background.
• The student will then write an essay/write up/report etc. up to 1000 words on his/her research and submit it. He/She will then take a viva on the research project. The project can be done in individually or in pairs/groups.

b. Listen to podcasts/interviews/radio or TV documentary on a topic and prepare a report countering or agreeing with the speakers. Write an 800 -1000 words report and submit. Take a viva on the report.

c. Students create their own video/Audio, after writing a script. Before they decide a format, the following elements can be taken into consideration:

• Theme/topic of the audio/video. Would the child like to pick a current issue or something artistic like theatre?
• What are the elements that need to be part of the script?
• Will the video/audio have an interview with one or more guests?
• Would they prefer to improvise while chatting with guests, or work from a script?
• What would be the duration?
• How would they present the script/report to the teacher, e.g. Can it be in the form of a narrative?

d. Write, direct and present a theatrical production/One act play
This will be a project which will be done as a team. It will involve planning, preparation and presentation. In short, various language skills will be utilised. There will be researching, discussion, writing the script, auditioning and ultimately producing the play. The project will end with a presentation and subsequently a viva. Teachers will be able to assess the core language skills of the students and help them grow as 21st century critical thinkers.

III. Instructions for the Teachers:-

1. Properly orient students about the Project work, as per the present Guidelines.
2. Facilitate the students in the selection of theme and topic.
3. Create a rubric for assessment and share with the students before they start so that they know the parameters of assessment:
   • Teachers need to familiarize themselves with the method of assessing students with the rubric--a table with different criteria and a grading scale.
   • Choose the criteria on which you will grade students and list them along the left side of the page.
   • Create an even number of columns along the top of the page. These columns will represent potential skill levels of the students.
   • Assessing students on four/five criteria is an easy way to begin. For each criterion, define the ability that a student would exhibit at each of the levels.
• The more detailed you make your criteria, the easier it will be to evaluate each student and define the level at which the student is presenting.
{Sample Rubric is attached at the end for reference}

IV. Parameters for Overall Assessment:-

1. Pronunciation:
• When evaluating the pronunciation of the students, teachers must listen for clearly articulated words, pronunciation of unusual spellings and intonation.
• Assess the students for the pronunciation skills and determine at which level the student needs improvement.

2. Vocabulary:
• After noting their pronunciation levels, evaluate the students on the use of extensive and appropriate vocabulary during the viva. Check if students are using vocabulary appropriate to the context about which they are speaking.

3. Accuracy:
• Grammar has always been an important component of language skills. As students speak/answer the questions during the viva, listen to their grammatical structures. Are they competent enough to use multiple tenses? Is their word order correct in a given sentence? An effective speaker will automatically use the correct grammatical structures of his language.
4. Communication:
- Assessing the **communication skills** of the students means looking at more than language. Look at how creatively students use the language to make their points understood. Students with a low level of vocabulary and grammar may still have good communication skills if they are able to make the teacher understand their point of view.

5. Interaction:
- During the viva teachers need to ask the students some questions. Questions need to be based on the projects that have been suggested or chosen by the students.
- It is imperative for a teacher to read the essays/project reports before they can be ready to ask questions.
- Teachers need to observe how students answer the questions that are posed to them: *Are they able to understand and answer questions independently or can they answer only when the questions are translated into simpler words or repeated? Are they able to give appropriate responses in a conversation?*
- These elements of **interaction** are necessary for clear and effective communication. A student with effective interaction skills will be able to answer questions with relative ease and follow the flow of conversation.

6. Fluency:
- Fluency may be the easiest quality to judge in the students’ speech: *How comfortable are they as they speak and express themselves? How easily do the words come out? Are there inappropriate pauses and gaps in the way a student speaks?*
- **Fluency** is a judgement of this communication and is an important criterion when evaluating speaking skills. These criteria: pronunciation, vocabulary, accuracy, interaction and fluency are all the hallmarks of a student's overall speaking abilities.
- Teachers must also remember that some **students may excel in one area and struggle in another**. Helping the students understand these issues will enable them to become effective speakers in future. Let your students know that you will be assessing them in these various areas when you evaluate their progress and encourage them to work and improve in these areas.
- **Finally,** teachers must remember that a proper evaluation of the students will take into consideration **more than just one oral interview on the final ASL project**. Teachers must take note of a student’s progress throughout the academic year.

V. Project-Portfolio/ Project Report

The **Project-Portfolio/Project Report** is a compilation of the work that the students produce during the process of working on their ALS Project.

The Project-Portfolio may include the following:
- Cover page, with title of project, school details/details of students.
- Statement of purpose/objectives/goals
- Certificate of completion under the guidance of the teacher.
- Action plan for the completion of assigned tasks.
- Materials such as scripts for the theatre/role play, questionnaires for interview, written assignments, essays, survey-reports and other material evidence of learning progress and academic accomplishment.
- The 800-1000 words essay/Script/Report.
- Student/group reflections.
- If possible, Photographs that capture the positive learning experiences of the student(s).
- List of resources/bibliography.

The following points must be kept for consideration while assessing the project portfolios:
- Quality of content of the project
- Accuracy of information
- Adherence to the specified timeline
- Content in respect of (spellings, grammar, punctuation)
- Clarity of thoughts and ideas
- Creativity
- Contributions by group members
- Knowledge and experience gained
VI. Suggestive Timeline:

### The FIVE Steps in Project Plan

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<td>- Students choose a project, select team members and develop project-plan.</td>
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<td>- Group meets (preferably online) and reports to the team leader about the progress: shortfalls and successes are detailed.</td>
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<td>- Team leader apprises teacher-mentor.</td>
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<td>- Students working individually or in pairs also update the teachers.</td>
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<td>- A logical, deliverable and practical plan is drafted by the team/pair/individual. Goals/objectives are clearly defined for all.</td>
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<td>- Work is delegated to team members by the team leader. Students wishing to work alone develop their own plan of Action.</td>
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<td>- Detailed project schedules are shared with the teacher.</td>
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<td><strong>December-January</strong></td>
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<td>- Group members coordinate and keep communication channels open for interaction.</td>
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<td>- Gaps (if any) are filled with the right skill sets by the Team Leader/individual student.</td>
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<td>- The final draft of the project portfolio/report is prepared and submitted for evaluation.</td>
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## SAMPLE RUBRIC FOR ALS Project Work
(For Theatre/Role Play/Oral presentation/Interview/Podcast)

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<td><strong>TIME LIMIT</strong></td>
<td>Presentation is less than or more than 5 minutes long</td>
<td>Presentation exceeded or less than specified time limit by 4 to 5 minutes</td>
<td>Presentation exceeded or less than specified time limit by 3 to 4 minutes</td>
<td>Presentation exceeded or less than specified time limit by 2 to 3 minutes</td>
<td>Student/ group adhered to the given time limit</td>
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<td><strong>CONTENT/SCRIPT/ QUESTIONNAIRE</strong></td>
<td>Script is not related to topic or issue</td>
<td>Well written script/content shows little understanding of parts of topic</td>
<td>Well written script/content shows good understanding of parts of topic</td>
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<td><strong>CREATIVITY</strong></td>
<td>No props/costumes/stage presentation lack-lustre</td>
<td>Some work done, average stage set-up and costumes</td>
<td>Well organized presentation, could have improved</td>
<td>Logical use of props, reasonable work done, creative</td>
<td>Suitable props/honest effort seen/considerable work done/creative and relevant costumes</td>
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<td>Student/group seems to be unprepared</td>
<td>Some preparedness visible, but rehearsal is lacking</td>
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<td>Good preparedness, but need better rehearsal</td>
<td>Complete preparedness/rehearsed presentation</td>
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<td><strong>CLARITY OF SPEECH</strong></td>
<td>Lack of clarity in presentation, many words mispronounced</td>
<td>Speaks clearly, some words are mispronounced</td>
<td>Speaks clearly 90% of the time/ a few mispronounced words</td>
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<td><strong>USE OF PROPS (Theatre/Role Play)</strong></td>
<td>Only 1/no relevant props used</td>
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<td>Very little use of facial expressions/body language, does not generate much interest</td>
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<td>Inadequate &amp; unimpressive</td>
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Rationale
Economics is one of the social sciences, which has great influence on every human being. As economic life and the economy go through changes, the need to ground education in children’s own experience becomes essential. While doing so, it is imperative to provide them opportunities to acquire analytical skills to observe and understand the economic realities.

At senior secondary stage, the learners are in a position to understand abstract ideas, exercise the power of thinking and to develop their own perception. It is at this stage, the learners are exposed to the rigour of the discipline of economics in a systematic way.

The economics courses are introduced in such a way that in the initial stage, the learners are introduced to the economic realities that the nation is facing today along with some basic statistical tools to understand these broader economic realities. In the later stage, the learners are introduced to economics as a theory of abstraction.

The economics courses also contain many projects and activities. These will provide opportunities for the learners to explore various economic issues both from their day-to-day life and also from issues, which are broader and invisible in nature. The academic skills that they learn in these courses would help to develop the projects and activities. The syllabus is also expected to provide opportunities to use information and communication technologies to facilitate their learning process.

Objectives:
- Understanding of some basic economic concepts and development of economic reasoning which the learners can apply in their day-to-day life as citizens, workers and consumers.
- Realisation of learners’ role in nation building and sensitivity to the economic issues that the nation is facing today.
- Equipment with basic tools of economics and statistics to analyse economic issues. This is pertinent for even those who may not pursue this course beyond senior secondary stage.
- Development of understanding that there can be more than one view on any economic issue and necessary skills to argue logically with reasoning.
ECONOMICS (030)
CLASS – XI (2022-23)

Theory: 80 Marks           3 Hours
Project: 20 Marks

Units                  | Marks | Periods |
-----------------------|-------|---------|
Part A                 |       |         |
Statistics for Economics |       |         |
Introduction           | 15    | 10      |
Collection, Organisation and Presentation of Data | 30    | 30      |
Statistical Tools and Interpretation | 25    | 50      |
|                      |       |         |
Part B                 |       |         |
Introductory Microeconomics |       |         |
Introduction           | 04    | 10      |
Consumer's Equilibrium and Demand | 15    | 40      |
Producer Behaviour and Supply | 15    | 35      |
Forms of Market and Price Determination under perfect competition with simple applications | 06    | 25      |
|                      |       |         |
|                      | 40    |         |
|                      | 200   |         |
Part C                 |       |         |
Project Work           | 20    | 20      |

Part A: Statistics for Economics
In this course, the learners are expected to acquire skills in collection, organisation and presentation of quantitative and qualitative information pertaining to various simple economic aspects systematically. It also intends to provide some basic statistical tools to analyse, and interpret any economic information and draw appropriate inferences. In this process, the learners are also expected to understand the behaviour of various economic data.

Unit 1: Introduction               10 Periods
What is Economics?
Meaning, scope, functions and importance of statistics in Economics

Unit 2: Collection, Organisation and Presentation of data 30 Periods
Collection of data - sources of data - primary and secondary; how basic data is collected with concepts of Sampling; methods of collecting data; some important sources of secondary data: Census of India and National Sample Survey Organisation.

Organisation of Data: Meaning and types of variables; Frequency Distribution.
Presentation of Data: Tabular Presentation and Diagrammatic Presentation of Data: (i) Geometric forms (bar diagrams and pie diagrams), (ii) Frequency diagrams (histogram, polygon and Ogive) and (iii) Arithmetic line graphs (time series graph).

Unit 3: Statistical Tools and Interpretation 50 Periods

For all the numerical problems and solutions, the appropriate economic interpretation may be attempted. This means, the students need to solve the problems and provide interpretation for the results derived.

Measures of Central Tendency- Arithmetic mean, median and mode

Correlation – meaning and properties, scatter diagram; Measures of correlation - Karl Pearson’s method (two variables ungrouped data) Spearman’s rank correlation.

Introduction to Index Numbers - meaning, types - wholesale price index, consumer price index and index of industrial production, uses of index numbers; Inflation and index numbers.

Part B: Introductory Microeconomics

Unit 4: Introduction 10 Periods

Meaning of microeconomics and macroeconomics; positive and normative economics

What is an economy? Central problems of an economy: what, how and for whom to produce; concepts of production possibility frontier and opportunity cost.

Unit 5: Consumer’s Equilibrium and Demand 40 Periods

Consumer's equilibrium - meaning of utility, marginal utility, law of diminishing marginal utility, conditions of consumer's equilibrium using marginal utility analysis.

Indifference curve analysis of consumer's equilibrium-the consumer's budget (budget set and budget line), preferences of the consumer (indifference curve, indifference map) and conditions of consumer's equilibrium.

Demand, market demand, determinants of demand, demand schedule, demand curve and its slope, movement along and shifts in the demand curve; price elasticity of demand - factors affecting price elasticity of demand; measurement of price elasticity of demand – percentage-change method and total expenditure method.
Unit 6: Producer Behaviour and Supply

Meaning of Production Function – Short-Run and Long-Run
Total Product, Average Product and Marginal Product.
Returns to a Factor
Cost: Short run costs - total cost, total fixed cost, total variable cost; Average cost; Average fixed cost, average variable cost and marginal cost-meaning and their relationships.
Revenue - total, average and marginal revenue - meaning and their relationship.
Producer's equilibrium-meaning and its conditions in terms of marginal revenue-marginal cost. Supply, market supply, determinants of supply, supply schedule, supply curve and its slope, movements along and shifts in supply curve, price elasticity of supply; measurement of price elasticity of supply - percentage-change method.

Unit 7: Forms of Market and Price Determination under Perfect Competition with simple applications.

Perfect competition - Features; Determination of market equilibrium and effects of shifts in demand and supply.
Simple Applications of Demand and Supply: Price ceiling, price floor.

Part C: Project in Economics

Guidelines as given in class XII curriculum
# Suggested Question Paper Design

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**Class XI (2022-23)**  
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**Part A: Introductory Macroeconomics**

**Unit 1: National Income and Related Aggregates**  
30 Periods

What is Macroeconomics?

Basic concepts in macroeconomics: consumption goods, capital goods, final goods, intermediate goods; stocks and flows; gross investment and depreciation.

Circular flow of income (two sector model); Methods of calculating National Income - Value Added or Product method, Expenditure method, Income method.

Aggregates related to National Income:

Gross National Product (GNP), Net National Product (NNP), Gross Domestic Product (GDP) and Net Domestic Product (NDP) - at market price, at factor cost; Real and Nominal GDP.

GDP and Welfare
Unit 2: Money and Banking
Money – meaning and functions, supply of money - Currency held by the public and net demand deposits held by commercial banks.

Money creation by the commercial banking system.

Central bank and its functions (example of the Reserve Bank of India): Bank of issue, Govt. Bank, Banker's Bank, Control of Credit through Bank Rate, CRR, SLR, Repo Rate and Reverse Repo Rate, Open Market Operations, Margin requirement.

Unit 3: Determination of Income and Employment
Aggregate demand and its components.
Propensity to consume and propensity to save (average and marginal).
Short-run equilibrium output; investment multiplier and its mechanism.
Meaning of full employment and involuntary unemployment.

Problems of excess demand and deficient demand; measures to correct them - changes in government spending, taxes and money supply.

Unit 4: Government Budget and the Economy
Government budget - meaning, objectives and components.
Classification of receipts - revenue receipts and capital receipts;
Classification of expenditure – revenue expenditure and capital expenditure.
Balanced, Surplus and Deficit Budget – measures of government deficit.

Unit 5: Balance of Payments
Balance of payments account - meaning and components;
Balance of payments – Surplus and Deficit
Foreign exchange rate - meaning of fixed and flexible rates and managed floating.
Determination of exchange rate in a free market, Merits and demerits of flexible and fixed exchange rate.
Managed Floating exchange rate system
Part B: Indian Economic Development

Unit 6: Development Experience (1947-90) and Economic Reforms since 1991:

28 Periods

A brief introduction of the state of Indian economy on the eve of independence.
Indian economic system and common goals of Five Year Plans.

Main features, problems and policies of agriculture (institutional aspects and new agricultural strategy), industry (IPR 1956; SSI – role & importance) and foreign trade.

Economic Reforms since 1991:
Features and appraisals of liberalisation, globalisation and privatisation (LPG policy);
Concepts of demonetization and GST

Unit 7: Current challenges facing Indian Economy

60 Periods

Human Capital Formation: How people become resource; Role of human capital in economic development; Growth of Education Sector in India

Rural development: Key issues - credit and marketing - role of cooperatives; agricultural diversification; alternative farming - organic farming

Employment: Growth and changes in work force participation rate in formal and informal sectors; problems and policies

Sustainable Economic Development: Meaning, Effects of Economic Development on Resources and Environment, including global warming

Unit 8: Development Experience of India:

12 Periods

A comparison with neighbours
India and Pakistan
India and China
Issues: economic growth, population, sectoral development and other Human Development Indicators

Part C: Project in Economics

20 Periods

Prescribed Books:
1. Statistics for Economics, NCERT
2. Indian Economic Development, NCERT
3. Introductory Microeconomics, NCERT
4. Macroeconomics, NCERT
5. Supplementary Reading Material in Economics, CBSE

Note: The above publications are also available in Hindi Medium.
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Guidelines for Project Work in Economics (Class XI and XII)

The **objectives** of the project work are to enable learners to:

- probe deeper into theoretical concepts learnt in classes XI and XII
- analyse and evaluate real world economic scenarios using theoretical constructs and arguments
- demonstrate the learning of economic theory
- follow up aspects of economics in which learners have interest
- develop the communication skills to argue logically

The **expectations** of the project work are that:

- learners will complete only **ONE** project in each academic session
- project should be of 3,500-4,000 words (excluding diagrams & graphs), preferably hand-written
- it will be an independent, self-directed piece of study

**Role of the teacher:**

The teacher plays a critical role in developing thinking skills of the learners. A teacher should:

- help each learner select the topic based on recently published extracts from the news media, government policies, RBI bulletin, NITI Aayog reports, IMF/World Bank reports etc., after detailed discussions and deliberations of the topic
- play the role of a facilitator and supervisor to monitor the project work of the learner through periodic discussions
- guide the research work in terms of sources for the relevant data
- educate learner about plagiarism and the importance of quoting the source of the information to ensure authenticity of research work
- prepare the learner for the presentation of the project work
- arrange a presentation of the project file

**Scope of the project:**

Learners may work upon the following lines as a suggested flow chart:

1. Choose a title/topic
2. Collection of the research material/data
3. Organization of material/data
4. Present material/data
5. Analysing the material/data for conclusion
6. Draw the relevant conclusion
7. Presentation of the Project Work
**Expected Checklist:**
- Introduction of topic/title
- Identifying the causes, consequences and/or remedies
- Various stakeholders and effect on each of them
- Advantages and disadvantages of situations or issues identified
- Short-term and long-term implications of economic strategies suggested in the course of research
- Validity, reliability, appropriateness and relevance of data used for research work and for presentation in the project file
- Presentation and writing that is succinct and coherent in project file
- *Citation of the materials referred to, in the file in footnotes, resources section, bibliography etc.*

**Mode of presentation/submission of the Project:**
At the end of the stipulated term, each learner will present the research work in the Project File to the External and Internal examiner. **The questions should be asked from the Research Work/Project File of the learner. The Internal Examiner should ensure that the study submitted by the learner is his/her own original work.** In case of any doubt, authenticity should be checked and verified.

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ACCOUNTANCY (Code No. 055)

Rationale

The course in accountancy is introduced at plus two stage of senior second of school education, as the formal commerce education is provided after ten years of schooling. With the fast changing economic scenario, accounting as a source of financial information has carved out a place for itself at the senior secondary stage. Its syllabus content provide students a firm foundation in basic accounting concepts and methodology and also acquaint them with the changes taking place in the preparation and presentation of financial statements in accordance to the applicable accounting standards and the Companies Act 2013.

The course in accounting put emphasis on developing basic understanding about accounting as an information system. The emphasis in Class XI is placed on basic concepts and process of accounting leading to the preparation of accounts for a sole proprietorship firm. The students are also familiarized with basic calculations of Goods and Services Tax (GST) in recording the business transactions. The accounting treatment of GST is confined to the syllabus of class XI.

The increased role of ICT in all walks of life cannot be overemphasized and is becoming an integral part of business operations. The learners of accounting are introduced to Computerized Accounting System at class XI and XII. Computerized Accounting System is a compulsory component which is to be studied by all students of commerce in class XI; whereas in class XII it is offered as an optional subject to Company Accounts and Analysis of Financial Statements. This course is developed to impart skills for designing need based accounting database for maintaining book of accounts.

The complete course of Accountancy at the senior secondary stage introduces the learners to the world of business and emphasize on strengthening the fundamentals of the subject.

Objectives:

1. To familiarize students with new and emerging areas in the preparation and presentation of financial statements.
2. To acquaint students with basic accounting concepts and accounting standards.
3. To develop the skills of designing need based accounting database.
4. To appreciate the role of ICT in business operations.
5. To develop an understanding about recording of business transactions and preparation of financial statements.
6. To enable students with accounting for Not-for-Profit organizations, accounting for Partnership Firms and company accounts.
Accountancy (Code No.055)
Course Structure
Class-XI (2022-23)

Theory: 80 Marks          3 Hours
Project: 20 Marks

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PART A: FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING - I

Unit-1: Theoretical Frame Work

**Units/Topics**

**Introduction to Accounting**
- Accounting- concept, meaning, as a source of information, objectives, advantages and limitations, types of accounting information; users of accounting information and their needs. Qualitative Characteristics of Accounting Information. Role of Accounting in Business.
- Basic Accounting Terms- Entity, Business Transaction, Capital, Drawings. Liabilities (Non Current and Current). Assets (Non Current, Current); Expenditure (Capital and Revenue), Expense, Revenue, Income, Profit, Gain, Loss, Purchase, Sales, Goods, Stock, Debtor, Creditor, Voucher, Discount (Trade discount and Cash Discount)

**Theory Base of Accounting**
- Fundamental accounting assumptions: GAAP: Concept
- Basic accounting concept : Business Entity

**Learning Outcomes**

After going through this Unit, the students will be able to:
- describe the meaning, significance, objectives, advantages and limitations of accounting in the modern economic environment with varied types of business and non-business economic entities.
- identify / recognise the individual(s) and entities that use accounting information for serving their needs of decision making.
- explain the various terms used in accounting and differentiate between different related terms like current and non-current, capital and revenue.
- give examples of terms like business transaction, liabilities, assets, expenditure and purchases.
- explain that sales/purchases include both cash and credit sales/purchases relating to the accounting year.
Money Measurement, Going Concern, Accounting Period, Cost Concept, Dual Aspect, Revenue Recognition, Matching, Full Disclosure, Consistency, Conservatism, Materiality and Objectivity
- System of Accounting. Basis of Accounting: cash basis and accrual basis
- Accounting Standards: Applicability in IndAS

- differentiate among income, profits and gains.
- state the meaning of fundamental accounting assumptions and their relevance in accounting.
- describe the meaning of accounting assumptions and the situation in which an assumption is applied during the accounting process.
- explain the meaning, applicability, objectives, advantages and limitations of accounting standards.
- appreciate that various accounting standards developed nationally and globally are in practice for bringing parity in the accounting treatment of different items.
- acknowledge the fact that recording of accounting transactions follows double entry system.
- explain the bases of recording accounting transaction and to appreciate that accrual basis is a better basis for depicting the correct financial position of an enterprise.
- Explain the meaning, advantages and characteristic of GST.

Unit-2: Accounting Process

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<td>Recording of Business Transactions</td>
<td>After going through this Unit, the students will be able to:</td>
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<td>- Voucher and Transactions: Source documents and Vouchers, Preparation of Vouchers, Accounting Equation Approach: Meaning and Analysis, Rules of Debit and Credit.</td>
<td>- explain the concept of accounting equation and appreciate that every transaction affects either both the sides of the equation or a positive effect on one item and a negative effect on another item on the same side of accounting equation.</td>
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<td>- Recording of Transactions: Books of Original Entry- Journal</td>
<td>- explain the effect of a transaction (increase or decrease) on the assets, liabilities, capital, revenue and expenses.</td>
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<td>- Special Purpose books:</td>
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<td>- Cash Book: Simple, cash book with bank column and petty cashbook</td>
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- Purchases book
- Sales book
- Purchases return book
- Sales return book
- Journal proper

*Note: Including trade discount, freight and cartage expenses for simple GST calculation.*

- Ledger: Format, Posting from journal and subsidiary books, Balancing of accounts

**Bank Reconciliation Statement:**
- Need and preparation, Bank Reconciliation Statement

**Depreciation, Provisions and Reserves**
- Depreciation: Meaning, Features, Need, Causes, factors
- Other similar terms: Depletion and Amortisation
- Methods of Depreciation:
  i. Straight Line Method (SLM)
  ii. Written Down Value Method (WDV)

*Note: Excluding change of method*
- Difference between SLM and WDV; Advantages of SLM and WDV
- Method of recoding depreciation
  i. Charging to asset account
  ii. Creating provision for depreciation/accumulated depreciation account
- Treatment of disposal of asset
- Types of Reserves:
  i. Revenue reserve
  ii. Capital reserve
  iii. General reserve
  iv. Specific reserve
  v. Secret Reserve
- Difference between capital and revenue reserve

- appreciate that on the basis of source documents, accounting vouchers are prepared for recording transaction in the books of accounts.
- develop the understanding of recording of transactions in journal and the skill of calculating GST.
- explain the purpose of maintaining a Cash Book and develop the skill of preparing the format of different types of cash books and the method of recording cash transactions in Cash book.
- describe the method of recording transactions other than cash transactions as per their nature in different subsidiary books.
- appreciate that at times bank balance as indicated by cash book is different from the bank balance as shown by the pass book / bank statement and to reconcile both the balances, bank reconciliation statement is prepared.
- develop understanding of preparing bank reconciliation statement.
- appreciate that for ascertaining the position of individual accounts, transactions are posted from subsidiary books and journal proper into the concerned accounts in the ledger and develop the skill of ledger posting.
- explain the necessity of providing depreciation and develop the skill of using different methods for computing depreciation.
- understand the accounting treatment of providing depreciation directly to the concerned asset account or by creating provision for depreciation account.
- appreciate the method of asset disposal through the concerned asset account or by preparing asset disposal account.
- appreciate the need for creating reserves and
Trial balance and Rectification of Errors

- Trial balance: objectives, meaning and preparation

(Scope: Trial balance with balance method only)
- Errors: classification-errors of omission, commission, principles, and compensating; their effect on Trial Balance.
- Detection and rectification of errors;
  (i) Errors which do not affect trial balance
  (ii) Errors which affect trial balance
- preparation of suspense account.

also making provisions for events which may belong to the current year but may happen in next year.
- appreciate the difference between reserve and reserve fund.
- state the need and objectives of preparing trial balance and develop the skill of preparing trial balance.
- appreciate that errors may be committed during the process of accounting.
- understand the meaning of different types of errors and their effect on trial balance.
- develop the skill of identification and location of errors and their rectification and preparation of suspense account.

Part B: Financial Accounting - II

Unit 3: Financial Statements of Sole Proprietorship

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<td>Financial Statements</td>
<td>After going through this Unit, the students will be able to:</td>
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| Meaning, objectives and importance; Revenue and Capital Receipts; Revenue and Capital Expenditure; Deferred Revenue expenditure. Opening journal entry. Trading and Profit and Loss Account: Gross Profit, Operating profit and Net profit. Preparation. Balance Sheet: need, grouping and marshalling of assets and liabilities. Preparation. Adjustments in preparation of financial statements with respect to closing stock, outstanding expenses, prepaid expenses, accrued income, income received in advance, depreciation, bad debts, provision for doubtful debts, provision for discount on debtors, Abnormal loss, Goods taken for personal use/staff welfare, interest on capital and managers commission. Preparation of Trading and Profit and Loss account and Balance Sheet of a sole proprietorship with adjustments. | - state the meaning of financial statements the purpose of preparing financial statements.  
- state the meaning of gross profit, operating profit and net profit and develop the skill of preparing trading and profit and loss account.  
- explain the need for preparing balance sheet.  
- understand the technique of grouping and marshalling of assets and liabilities.  
- appreciate that there may be certain items other than those shown in trial balance which may need adjustments while preparing financial statements.  
- develop the understanding and skill to do adjustments for items and their presentation in financial statements like depreciation, closing stock, provisions, abnormal loss etc.  
- develop the skill of preparation of trading and profit and loss account and balance sheet. |
Part C: Project Work (Any One)

1. Collection of source documents, preparation of vouchers, recording of transactions with the help of vouchers.
2. Preparation of Bank Reconciliation Statement with the given cash book and the pass book with twenty to twenty-five transactions.
3. Comprehensive project of any sole proprietorship business. This may state with journal entries and their ledgering, preparation of Trial balance. Trading and Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet. Expenses, incomes and profit (loss), assets and liabilities are to be depicted using pie chart / bar diagram.
PROJECT WORK

It is suggested to undertake this project after completing the unit on preparation of financial statements. The student(s) will be allowed to select any business of their choice or develop the transaction of imaginary business. The project is to run through the chapters and make the project an interesting process. The amounts should emerge as more realistic and closer to reality.

Specific Guidelines for Teachers

Give a list of options to the students to select a business form. You can add to the given list:

1. A beauty parlour
2. Men's saloon
3. A tailoring shop
4. A canteen
5. A cake shop
6. A confectionery shop
7. A chocolate shop
8. A dry cleaner
9. A stationery shop
10. Men's wear
11. Ladies wear
12. Kiddies wear
13. A Saree shop
14. Artificial jewellery shop
15. A small restaurant
16. A sweet shop
17. A grocery shop
18. A shoe shop
19. A coffee shop
20. A music shop
21. A juice shop
22. A school canteen
23. An ice cream parlour
24. A sandwich shop
25. A flower shop

After selection, advise the student(s) to visit a shop in the locality (this will help them to settle on a realistic amounts different items. The student(s) would be able to see the things as they need to invest in furniture, decor, lights, machines, computers etc.

A suggested list of different item is given below.

1. Rent
2. Advance rent [approximately three months]
3. Electricity deposit
4. Electricity bill
5. Electricity fitting
6. Water bill
7. Water connection security deposit
8. Water fittings
9. Telephone bill
10. Telephone security deposit
11. Telephone instrument
12. Furniture
13. Computers
14. Internet connection
15. Stationery
16. Advertisements
17. Glow sign
18. Rates and Taxes
19. Wages and Salary
20. Newspaper and magazines
21. Petty expenses
22. Tea expenses
23. Packaging expenses
24. Transport
25. Delivery cycle or a vehicle purchased
26. Registration
27. Insurance
28. Auditors fee
29. Repairs & Maintenance
30. Depreciations
31. Air conditioners
32. Fans and lights
33. Interior decorations
34. Refrigerators
35. Purchase and sales

At this stage, performas of bulk of originality and ledger may be provided to the students and they may be asked to complete the same.

In the next step the students are expected to prepare the trial balance and the financial statements.
## Suggested Question Paper Design
### Accountancy (Code No. 055)
#### Class XI (2022-23)

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Project: 20 Marks

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| 1   | **Remembering and Understanding:**
     | Exhibit memory of previously learned material by recalling facts, terms, basic concepts,
     | and answers. Demonstrate understanding of facts and ideas by organizing, comparing,
     | translating, interpreting, giving descriptions, and stating main ideas.             | 44    | 55%        |
| 3   | **Applying:** Solve problems to new situations by applying acquired knowledge, facts,
     | techniques and rules in a different way.                                           | 19    | 23.75%     |
| 4   | **Analysing, Evaluating and Creating:**
     | Examine and break information into parts by identifying motives or causes. Make
     | inferences and find evidence to support generalizations. Present and defend
     | opinions by making judgments about information, validity of ideas, or
     | quality of work based on a set of criteria. Compile information together in a
     | different way by combining elements in a new pattern or proposing alternative
     | solutions.                                                                         | 17    | 21.25%     |
|     | TOTAL                                                                               | 80    | 100%       |
## Accountancy (Code No. 055)
### Class-XII (2022-23)

**Theory:** 80 Marks  
**Project:** 20 Marks  
**3 Hours**

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**Part B Financial Statement Analysis**

| Unit 3. Analysis of Financial Statements   | 30      | 12    |
| Unit 4. Cash Flow Statement                | 20      | 8     |

**Part C Project Work**

| Project work will include:                | 20      | 20    |
| Project File                              | 4 Marks |
| Written Test                              | 12 Marks (One Hour) |
| Viva Voce                                 | 4 Marks |

**Or**

| Part B Computerized Accounting            |         |       |
| Unit 4. Computerized Accounting           | 50      | 20    |

**Part C Practical Work**

| Practical work will include:              | 20      | 20    |
| Practical File                            | 4 Marks |
| Practical Examination                      | 12 Marks (One Hour) |
| Viva Voce                                 | 4 Marks |
### Units/Topics
- Partnership: features, Partnership Deed.
- Provisions of the Indian Partnership Act 1932 in the absence of partnership deed.
- Fixed v/s fluctuating capital accounts.
- Preparation of Profit and Loss Appropriation account - division of profit among partners, guarantee of profits.
- Past adjustments (relating to interest on capital, interest on drawing, salary and profit sharing ratio).
- Goodwill: meaning, nature, factors affecting and methods of valuation - average profit, super profit and capitalization.

**Note:** Interest on partner's loan is to be treated as a charge against profits.

Goodwill: meaning, factors affecting, need for valuation, methods for calculation (average profits, super profits and capitalization), adjusted through partners capital/current account or by raising and writing off goodwill (AS 26)

### Learning Outcomes

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<td>- state the meaning of partnership, partnership firm and partnership deed.</td>
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<td>- describe the characteristic features of partnership and the contents of partnership deed.</td>
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<td>- discuss the significance of provision of Partnership Act in the absence of partnership deed.</td>
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<td>- differentiate between fixed and fluctuating capital, outline the process and develop the understanding and skill of preparation of Profit and Loss Appropriation Account.</td>
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<td>- develop the understanding and skill of making past adjustments.</td>
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<td>- state the meaning, nature and factors affecting goodwill.</td>
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<td>- develop the understanding and skill of valuation of goodwill using different methods.</td>
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<td>- state the meaning of sacrificing ratio, gaining ratio and the change in profit sharing ratio among existing partners.</td>
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<td>- develop the understanding of accounting treatment of revaluation assets and reassessment of liabilities and treatment of reserves and accumulated profits by preparing revaluation account and balance sheet.</td>
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<td>- explain the effect of change in profit sharing ratio on admission of a new partner.</td>
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<td>- develop the understanding and skill of</td>
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### Accounting for Partnership firms - Reconstitution and Dissolution.
- **Change in the Profit Sharing Ratio** among the existing partners - sacrificing ratio, gaining ratio, accounting for revaluation of assets and reassessment of liabilities and treatment of reserves, accumulated profits and losses. Preparation of revaluation account and balance sheet.
- **Admission of a partner** - effect of admission of a partner on change in the profit sharing ratio, treatment of goodwill (as per AS 26), treatment for revaluation of assets and reassessment of liabilities, treatment of
reserves, accumulated profits and losses, adjustment of capital accounts and preparation of capital, current account and balance sheet.

- **Retirement and death of a partner**: effect of retirement / death of a partner on change in profit sharing ratio, treatment of goodwill (as per AS 26), treatment for revaluation of assets and reassessment of liabilities, adjustment of accumulated profits, losses and reserves, adjustment of capital accounts and preparation of capital, current account and balance sheet. Preparation of loan account of the retiring partner.

- Calculation of deceased partner’s share of profit till the date of death. Preparation of deceased partner’s capital account and his executor’s account.

- **Dissolution of a partnership firm**: meaning of dissolution of partnership and partnership firm, types of dissolution of a firm. Settlement of accounts - preparation of realization account, and other related accounts: capital accounts of partners and cash/bank a/c (excluding piecemeal distribution, sale to a company and insolvency of partner(s)).

**Note:**
(i) If the realized value of tangible assets is not given it should be considered as realized at book value itself.
(ii) If the realized value of intangible assets is not given it should be considered as nil (zero value).
(iii) In case, the realization expenses are borne by a partner, clear indication should be given regarding the payment thereof.

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<td>• Features and types of companies</td>
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- Share and share capital: nature and types.
- Accounting for share capital: issue and allotment of equity and preference shares. Public subscription of shares - over subscription and under subscription of shares; issue at par and at premium, calls in advance and arrears (excluding interest), issue of shares for consideration other than cash.
- Concept of Private Placement and Employee Stock Option Plan (ESOP), Sweat Equity.
- Accounting treatment of forfeiture and re-issue of shares.
- Disclosure of share capital in the Balance Sheet of a company.

**Accounting for Debentures**

- Debentures: Meaning, types, Issue of debentures at par, at a premium and at a discount. Issue of debentures for consideration other than cash; Issue of debentures with terms of redemption; debentures as collateral security-concept, interest on debentures. Writing off discount / loss on issue of debentures.

Note: Discount or loss on issue of debentures to be written off in the year debentures are allotted from Security Premium Reserve (if it exists) and then from Statement of Profit and Loss as Financial Cost (AS 16)

- state the meaning of share and share capital and differentiate between equity shares and preference shares and different types of share capital.
- understand the meaning of private placement of shares and Employee Stock Option Plan.
- explain the accounting treatment of share capital transactions regarding issue of shares.
- develop the understanding of accounting treatment of forfeiture and re-issue of forfeited shares.
- describe the presentation of share capital in the balance sheet of the company as per schedule III part I of the Companies Act 2013.
- explain the accounting treatment of different categories of transactions related to issue of debentures.
- develop the understanding and skill of writing of discount / loss on issue of debentures.
- understand the concept of collateral security and its presentation in balance sheet.
- develop the skill of calculating interest on debentures and its accounting treatment.
- state the meaning of redemption of debentures.

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### Part B: Financial Statement Analysis

**Unit 4: Analysis of Financial Statements**

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<td><strong>Financial statements of a Company:</strong></td>
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<td>Meaning, Nature, Uses and importance of financial Statement.</td>
<td>- develop the understanding of major headings</td>
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Statement of Profit and Loss and Balance Sheet in prescribed form with major headings and subheadings (as per Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013)

Note: Exceptional items, extraordinary items and profit (loss) from discontinued operations are excluded.

- Financial Statement Analysis: Meaning, Significance Objectives, importance and limitations.
- Accounting Ratios: Meaning, Objectives, Advantages, classification and computation.
- Liquidity Ratios: Current ratio and Quick ratio.
- Solvency Ratios: Debt to Equity Ratio, Total Asset to Debt Ratio, Proprietary Ratio and Interest Coverage Ratio. Debt to Capital Employed Ratio.
- Activity Ratios: Inventory Turnover Ratio, Trade Receivables Turnover Ratio, Trade Payables Turnover Ratio, Fixed Asset Turnover Ratio, Net Asset Turnover Ratio and Working Capital Turnover Ratio.
- Profitability Ratios: Gross Profit Ratio, Operating Ratio, Operating Profit Ratio, Net Profit Ratio and Return on Investment.

Note: Net Profit Ratio is to be calculated on the basis of profit before and after tax.

Unit 5: Cash Flow Statement

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<tr>
<td>- Meaning, objectives Benefits, Cash and Cash Equivalents, Classification of Activities and preparation (as per AS 3 (Revised) (Indirect Method only)</td>
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<td>- state the meaning and objectives of cash flow statement.</td>
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<td>- develop the understanding of preparation of</td>
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**Note:**
(i) Adjustments relating to depreciation and amortization, profit or loss on sale of assets including investments, dividend (both final and interim) and tax.
(ii) Bank overdraft and cash credit to be treated as short term borrowings.
(iii) Current Investments to be taken as Marketable securities unless otherwise specified.

Cash Flow Statement using indirect method as per AS 3 with given adjustments.

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**Note:** Previous years’ Proposed Dividend to be given effect, as prescribed in AS-4, Events occurring after the Balance Sheet date. Current years’ Proposed Dividend will be accounted for in the next year after it is declared by the shareholders.
Project Work

Note: Kindly refer to the Guidelines published by the CBSE.
The comprehensive project may contain simple GST calculations.

OR

Part B: Computerised Accounting

Unit 4: Computerised Accounting

Overview of Computerised Accounting System
- Introduction: Application in Accounting.
- Features of Computerised Accounting System.
- Structure of CAS.
- Software Packages: Generic; Specific; Tailored.

Accounting Application of Electronic Spreadsheet.
- Concept of electronic spreadsheet.
- Features offered by electronic spreadsheet.
- Application in generating accounting information - bank reconciliation statement; asset accounting;
  loan repayment of loan schedule, ratio analysis
- Data representation- graphs, charts and diagrams.

Using Computerized Accounting System.
- Steps in installation of CAS, codification and Hierarchy of account heads, creation of accounts.
- Data: Entry, validation and verification.
- Adjusting entries, preparation of balance sheet, profit and loss account with closing entries and
  opening entries.
- Need and security features of the system.

Part C: Practical Work
Please refer to the guidelines published by CBSE.

Prescribed Books:
Financial Accounting -I Class XI NCERT Publication
Accountancy -II Class XI NCERT Publication
Accountancy -I Class XII NCERT Publication
Accountancy -II Class XII NCERT Publication
Accountancy – Computerised Accounting System Class XII NCERT Publication

Guidelines for Project Work in Accounting and Practical work in computerised Accounting Class XII CBSE
Publication
## Suggested Question Paper Design
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### Class XII (2022-23)

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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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BUSINESS STUDIES (Code No. 054)

Rationale
The courses in Business Studies and Accountancy are introduced at + 2 stage of Senior Secondary Education as formal commerce education is provided after first ten years of schooling. Therefore, it becomes necessary that instructions in these subjects are given in such a manner that students have a good understanding of the principles and practices bearing in business (trade and industry) as well as their relationship with the society.

Business is a dynamic process that brings together technology, natural resources and human initiative in a constantly changing global environment. To understand the framework in which a business operates, a detailed study of the organisation and management of business processes and its interaction with the environment is required. Globalisation has changed the way organizations transact their business.

Information Technology is becoming a part of business operations in more and more organisations. Computerised systems are fast replacing other systems. E-business and other related concepts are picking up fast which need to be emphasized in the curriculum.

The course in Business Studies prepares students to analyse, manage, evaluate and respond to changes which affect business. It provides a way of looking at and interacting with the business environment. It recognizes the fact that business influences and is influenced by social, political, legal and economic forces.

It allows students to appreciate that business is an integral component of society and develops an understanding of many social and ethical issues.

Therefore, to acquire basic knowledge of the business world, a course in Business Studies would be useful. It also informs students of a range of study and work options and bridges the gap between school and work.

Objectives:
- To inculcate business attitude and develop skills among students to pursue higher education, world of work including self employment.
- To develop students with an understanding of the processes of business and its environment;
- To acquaint students with the dynamic nature and inter-dependent aspects of business;
- To develop an interest in the theory and practice of business, trade and industry;
- To familiarize students with theoretical foundations of the process of organizing and managing the operations of a business firm;
- To help students appreciate the economic and social significance of business activity and the social cost and benefits arising there from;
- To acquaint students with the practice of managing the operations and resources of business;
- To enable students to act more effectively and responsibly as consumers, employers, employees and citizens;
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Theory: 80 Marks        3 Hours
Project: 20 Marks

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Part A: Foundation of Business
Concept includes meaning and features

Unit 1: Evolution and Fundamentals of Business

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<td>• To acquaint the History of Trade and Commerce in India</td>
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| Business – meaning and characteristics | • Understand the meaning of business with special reference to economic and non-economic activities.  
• Discuss the characteristics of business. |
| Business, profession and employment-Concept | • Understand the concept of business, profession and employment.  
• Differentiate between business, profession and employment. |
| Objectives of business | • Appreciate the economic and social objectives of business.  
• Examine the role of profit in business. |
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<td>Classification of business activities - Industry and Commerce</td>
<td>• Understand the broad categories of business activities- industry and commerce.</td>
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<td>Industry-types: primary, secondary, tertiary Meaning and subgroups</td>
<td>• Describe the various types of industries.</td>
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| Commerce-trade: (types-internal, external; wholesale and retail) and auxiliaries to trade; (banking, insurance, transportation, warehousing, communication, and advertising) – meaning | • Discuss the meaning of commerce, trade and auxiliaries to trade.  
• Discuss the meaning of different types of trade and auxiliaries to trade.  
• Examine the role of commerce-trade and auxiliaries to trade. |
| Business risk-Concept | • Understand the concept of risk as a special characteristic of business.  
• Examine the nature and causes of business risks. |

### Unit 2: Forms of Business organizations

| Sole Proprietorship-Concept, merits and limitations. | • List the different forms of business organizations and understand their meaning.  
• Identify and explain the concept, merits and limitations of Sole Proprietorship. |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Partnership-Concept, types, merits and limitation of partnership, registration of a partnership firm, partnership deed. Types of partners | • Identify and explain the concept, merits and limitations of a Partnership firm.  
• Understand the types of partnership on the basis of duration and on the basis of liability.  
• State the need for registration of a partnership firm.  
• Discuss types of partners –active, sleeping, secret, nominal and partner by estoppel. |
| Hindu Undivided Family Business: Concept | • Understand the concept of Hindu Undivided Family Business. |
| Cooperative Societies-Concept, merits, and limitations. | • Identify and explain the concept, merits and limitations of Cooperative Societies.  
• Understand the concept of consumers, producers, marketing, farmers, credit and housing co-operatives. |
## Company - Concept, merits and limitations; Types: Private, Public and One Person Company

**Concept**
- Identify and explain the concept, merits and limitations of private and public companies.
- Understand the meaning of one person company.
- Distinguish between a private company and a public company.

**Formation of company - stages, important documents to be used in formation of a company**
- Highlight the stages in the formation of a company.
- Discuss the important documents used in the various stages in the formation of a company.

**Choice of form of business organization**
- Distinguish between the various forms of business organizations.
- Explain the factors that influence the choice of a suitable form of business organization.

## Unit 3: Public, Private and Global Enterprises

### Public sector and private sector enterprises – Concept
- Develop an understanding of Public sector and private sector enterprises.

- Identify and explain the features, merits and limitations of different forms of public sector enterprises.

### Global Enterprises – Feature. Public private partnership – concept
- Develop an understanding of global enterprises, public private partnership by studying their meaning and features.

## Unit 4: Business Services

### Business services – meaning and types.
- Understand the meaning and types of business services.
- Discuss the meaning and types of Business service Banking
- Develop an understanding of difference types of bank account.

### Banking services with particular reference to Bank Draft, Bank Overdraft, Cash credit. E-Banking meaning, Types of digital payments
- Develop an understanding of the different services provided by banks.

### Insurance – Principles. Types – life, health, fire and marine insurance – concept
- Recall the concept of insurance.
- Understand Utmost Good Faith, Insurable Interest, Indemnity, Contribution, Doctrine of Subrogation and Causa Proxima as principles of insurance.
- Discuss the meaning of different
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<td>Small scale enterprise as defined by MSMED Act 2006 (Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise Development Act)</td>
<td>• Understand the meaning of small business</td>
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<td>Government schemes and agencies for small scale industries: National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) and District Industrial Centre (DIC) with special reference to rural, backward areas</td>
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<td>Types of retail-trade-Itinerant and small scale fixed shops retailers</td>
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<td>Large scale retailers-Departmental stores, chain stores - concept</td>
<td>• Highlight the distinctive features of departmental stores, chain stores and mail order business.</td>
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<td>Export trade – Meaning and procedure</td>
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<td>• State the meaning and objectives</td>
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| Documents involved in International Trade; indent, letter of credit, shipping order, shipping bills, mate's receipt (DA/DP) | • Discuss the important steps involved in executing import trade.  
• Develop an understanding of the various documents used in international trade.  
• Identify the specimen of the various documents used in international trade.  
• Highlight the importance of the documents needed in connection with international trade transactions. |
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| World Trade Organization (WTO) meaning and objectives | • State the meaning of World Trade Organization.  
• Discuss the objectives of World Trade Organization in promoting international trade. |

**Unit 11: Project Work**

As per CBSE guidelines.
## Suggested Question Paper Design
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**Part A: Principles and Functions of Management**

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### Unit 2: Principles of Management

| Principles of Management- concept and significance | • Understand the concept of principles of management.  
• Explain the significance of management principles. |
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<td>Fayol’s principles of management</td>
<td>• Discuss the principles of management developed by Fayol.</td>
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| Taylor’s Scientific management- principles and techniques | • Explain the principles and techniques of ‘Scientific Management’.  
• Compare the contributions of Fayol and Taylor. |

### Unit 3: Business Environment

| Business Environment- concept and importance         | • Understand the concept of ‘Business Environment’.  
• Describe the importance of business environment |
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| Dimensions of Business Environment- Economic, Social, Technological, Political and Legal | • Describe the various dimensions of ‘Business Environment’.  
• Understand the concept of demonetization |
| Demonetization - concept and features                | |

### Unit 4: Planning

| Concept, importance and limitation                   | • Understand the concept of planning.  
• Describe the importance of planning.  
• Understand the limitations of planning. |
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| Single use and standing plans. Objectives, Strategy, Policy, Procedure, method Rule, budget and Programme | • Develop an understanding of single use and standing plans  
• Describe objectives, policies, strategy, procedure, method, rule, budget and programme as types of plans. |

### Unit 5: Organising

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**Unit 6: Staffing**

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job and off the job - vestibule training, apprenticeship training and internship training

- Appreciate the importance of training to the organisation and to the employees.
- Discuss the meaning of induction training, vestibule training, apprenticeship training and internship training.
- Differentiate between training and development.
- Discuss on the job and off the job methods of training.

Unit 7: Directing

| Concept and importance | • Describe the concept of directing.
| • Discuss the importance of directing |
| Elements of Directing | • Describe the various elements of directing |
| Motivation - concept, Maslow’s hierarchy of needs, Financial and non-financial incentives | • Understand the concept of motivation.
| • Develop an understanding of Maslow’s Hierarchy of needs.
| • Discuss the various financial and non-financial incentives. |
| Leadership - concept, styles - authoritative, democratic and laissez faire | • Understand the concept of leadership.
| • Understand the various styles of leadership. |
| Communication - concept, formal and informal communication; barriers to effective communication, how to overcome the barriers | • Understand the concept of communication
| • Understand the elements of the communication process.
| • Discuss the concept of formal and informal communication.
| • Discuss the various barriers to effective communication.
| • Suggest measures to overcome barriers to communication. |

Unit 8: Controlling

| Controlling - Concept and importance | • Understand the concept of controlling.
| • Explain the importance of controlling. |
| Relationship between planning and controlling | • Describe the relationship between planning and controlling |
| Steps in process of control | • Discuss the steps in the process of controlling. |
Part B: Business Finance and Marketing

Unit 9: Financial Management

| Concept, role and objectives of Financial Management | • Understand the concept of financial management.  
  • Explain the role of financial management in an organisation.  
  • Discuss the objectives of financial management |
| Financial decisions: investment, financing and dividend- Meaning and factors affecting | • Discuss the three financial decisions and the factors affecting them. |
| Financial Planning - concept and importance | • Describe the concept of financial planning and its objectives.  
  • Explain the importance of financial planning. |
| Capital Structure – concept and factors affecting capital structure | • Understand the concept of capital structure.  
  • Describe the factors determining the choice of an appropriate capital structure of a company. |
| Fixed and Working Capital - Concept and factors affecting their requirements | • Understand the concept of fixed and working capital.  
  • Describe the factors determining the requirements of fixed and working capital. |

Unit 10: Financial Markets

| Financial Markets: Concept | • Understand the concept of financial market. |
| Money Market: Concept | • Understand the concept of money market. |
| Capital market and its types (primary and secondary) | • Discuss the concept of capital market.  
  • Explain primary and secondary markets as types of capital market.  
  • Differentiate between capital market and money market.  
  • Distinguish between primary and secondary markets. |
| Stock Exchange - Functions and trading procedure | • Give the meaning of a stock exchange.  
  • Explain the functions of a stock exchange.  
  • Discuss the trading procedure in a stock exchange. |
Give the meaning of depository services and demat account as used in the trading procedure of securities.

State the objectives of SEBI.

Explain the functions of SEBI.

Unit 11: Marketing

Marketing – Concept, functions and philosophies
- Understand the concept of marketing.
- Explain the features of marketing.
- Discuss the functions of marketing.
- Explain the marketing philosophies.

Marketing Mix – Concept and elements
- Understand the concept of marketing mix.
- Describe the elements of marketing mix.

Product - branding, labelling and packaging – Concept
- Understand the concept of product as an element of marketing mix.
- Understand the concept of branding, labelling and packaging.

Price - Concept, Factors determining price
- Understand the concept of price as an element of marketing mix.
- Describe the factors determining price of a product.

Physical Distribution – concept, components and channels of distribution
- Understand the concept of physical distribution.
- Explain the components of physical distribution.
- Describe the various channels of distribution.

Promotion – Concept and elements; Advertising, Personal Selling, Sales Promotion and Public Relations
- Understand the concept of promotion as an element of marketing mix.
- Describe the elements of promotion mix.
- Understand the concept of advertising.
- Understand the concept of sales promotion.
- Discuss the concept of public relations.

Unit 12: Consumer Protection

Concept and importance of consumer protection
- Understand the concept of consumer protection.
- Describe the importance of...
| **The Consumer Protection Act, 2019:**  
**Source:**  
[http://egazette.nic.in/WriteReadData/2019/210422.pdf](http://egazette.nic.in/WriteReadData/2019/210422.pdf) | **• Understand the concept of a consumer according to the Consumer Protection Act, 2019.**  
**• Explain the consumer rights**  
**• Understand the responsibilities of consumers**  
**• Understand who can file a complaint and against whom?**  
**• Discuss the legal redressal machinery under Consumer Protection Act, 2019.**  
**• Examine the remedies available to the consumer under Consumer Protection Act, 2019.** |
|---|---|
| Meaning of consumer  
Rights and responsibilities of consumers  
Who can file a complaint?  
Redressal machinery  
Remedies available |  
**Consumer awareness - Role of consumer organizations and Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)**  
**• Describe the role of consumer organizations and NGOs in protecting consumers’ interests.** |
| **Unit 13: Project Work** |
PROJECT WORK IN BUSINESS STUDIES FOR CLASS XI AND XII

Introduction

The course in Business Studies is introduced at Senior School level to provide students with a sound understanding of the principles and practices bearing in business (trade and industry) as well as their relationship with the society. Business is a dynamic process that brings together technology, natural resources and human initiative in a constantly changing global environment. With the purpose to help them understand the framework within which a business operates, and its interaction with the social, economic, technological and legal environment, the CBSE has introduced Project Work in the Business Studies Syllabus for Classes XI and XII. The projects have been designed to allow students to appreciate that business is an integral component of society and help them develop an understanding of the social and ethical issues concerning them.

The project work also aims to empower the teacher to relate all the concepts with what is happening around the world and the student’s surroundings, making them appear more clear and contextual. This will enable the student to enjoy studies and use his free time effectively in observing what’s happening around.

By means of Project Work the students are exposed to life beyond textbooks giving them opportunities to refer materials, gather information, analyze it further to obtain relevant information and decide what matter to keep.

Objectives

After doing the Project Work in Business Studies, the students will be able to do the following:

- develop a practical approach by using modern technologies in the field of business and management;
- get an opportunity for exposure to the operational environment in the field of business management and related services;
- inculcate important skills of team work, problem solving, time management, information collection, processing, analysing and synthesizing relevant information to derive meaningful conclusions
- get involved in the process of research work; demonstrate his or her capabilities while working independently and
- make studies an enjoyable experience to cherish.

CLASS XI: GUIDELINES FOR TEACHERS

This section provides some basic guidelines for the teachers to launch the projects in Business Studies. It is very necessary to interact, support, guide, facilitate and encourage students while assigning projects to them.

The teachers must ensure that the project work assigned to the students whether individually or in group are discussed at different stages right from assignment to drafts review and finalization. Students should be facilitated in terms of providing relevant
materials or suggesting websites, or obtaining required permissions from business houses, malls etc for their project. The periods assigned to the Project Work should be suitably spaced throughout the academic session. The teachers MUST ensure that the students actually go through the rigors and enjoy the process of doing the project rather than depending on any readymade material available commercially.

The following steps might be followed:

1. Students must take any one topic during the academic session of Class XI.
2. The project may be done in a group or individually.
3. The topic should be assigned after discussion with the students in the class and should then be discussed at every stage of submission of the draft/final project work.
4. The teacher should play the role of a facilitator and should closely supervise the process of project completion.
5. The teachers must ensure that the student’s self esteem should go up, and he/she should be able to enjoy this process.
6. The project work for each term should culminate in the form of Power Point Presentation/Exhibition/ Skit before the entire class. This will help in developing ICT and communication skills among them.

The teacher should help students to identify any one project from the given topics.

I. Project One: Field Visit

The objective of introducing this project among the students is to give a first hand experience to them regarding the different types of business units operating in their surroundings, to observe their features and activities and relate them to the theoretical knowledge given in their text books. The students should select a place of field visit from the following: – (Add more as per local area availability.)

1. Visit to a Handicraft unit.
2. Visit to an Industry.
3. Visit to a Whole sale market (vegetables, fruits, flowers, grains, garments, etc.)
4. Visit to a Departmental store.
5. Visit to a Mall.

The following points should be kept in mind while preparing this visit.

1. Select a suitable day free from rush/crowd with lean business hours.
2. The teacher must visit the place first and check out on logistics. It’s better to seek permission from the concerned business- incharge.
3. Visit to be discussed with the students in advance. They should be encouraged to prepare a worksheet containing points of observation and reporting.
4. Students may carry their cameras (at their own risk) with prior permission for collecting evidence of their observations.

1. Visit to a Handicraft Unit
The purpose of visiting a Handicraft unit is to understand nature and scope of its business, stake holders involved and other aspects as outlined below
a) The raw material and the processes used in the business: People /parties/firms from which they obtain their raw material.
b) The market, the buyers, the middlemen, and the areas covered. c) The countries to which exports are made.
d) Mode of payment to workers, suppliers etc.
e) Working conditions.
f) Modernization of the process over a period of time.
g) Facilities, security and training for the staff and workers.
h) Subsidies available/ availed.
i) Any other aspect that the teachers deem fit.

2. Visit to an Industry.

The students are required to observe the following:

a) Nature of the business organisation.
b) Determinants for location of business unit.
c) Form of business enterprise: Sole Proprietorship, Partnership, Undivided Hindu Family, Joint Stock Company (a Multinational Company).
d) Different stages of production/process

e) Auxiliaries involved in the process.
f) Workers employed, method of wage payment, training programmes and facilities available.
g) Social responsibilities discharged towards workers, investors, society, environment and government.
h) Levels of management.
i) Code of conduct for employers and employees.
j) Capital structure employed- borrowed v/s owned.
k) Quality control, recycling of defective goods.
l) Subsidies available/availed.
m) Safety Measures employed.
n) Working conditions for labour in observation of Labour Laws.
o) Storage of raw material and finished goods.
p) Transport management for employees, raw material and finished goods.
q) Functioning of various departments and coordination among them (Production, Human Resource, Finance and Marketing)
r) Waste Management.
s) Any other observation.

3. Visit to a whole sale market: vegetables/fruits/flowers/grains/garments etc.

The students are required to observe the following:

a) Sources of merchandise.
b) Local market practices.
c) Any linked up businesses like transporters, packagers, money lenders, agents, etc.
d) Nature of the goods dealt in.
e) Types of buyers and sellers.
f) Mode of the goods dispersed, minimum quantity sold, types of packaging employed.
g) Factors determining the price fluctuations.
h) Seasonal factors (if any) affecting the business.
i) Weekly/ monthly non-working days.
j) Strikes, if any- causes thereof.
k) Mode of payments.
l) Wastage and disposal of dead stock.
m) Nature of price fluctuations, reason thereof.
n) Warehousing facilities available\availed.
o) Any other aspect.

4. Visit to a Departmental store

The students are required to observe the following:
a) Different departments and their lay out.
b) Nature of products offered for sale.
c) Display of fresh arrivals.
d) Promotional campaigns.
e) Spaces and advertisements.
f) Assistance by Sales Personnel.
g) Billing counter at store – Cash, Credit Card/ Debit Card, swipe facility. Added attractions and facilities at the counter.
h) Additional facilities offered to customers
i) Any other relevant aspect.

5. Visit to a Mall.

The students are required to observe the following:

a) Number of floors, shops occupied and unoccupied.
b) Nature of shops, their ownership status
c) Nature of goods dealt in: local brands, international brands,
d) Service business shops- Spas, gym, saloons etc.
e) Rented spaces, owned spaces,
f) Different types of promotional schemes.
g) Most visited shops.
h) Special attractions of the Mall- Food court, Gaming zone or Cinema etc.
i) Innovative facilities.
j) Parking facilities. Teachers may add more to the list.

II. Project Two: Case Study on a Product

a) Take a product having seasonal growth and regular demand with which students can relate. For example,
   • Apples from Himachal Pradesh, Kashmir.
   • Oranges from Nagpur,
   • Mangoes from Maharashtra/U.P./Bihar/Andhra Pradesh etc.
   • Strawberries from Panchgani,
   • Aloe vera from Rajasthan,
   • Walnuts/almonds from Kashmir,
   • Jackfruit from South,
   • Guavas from Allahabad,
- Pineapples from North East India,
- Tea from Assam,
- Orchids from Sikkim and Meghalaya,
- Pottery of Manipur,
- Fishes from coastal areas.

Students may develop a Case Study on the following lines:

(i) Research for change in price of the product. For example, apples in Himachal Pradesh during plucking and non plucking season.
(ii) Effect on prices in the absence of effective transport system.
(iii) Effect on prices in the absence of suitable warehouse facilities.
(iv) Duties performed by the warehouses.
(v) Demand and supply situation of the product during harvesting season, prices near the place of origin and away.

Students may be motivated to find out the importance of producing and selling these products and their processed items along with the roles of Transport, Warehousing, Advertising, Banking, Insurance, Packaging, Wholesale selling, Retailing, Co-operative farming, Co-operative marketing etc.

The teacher may develop the points for other projects on similar lines for students to work on.

The teacher may assign this project as ‘group’ project and may give different products to different groups. It could conclude in the form of an exhibition.

**III. Project Three: Aids to Trade**

Taking any one AID TO TRADE, for example Insurance and gathering information on following aspects

1. History of Insurance Lloyd’s contribution.
2. Development of regulatory Mechanism.
3. Insurance Companies in India
5. Types of Insurance. Importance of insurance to the businessmen.
6. Benefits of crop, orchards, animal and poultry insurance to the farmers.
7. Terminologies used (premium, face value, market value, maturity value, surrender value) and their meanings.
8. Anecdotes and interesting cases of insurance. Reference of films depicting people committing fraudulent acts with insurance companies.
9. Careers in Insurance.
Teach to develop such aspects for other aids to trade.

**IV. Project Four: Import /Export Procedure**

Any one from the following

1. Import /Export procedure
The students should identify a product of their city/country which is imported/exported. They are required to find the details of the actual import/export procedure. They may take help from the Chambers of Commerce, Banker, existing Importers/Exporters, etc.

They should find details of the procedure and link it with their Text knowledge.

The specimens of documents collected should be pasted in the Project file with brief description of each. They may also visit railway godowns/dockyards/transport agencies and may collect pictures of the same.

Presentation and submission of project report.

At the end of the stipulated term, each student will prepare and submit his/her project report.

Following essentials are required to be fulfilled for its preparation and submission.
1. The total project will be in a file format, consisting of the recordings of the value of shares and the graphs.
2. The project will be handwritten.
3. The project will be presented in a neat folder.
4. The project report will be developed in the following sequence-
   □ Cover page should project the title, student information, school and year.
   □ List of contents.
   □ Acknowledgements and preface (acknowledging the institution, the news papers read, T.V. channels viewed, places visited and persons who have helped).
   □ Introduction.
   □ Topic with suitable heading.
   □ Planning and activities done during the project, if any.
   □ Observations and findings while conducting the project.
   □ News paper clippings to reflect the changes of share prices.
   □ Conclusions (summarised suggestions or findings, future scope of study).
   □ Appendix (if needed).
   □ Teachers report.
   □ Teachers will initial preface page.
   □ At the completion of the evaluation of the project, it will be punched in the centre so that the report cannot be reused but is available for reference only.
   □ The projects will be returned after evaluation. The school may keep the best projects.

V. Project Five: A visit to any State Emporium (other than your school state).

The purpose of this project is that it leads to -

□ Development of deeper understanding of the diversity of products in the states like Assam, Tripura, Nagaland, Mizoram, Manipur, Meghalaya, Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Kerala, Chhatisgarh, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh and other states of the country.
□ Sensitization and orientation of students about other states, their trade, business and commerce,
□ Understanding the cultural and socio-economic aspects of the state by the students,
Developing the understanding of role of folk art, artisanship and craftsmanship of the state in its growth and economic development

Understanding the role of gifts of nature and natural produce in the development of trade, business and commerce

Understanding the role of vocational skills and abilities on the livelihood of artisans/craftsmen

Understanding of entrepreneurial skills and abilities of the artisans/craftsmen

Understanding of the unemployment problem of the state and role of art and craft of the state in generating employment opportunities

Value aspect -

Sense of gratitude - by appreciating the contributions made by others in the betterment of our lives

Appreciating the dignity of work

Sensitivity towards social, cultural, ethnical and religious differences Benefits of social harmony and peace

Understanding and appreciating the unity in diversity in India

Appreciating differences in race, skin colour, languages, religion, habits, festivals, clothing coexistence

Presentation and Submission of Project Report

At the end of the stipulated term, each student will prepare and submit his/her project report.

Following essentials are required to be fulfilled for its preparation and submission.

1. Nature of the business organisation (emporium)
2. Determinants for location of the concerned emporium
3. Is the space rented or owned
4. Nature of the goods dealt in
5. Sources of merchandise of the emporium
6. Role of co-operative societies in the manufacturing and/or marketing of the merchandise
7. Role of gifts of nature or natural produce in the development of goods/merchandise
8. Types of buyers and sellers
9. Modes of goods dispersed, minimum quantity sold and type of carrying bag or package used for delivery of the products sold
10. Factors determining the pricing at the emporium
11. Comparison between the prices of goods available at the emporium with the prices in the open market. Also highlight probable causes of variations if any.
12. Kind of raw material available naturally, used in making the products
13. The technique used in making the products i.e., hand made or machine made
14. Has the child labour being used in making the products sold at the emporium
15. Are the products eco-friendly, in terms of manufacturing, disposal and packing
16. Seasonal factors if any affecting the business of the emporium
17. Weekly/ Monthly non-working days
18. Mode of billing and payments - Cash, Credit Card/ Debit Card, Swipe facility.
19. Does the emporium sell its merchandise in installment / deferred payment basis
20. Do they provide home delivery and after sales services.
21. Different types of promotional campaigns / schemes
22. Assistance by Sales Personnel
23. Export orientation of this emporium and procedure used
24. Policies related to damaged/returned goods
25. Any government facility available to the emporium
26. Warehousing facilities available/availed
27. Impact of tourism on the business of emporium
28. Additional facility offered to customers
29. Any Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) assumed by the emporium
30. Contribution made by the emporium to its locality

ASSESSMENT

The marks will be allocated on the following heads.

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CLASS XII: GUIDELINES FOR TEACHERS

Students are supposed to select one unit out of four and are required to make only ONE project from the selected unit. (Consist of one project of 20 marks)

1. Help students to select any ONE Topic for the entire year.
2. The topic should be assigned after discussion with the students in the class and should then be discussed at every stage of the submission of the project.

The teacher should play the role of a facilitator and should closely supervise the process of project completion. The teachers must ensure that the project work assigned to the students whether individually or in group are discussed at different stages right from assignment to drafts review and finalization. Students should be facilitated in terms of providing relevant materials or suggesting websites, or obtaining required permissions from business houses, malls etc for their project. The periods assigned to the Project Work should be suitably spaced throughout the academic session. The teachers MUST ensure that the student actually go through the rigors and enjoy the process of doing the project rather than depending on any readymade material available outside.

3. The students must make a presentation of the project before the class.
4. The teachers must ensure that the student’s self-esteem and creativity is enhanced and both the teacher and the student enjoy this process.
5. The teachers should feel pride in the fact that they have explored the different dimensions of the project in an innovative way and their students have put in genuine work.

I. Project One: Elements of Business Environment
The teachers should help the students in selecting any one element of the following:
1. Changes witnessed over the last few years on mode of packaging and its economic impact. The teacher may guide the students to identify the following changes:
   a) The changes in transportation of fruits and vegetables such as cardboard crates being used in place of wooden crates, etc. Reasons for above changes.
   b) Milk being supplied in glass bottles, later in plastic bags and now in tetra-pack and through vending machines.
   c) Plastic furniture [doors and stools] gaining preference over wooden furniture.
   d) The origin of cardboard and the various stages of changes and growth.
   e) Brown paper bags packing to recycled paper bags to plastic bags and cloth bags.
   f) Reuse of packaging [bottles, jars and tins] to attract customers for their products.
   g) The concept of pyramid packaging for milk.
   h) Cost being borne by the consumer/manufacturer.
   i) Packaging used as means of advertisements.

2. The reasons behind changes in the following:
   Coca – Cola and Fanta in the seventies to Thums up and Campa Cola in the eighties to Pepsi and Coke in nineties.
   The teacher may guide the students to the times when India sold Coca Cola and Fanta which were being manufactured in India by the foreign companies.
   The students may be asked to enquire about
   a) Reasons of stopping the manufacturing of the above mentioned drinks in India THEN.
   b) The introduction of Thums up and Campa cola range.
   c) Re entry of Coke and introduction of Pepsi in the Indian market.
   d) Factors responsible for the change.
   e) Other linkages with the above.
   f) Leading brands and the company having the highest market share.
   g) Different local brands venturing in the Indian market.
   h) The rating of the above brands in the market.
   i) The survival and reasons of failure in competition with the international brands.
   j) Other observations made by the students
   The teacher may develop the following on the above lines

3. Changing role of the women in the past 25 years relating to joint families, nuclear families, women as a bread earner of the family, changes in the requirement trend of mixers, washing machines, micro wave and standard of living.
4. The changes in the pattern of import and export of different Products.
5. The trend in the changing interest rates and their effect on savings.
6. A study on child labour laws, its implementation and consequences.
7. The state of 'anti plastic campaign,' the law, its effects and implementation.
8. The laws of mining /setting up of industries, rules and regulations, licences required for running that business.
9. Social factors affecting acceptance and rejection of an identified product. (Dish washer, Atta maker, etc)
10. What has the effect of change in environment on the types of goods and services?
   The students can take examples like:
   a) Washing machines, micro waves, mixers and grinder.
   b) Need for crèche, day care centre for young and old.
   c) Ready to eat food, eating food outside, and tiffin centres.
11. Change in the man-machine ratio with technological advances resulting in change of cost structure.
12. Effect of changes in technological environment on the behaviour of employee.

II. Project Two: Principles of Management
The students are required to visit any one of the following:
1. A departmental store.
2. An Industrial unit.
3. A fast food outlet.
4. Any other organisation approved by the teacher.
They are required to observe the application of the general Principles of management advocated by Fayol.

Fayol’s principles
1. Division of work.
2. Unity of command.
3. Unity of direction.
4. Scalar chain
5. Espirit de corps
6. Fair remuneration to all.
7. Order.
8. Equity.
9. Discipline
10. Subordination of individual interest to general interest.
11. Initiative.
12. Centralisation and decentralisation.
14. Authority and Responsibility

OR

They may enquire into the application of scientific management techniques by F.W. Taylor in the unit visited.

Scientific techniques of management.
1. Functional foremanship.
2. Standardisation and simplification of work.
4. Motion Study.
5. Time Study.
6. Fatigue Study
7. Differential piece rate plan.

Tips to teacher
(i) The teacher may organize this visit.
(ii) The teacher should facilitate the students to identify any unit of their choice and guide them to identify the principles that are being followed.
(iii) Similarly they should guide the students to identify the techniques of scientific management implemented in the organisation.
(iv) It may be done as a group activity.
(v) The observations could be on the basis of
- The different stages of division of work resulting to specialisation.
- Following instructions and accountability of subordinates to higher authorities.
- Visibility of order and equity in the unit.
- Balance of authority and responsibility.
- Communication levels and pattern in the organisation.
- Methods and techniques followed by the organisation for unity of direction and
  coordination amongst all.
- Methods of wage payments followed. The arrangements of fatigue study.
- Derivation of time study.
- Derivation and advantages of method study.
- Organisational chart of functional foremanship.
- Any other identified in the organisation

vi. It is advised that students should be motivated to pick up different areas of visit. As
presentations of different areas in the class would help in better understanding to the
other students.

vii. The students may be encouraged to develop worksheets. Teachers should help
students to prepare observation tools to be used for undertaking the project.
Examples; worksheets, questionnaire, interviews and organisational chart etc.

III. Project Three: Stock Exchange
The purpose of this project is to teach school students the values of investing and
utilising the stock market. This project also teaches important lessons about the
economy, mathematics and financial responsibility.

The basis of this project is to learn about the stock market while investing a specified
amount of fake money in certain stocks. Students then study the results and buy and sell
as they see fit.

This project will also guide the students and provide them with the supplies necessary to
successfully monitor stock market trends and will teach students how to calculate profit
and loss on stock.

The project work will enable the students to:
- understand the topics like sources of business finance and capital market
- understand the concepts used in stock exchange
- inculcate the habit of watching business channels, reading business
  journals/newspapers and seeking information from their elders.

The students are expected to:
  a) Develop a brief report on History of Stock Exchanges in India. (your country)
  b) Prepare a list of at least 25 companies listed on a Stock Exchange.
  c) To make an imaginary portfolio totalling a sum of Rs. 50,000 equally in any of the 5
     companies of their choice listed above over a period of twenty working days.

The students may be required to report the prices of the stocks on daily basis and
present it diagrammatically on the graph paper.
- They will understand the weekly holidays and the holidays under the
  Negotiable Instruments Act.
  They will also come across with terms like closing prices, opening prices, etc.
During this period of recording students are supposed to distinctively record the daily and starting and closing prices of the week other days under the negotiable instrument act so that they acquire knowledge about closing and opening prices. The students may conclude by identifying the causes in the fluctuations of prices. Normally it would be related to the front page news of the a business journal, for example, 
- Change of seasons.
- Festivals.
- Spread of epidemic.
- Strikes and accidents
- Natural and human disasters.
- Political environment.
- Lack of faith in the government policies.
- Impact of changes in government policies for specific industry.
- International events.
- Contract and treaties at the international scene.
- Relations with the neighbouring countries.
- Crisis in developed countries, etc.

The students are expected to find the value of their investments and accordingly rearrange their portfolio. The project work should cover the following aspects;
1. Graphical presentation of the share prices of different companies on different dates.
2. Change in market value of shares due to change of seasons, festivals, natural and human disasters.
3. Change in market value of shares due to change in political environment/policies of various countries/crisis in developed countries or any other reasons
4. Identify the top ten companies out of the 25 selected on the basis of their market value of shares.
It does not matter if they have made profits or losses.

IV. Project Four: Marketing

1. Adhesives
2. Air conditioners
3. Baby diapers
4. Bathing Soap
5. Bathroom cleaner
6. Bike
7. Blanket
8. Body Spray
9. Bread
10. Breakfast cereal
11. Butter
12. Camera
13. Car
14. Cheese spreads
15. Chocolate
16. Coffee
17. Cosmetology product
18. Crayons
19. Crockery
20. Cutlery
21. Cycle
22. DTH
23. Eraser
24. e-wash
25. Fairness cream
26. Fans
27. Fruit candy
28. Furniture
29. Hair Dye
30. Hair Oil
31. Infant dress
32. Inverter
33. Jams
34. Jeans
35. Jewellery
36. Kurti
37. Ladies bag
38. Ladies footwear
39. Learning Toys
40. Lipstick
41. Microwave oven
42. Mixers
43. Mobile
44. Moisturizer
45. Music player
46. Nail polish
47. Newspaper
48. Noodles
49. Pen
50. Pen drive
51. Pencil
52. Pickles
53. Razor
54. Ready Soups
55. Refrigerator
56. RO system
57. Roasted snacks
58. Salt
59. Sarees
60. Sauces/ Ketchup
61. Shampoo
62. Shaving cream
63. Shoe polish
64. Shoes
65. Squashes
66. Suitcase/ airbag
67. Sunglasses
68. Tea
69. Tiffin Wallah
70. Toothpaste
71. Wallet
72. Washing detergent
73. Washing machine
74. Washing powder
75. Water bottle
76. Water storage tank
77. Wipes

Any more as suggested by the teacher.

The teacher must ensure that the identified product should not be items whose consumption/use is discouraged by the society and government like alcohol products/pan masala and tobacco products, etc.

Identify one product/service from the above which the students may like to manufacture/provide [pre-assumption].

Now the students are required to make a project on the identified product/service keeping in mind the following:
1. Why have they selected this product/service?
2. Find out ‘5’ competitive brands that exist in the market.
3. What permission and licences would be required to make the product?
4. What are your competitors Unique Selling Proposition,[U.S.P.]?
5. Does your product have any range give details?
6. What is the name of your product?
7. Enlist its features.
8. Draw the 'Label' of your product.
9. Draw a logo for your product.
10. Draft a tag line.
11. What is the selling price of your competitor’s product?
   (i) Selling price to consumer
   (ii) Selling price to retailer
   (iii) Selling price to wholesaler

What is the profit margin in percentage to the
- Manufacturer.
- Wholesaler.
- Retailer.
12. How will your product be packaged?
13. Which channel of distribution are you going to use? Give reasons for selection?
15. What is going to be your selling price?
   (i) To consumer
   (ii) To retailer
   (iii) To wholesaler
16. List 5 ways of promoting your product.
17. Any schemes for
   (i) The wholesaler
   (ii) The retailer
   (iii) The consumer
18. What is going to be your 'U.S.P.?'
19. What means of transport you will use and why?
20. Draft a social message for your label.
21. What cost effective techniques will you follow for your product.
22. What cost effective techniques will you follow for your promotion plan.

At this stage the students will realise the importance of the concept of marketing mix and
the necessary decision regarding the four P’s of marketing.

- Product
- Place
- Price
- Promotion

On the basis of the work done by the students the project report should include the
following:
1. Type of product /service identified and the (consumer/industries) process involve
there in.
2. Brand name and the product.
3. Range of the product.
4. Identification mark or logo.
5. Tagline.
7. Price of the product and basis of price fixation.
8. Selected channels of distribution and reasons thereof.
10. Promotional techniques used and starting reasons for deciding the particular
technique.

Presentation and Submission of Project Report
At the end of the stipulated term, each student will prepare and submit his/her project
report.

Following essentials are required to be fulfilled for its preparation and submission.
1. The total length of the project will be of 25 to 30 pages.
2. The project should be handwritten.
3. The project should be presented in a neat folder.
4. The project report should be developed in the following sequence-
   - Cover page should include the title of the Project, student information, school
     and year.
List of contents.
Acknowledgements and preface (acknowledging the institution, the places visited and the persons who have helped).
Introduction.
Topic with suitable heading.
Planning and activities done during the project, if any.
Observations and findings of the visit.
Conclusions (summarized suggestions or findings, future scope of study).
Photographs (if any).
Appendix
Teacher's observation.
Signatures of the teachers.
At the completion of the evaluation of the project, it should be punched in the centre so that the report may not be reused but is available for reference only.
The project will be returned after evaluation. The school may keep the best projects.

ASSESSMENT

Allocation of Marks = 20 Marks

The marks will be allocated under the following heads:

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## Suggested Question Paper Design
### Business Studies (Code No. 054)
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##### March 2023 Examination

**Marks:** 80  
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